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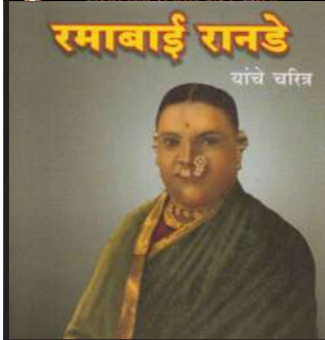
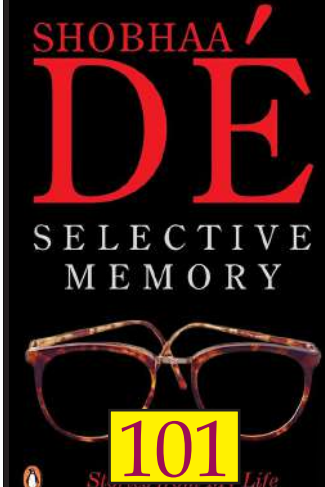
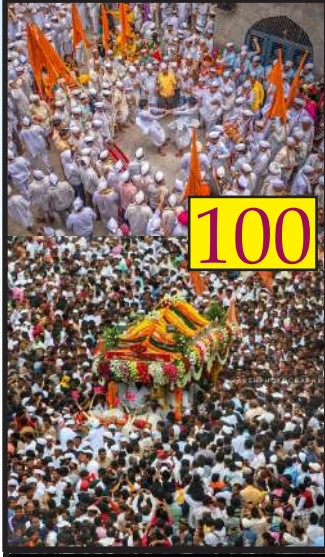
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## From the Desk of Principal ...

Academic year 2019-20 had been an eventful year, both in terms of academic grandeur and pragmatic educational values. Kirti College's magazine 'AKALAN' 2020 is designed to entail the teacher-student collective engagement in wide range of activities initiated during the current academic year. This includes multiple spectrums of activities ranging from academic, curricular-co-curricular and so on. As Principal of this institution I would proudly state that all these activities posses high eminence of relevance and substantive merit of permanence. It has qualities of relevance and permanence because, many of our teachers were not only involved in their teaching and research activities, but also actively motivated the students to participate in various academic and co-curricular ventures., for instance field surveys, conferences, seminars, poster presentation etc. These tasks were developed by our faculty independently and I am sure they will lead to the path of excellence and empowerment in the long run. I consider this as a faithful attempt of our teachers to map out the unnoticed tracts of talent hidden in the student community.



It is said that there is always a wistful remnant in us of that wisdom, which makes our life resilient and reasonably meaningful. These words aptly describe our teachers who have an innate desire to achieve excellence. The wisdom among them was easily discernible when they piqued their curiosity and interest in developing digital learning material. In order to equip our teachers with the latest trends in educational technology, our college in collaboration with Rambhau Mhalgi Prabodhini, a leadership development and capacity building academy. This training workshop has profoundly helped our faculty to prepare digital learning material and many teachers have also started their YouTube channel and have uploaded their lectures.

This year we successfully conducted Career Advancement Scheme (CAS) in our college and seventeen teachers were directly benefited. The audacity of this success was further enhanced when we conducted our academic audit satisfactorily fulfilling the basic requirements of new educational policy. Our college also organized a workshop on stress management for non-teaching staff, students as well as faculty members. I personally had ventured through some sketchy literature on stress management earlier, but Mr. Chandrashekha Vaze Sir's remarkable lecture on stress management, was the best of all possible worlds. Vaze Sir's lecture was woven into sequential rhythm of stress control, management, regulation and monitor that helped all of us to maneuver our stress management plan.

Before signing out, I would like to put on record the marvelous achievement of our students whobrought laurels to our college. We won second prize at prestigious INT intercollegiate competition and won several college festivals at district and state level. We even successfully hosted our alumni this year, and are now in the process of formally registering our alumni association. I am confident that Magazine –Akalan will be appreciated by all of you in rational and true spirit.

Dr. D. V. Pawar  
Principal

# Editorial

It is a herculean task to pen down the most memorable tunes of the past events and it is even very difficult to write memories of after effects of a global pandemic. In a metaphorical sense, the year 2020 will be remembered in human history for the outbreak of global catastrophic pandemic Covid-19. Despite such a medical cataclysm, we collectively stood against it and fought bravely and have practically controlled the unbridled outbreak. The credit for this success goes to the interactive and cooperative public space. Public space is discussed here, as a viable space of social interaction in which varied opinions are expressed, problems of common concerns are discussed and ultimately collective remedy on social problems are developed. It is therefore an important medium of public communication. This public communication has been the driving force of our college. As an institution our college has rationally eulogized the principle of public reason- as a moral standard of righteousness, to deal with the problems of the teaching staff, non teaching staff and the students. The entire management deserves a special credit for this.

In this atmosphere of uncertainty, fear and lockdown we are presenting this magazine to all our well-wishers. Despite all difficulties and experiences of unease, the students and teachers have seriously contributed in this year's magazine. The articles written by them have a splendor of imagery, a largeness of thought and eloquence of language. Poems, interviews, book review or film review absolutely harmonizes with our Magazine title 'AKALAN'. This year two students of our college interviewed well known educationist and Chairman of our Society Dr. Sharadji Kunte and sought his opinion and basic information on the new education policy. Kunte Sir's candid and coherent appraisal of new education policy enlightened all the listeners. The new education policy aims to transform the basic edifice of the Indian education system and its core content is policy implementation and development of education in the country. In this light Sharadji interview buoyantly resonated a bright possibility of systematization of institutional mechanism and active participation of all stakeholders with the advent of new education policy.

I on behalf of all the committee members, would like to acknowledge my gratitude towards our Principal for his relentless support, guidance and encouragement. The committee also thanks the IQAC, the management and all those who were directly or indirectly involved in precisely knitting this annual academic document.

**Harshad Bhosale,**  
**Editor**







**SPECTRUM**  
of various activities





# *Spectrum of Various Activities*





# Spectrum of Various Activities





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# **Gymkhana Degree**

## **Individual Achievements**



**Aradhya Suresh Keer**

***Kho-Kho Ashwamedh Krida Mohotsav***



**Hritik Patil**

***Rifle Shooting (All India Open Varsity  
Competition - Gold Medal)***



**Namrata Nandkumar Yadav**

***Kho - Kho (All India Open Varsity  
competitions) (Winner Team)***



**Sanjana Santosh Kudav**

***Kho - Kho (Tournament - All India Open  
Varsity Championship) (Winner)***



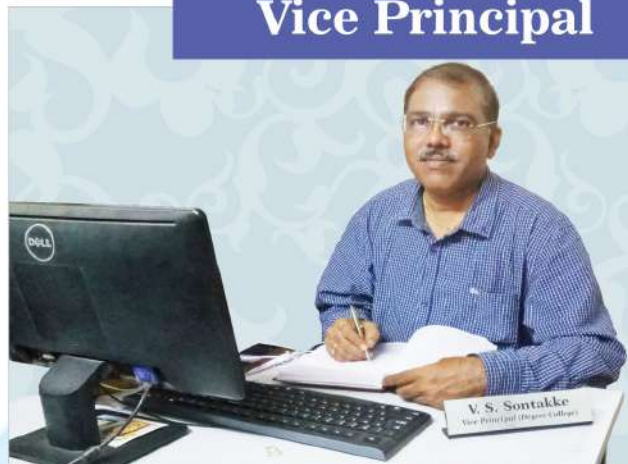
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***Kho - Kho (Ashwamedha Krida Mohostav)***

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District level



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Divisional level



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Kho-Kho  
National level



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Kho-Kho  
National level



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Kho-Kho  
National level



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Kho-Kho  
State level, National level



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Mallkahamb  
National level



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State level



**Rakhi Thakur**  
Boxing  
District level



**Omkar Bomale**  
Gymnastic  
District level



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Shooting  
Divisional level



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Cross country  
District level



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Karate  
District level



**Bhakti Rambade**  
Taekwondo  
District level



**Sarvesh Mahadik**  
Yuva Jagar  
State level



**Shreya Guldekar**  
Taekwondo  
National level

# Gymkhana Junior



**Ankesh Sharma**

Cross country  
District level



**Tejal Nagarkar**

Boxing  
Divisional level



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1500 Meter Running  
District level



**Prerana Gupta**

Yuva Jagar  
District level



**Mahesh Palle**

Carrom  
District level



**Tanush Shettigar**

Kick Boxing  
District level



**Sujit Surle**

Wrestling  
District level



**Bhuvan Pagdhare**

Swimming  
District level



**Ronit Lohare**

Mallakhamb  
State level



**Vaidehi Bhosale**

Gymnastics  
State level



**Sanika Kambali**

Lawn Tennis  
National level



# GYMKHANA



Cricket Competition (Mens')



Kabaddi Competition



Runner Up Kho Kho



Runner Up Kho Kho Kirti Karandak



Various Games



Winning Team Kho Kho



Winning Team Kho Kho (Women's)



Winning Team Kho Kho Women's Combined Team



# GYMKHANA



Rope Mallakhamb demonstration by Himani Parab



Yoga demonstration



Yoga demonstration



Yoga demonstration



Yoga demonstration



Yoga demonstration



Winner of Inter-Class Body Building Competition  
Junior College



Winner of Inter-Class Body Building Competition  
Degree College





## Departmental Reports

### जिमखाना अहवाल वरिष्ठ महाविद्यालय

**रायफल शुटिंग :** ऋत्तिक प्रशांत पाटील याला १८ ऑक्टोबर २०१९ रोजी मुंबई विद्यापीठाने रुईया महाविद्यालय माटुंगा येथे आयोजित केलेल्या आंतरमहाविद्यालयीन रायफल शुटिंग स्पर्धेत सुवर्ण पदक प्राप्त झाले आणि त्याची नॅशनल स्पर्धेसाठी निवड झाली.

**योग :** दिनांक २१ जून २०१९ रोजी शिवनेरी सभागृह कोळीवाडा येथे आयोजित केलेल्या जिल्हा निवड चाचणीमध्ये श्वेता परब हिने सुवर्ण पदक प्राप्त केले.

**टेनिस :** तनिश बन्साली याला २ डिसेंबर २०१८ रोजी मुंबई विद्यापीठाने ए. आय. टी. ए. विद्यानगरी कलिना कॅम्पस, येथे आयोजित केलेल्या आंतरमहाविद्यालयीन स्पर्धेत टेनिस कांस्य पदक प्राप्त झाले आणि त्याची नॅशनल स्पर्धेसाठी निवड झाली.

**खो-खो मुली :** दिनांक १ नोव्हेंबर २०१८ रोजी मुंबई विद्यापीठाने दापोली अर्बन बँक सिनियर सायन्स महाविद्यालय दापोली येथे आयोजित केलेल्या आंतरमहाविद्यालयीन खो-खो स्पर्धेत मुलींच्या संघाला द्वितीय क्रमांक मिळाला. नम्रता नंदकुमार यादव आणि संजना संतोष कुडव ह्यांची नॅशनल स्पर्धेसाठी निवड झाली.

महर्षी दयानंद महाविद्यालय आयोजित राज्यस्तरीय आंतरमहाविद्यालयीन खो-खो स्पर्धेत कनिष्ठ व पदवी महाविद्यालयाचा संयुक्त संघ विजयी ठरला.

**खो-खो मुले :** महर्षी दयानंद महाविद्यालय आयोजित राज्यस्तरीय आंतरमहाविद्यालयीन स्पर्धेत कनिष्ठ व पदवी महाविद्यालयाचा संयुक्त संघ अंतिम उपविजयी ठरला. आराध्य किर ह्याची नॅशनल स्पर्धेसाठी निवड झाली.

**कबड्डी पुरुष :** महर्षी दयानंद महाविद्यालय आयोजित राज्यस्तरीय आंतर महाविद्यालयीन स्पर्धेत कनिष्ठ व पदवी महाविद्यालयाचा संयुक्त संघ अंतिम उपविजयी ठरला.

**आर्चरी :** अलोक बाळकृष्ण गुरव याने २८ नोव्हेंबर २०१९ रोजी मुंबई विद्यापीठाने बिरला महाविद्यालय कल्याण येथे आयोजित केलेल्या आंतरमहाविद्यालयीन आर्चरी स्पर्धेत सुवर्ण पदक प्राप्त केले आणि त्याची

नॅशनल स्पर्धेसाठी निवड झाली.

दि. २० डिसेंबर रोजी झालेल्या कीर्ती श्री या स्पर्धेत यांने कीर्ती श्री होण्याचा बहुमान मिळविला.

**कीर्ती करंडक :** रौप्य महोत्सवी वर्ष साजरे करत असल्याने पंचविसाव्या कीर्ती करंडक आंतर महाविद्यालयीन कबड्डी, खो-खो महिला व पुरुष स्पर्धेचे आयोजन दिनांक १८ डिसेंबर ते डिसेंबर २०१९ दरम्यान महाविद्यालयाच्या मैदानावर केले होते. ह्या कार्यक्रमाचे अध्यक्षपद महाविद्यालयाचे प्राचार्य डॉ. डी. व्ही. पवार सर यांनी भूषविले. स्पर्धेचे उद्घाटन प्रमुख अतिथी मा. श्री. खेमराज रणपिसे, अध्यक्ष खेळ व क्रीडा समिती परिषद सदस्य डेक्कन एज्युकेशन सोसायटी आणि विशेष अतिथी मा. डॉ. मोहन अमरुळे, संचालक शारीरिक शिक्षण व क्रीडा विभाग मुंबई विद्यापीठ यांच्या शुभहस्ते करण्यात आले व स्पर्धेतील विजयी खेळाडूंना प्रमुख पाहुणे म्हणून माजी विद्यार्थी मा. सौ. अमृता देशमुख (शिवछत्रपती पुरस्कार विजेती, सायकलिंग) आणि विशेष अतिथी माजी विद्यार्थी मा. श्री. साकेत जेस्ते (शिवछत्रपती पुरस्कारविजेता, खो-खो) यांच्या हस्ते पारितोषिक देण्यात आले.

**स्पर्धेचा अंतिम गुणफलक पुढीलप्रमाणे :**

**कबड्डी पुरुष गट**

**विजयी संघ :** इंदिरा गांधी महाविद्यालय

**उपविजयी संघ :** महर्षी दयानंद महाविद्यालय

**कबड्डी महिला गट**

**विजयी संघ :** महर्षी दयानंद महाविद्यालय

**उपविजयी संघ :** डॉ. आंबेडकर महाविद्यालय

**खो-खो महिला गट**

**विजयी संघ :** एस. एस. टी. महाविद्यालय

**उपविजयी संघ :** कीर्ती महाविद्यालय

महाविद्यालयाचे एकूण ५५ संघ स्पर्धेत सहभागी झाले होते. सदर कार्यक्रमासाठी संस्थेचे मान्यवर पदाधिकारी उपस्थित

होते. सुत्रसंचालन प्रा. सो. रुपाली बोरीकर आणि पारितोषिकाचे सुत्रसंचालन प्रा. सौ. प्रतिभा बिश्वास यांनी केले. यादी वाचन प्रा. सौ. शोभना सरडकर यांनी केले. प्रा. शरद कुंभार व प्रा. अमृत शिंदे यांनी उपस्थितांचे आभार मानले व कार्यक्रमाची सांगता झाली.

**इतर खेळ** : उपरोक्त खेळाशिवाय क्रॉस कंट्री, फुटबॉल, बुद्धीबळ, बॅडमिंटन, टेबल टेनिस मैदानी स्पर्धेत बेस्ट फिजिक इ. खेळाच्या स्पर्धेत विद्यार्थ्यांनी सहभाग घेतला.

प्रा. अमृत शिंदे

संचालक, शारीरिक शिक्षण व क्रीडा

## जिमखाना अहवाल कनिष्ठ महाविद्यालय

कीर्ती महाविद्यालयाच्या विद्यार्थ्यांनी एकूण अडतीस खेळात सहभाग घेऊन सन २०१९-२० या वर्षात खेळ व क्रीडा या क्षेत्रात, राष्ट्रीय, राज्य, विभागीय व जिल्हास्तरीय स्तरावर तसेच विविध असोसिएशनतर्फे आयोजित विविध स्पर्धांमध्ये मुलामुलींच्या संघाने कौतुकास्पद कामगिरी केली. विविध स्पर्धांमध्ये वैयक्तिक प्रकारात तेवीस सुवर्णपदके, बारा रजतपदके व आठ कांस्यपदके मिळविली. त्याचप्रमाणे दहा खेळाडूंनी राष्ट्रीय व वीस खेळाडूंनी राज्यस्तरीय स्पर्धेत सहभाग घेतला होता. सांघिक खेळातही पाच ठिकाणी अंतिम विजयीचे मानकरी ठरले व सात ठिकाणी उपविजयी झाले.

**: खेळ व क्रीडा प्रकारानुसार थोडक्यात वृत्तांत :**

**कॅरम** : जिल्हा क्रीडा अधिकारी, मुंबई शहर यांच्या कार्यालयातर्फे आयोजित आंतरमहाविद्यालयीन कॅरम स्पर्धेत सतरा वर्षांच्या आतील गटात नीरज कांबळेने जिल्हा व विभागीय स्तरावर दोन सुवर्णपदक जिंकून सांगली येथे झालेल्या राज्यस्तरीय स्पर्धेतही सुवर्णपदक प्राप्त केले. तामिळनाडूमधील धरमपुरी येथे झालेल्या राष्ट्रीय कॅरम स्पर्धेतही निरजने द्वितीय क्रमांक पटकावला. तसेच महेश पल्लेने जिल्हास्तरावर तृतीय क्रमांक मिळवला.

**मल्लखांब** : शंतनू लोहारने जिल्हा व विभागीय स्तरावर झालेल्या आंतरमहाविद्यालयीन मल्लखांब स्पर्धेत दोन सुवर्णपदक मिळवून दिनांक १ ते ४ जानेवारी २०२० दरम्यान आनंदनिकेतन महाविद्यालय, आनंदवन, वरोरा, जिल्हा चंद्रपूर येथे झालेल्या राज्यस्तरीय मल्लखांब स्पर्धेतही सुवर्णपदक मिळवले जानेवारी २०२० मध्ये राजस्थान येथे झालेल्या राष्ट्रीय मल्लखांब स्पर्धेत त्याचा सहभाग होता. तसेच रोहित लोहारने जिल्हास्तरावर कांस्यपदक मिळविले.

**लॉन टेनिस** : दिनांक १७ सप्टेंबर २०१९ रोजी महाराष्ट्र स्टेट लॉन टेनिस असोसिएशन कूपरेज येथे झालेल्या आंतरमहाविद्यालयीन जिल्हास्तरीय लॉन टेनिस स्पर्धेत सानिका कांबळेने सुवर्णपदक मिळवून

विभागीय स्तरावर तिचा सहभाग घेतला. चंदिगढ येथे झालेल्या राष्ट्रीय लॉन टेनिस स्पर्धेत सानिकाचा सहभाग होता.

**जिम्नॅस्टिक्स** : वैदेही भोसलेने आंतरमहाविद्यालयीन राज्यस्तरीय जिम्नॅस्टिक्स स्पर्धेत चतुर्थ क्रमांक प्राप्त केला. डोंबिवली येथे झालेल्या खुल्या गटातील राज्यस्तरीय जिम्नॅस्टिक्स स्पर्धेतही वैदेहीचा सहभाग होता.

**वेटलिफ्टिंग** : दिनांक २१ सप्टेंबर २०१९ रोजी पोलिसदल, नायगाव येथे झालेल्या वेटलिफ्टिंग स्पर्धेत वेदांत घांगरेने सुवर्णपदक मिळवून विभागीय व राज्यस्तरीय वेटलिफ्टिंग स्पर्धेतही दोन सुवर्णपदके जिंकली.

**बॉक्सिंग** : जिल्हास्तरीय आंतरमहाविद्यालयीन बॉक्सिंग स्पर्धेत महिला खेळाडूंनी कौतुकास्पद कामगिरी करत श्रेया गुलदेकरने ६० किलो वजनीगटात सुवर्णपदक मिळवले. विभागीय स्तरावर तिचा सहभाग होता. तसेच तेजल नगरकरने ५६ किलो वजनी गटात व राखी ठाकूरने ५१ किलो वजनीगटात दोघींनीही रजतपदक पटकावले. मुलामध्ये आशिष चौधरीने ५८ किलो वजनी गटात रजतपदक प्राप्त केले.

**तायक्वांदो** : खुल्या गटातील दिल्ली येथे झालेल्या राष्ट्रीय तायक्वांदो स्पर्धेत श्रेया गुलदेकरचा सहभाग होता. तसेच संस्कृती सावंतने ५० किलो वजनीगटात रजत पदक मिळविले.

**जुदो** : दिनांक २ ऑक्टोबर २०१९ रोजी पोद्दार महाविद्यालयात झालेल्या जिल्हास्तरीय जुदो स्पर्धेत निशांत जोशीने सुवर्णपदक जिंकून विभागीयस्तरावर सुद्धा त्याने रजतपदक मिळवले.

**कुस्ती** : राजीव गांधी क्रीडा संकुल, धारावी येथे दिनांक १९ सप्टेंबर रोजी झालेल्या जिल्हास्तरीय कुस्ती स्पर्धेत सुजीत सुरलेने ५५ किलो वजनीगटात सुवर्णपदक प्राप्त केले.

**मैदानी स्पर्धा** : U/17 वयोगटात निशांत अन्नालोरेने १५०० मीटर धावण्याच्या शर्यतीत द्वितीय क्रमांक मिळवला तसेच U/19 सचिन



तायडेनेही १५०० मीटर धावण्याच्या शर्यतीत द्वितीय क्रमांक पटकावला.

**क्रॉस कंट्री** : जिल्हास्तरीय आंतरमहाविद्यालयीन क्रॉस कंट्री शर्यतीत अंकेश शर्मा, प्रणव मोरे व आदित्य नलावडे या तिघांनी अनुक्रमे द्वितीय, तृतीय व चतुर्थ क्रमांक प्राप्त केले.

**किक बॉक्सिंग** : श्रेया गुलदेकरने जिल्हास्तरीय किक बॉक्सिंग स्पर्धेत सुवर्णपदक जिंकले तसेच तनुश शेटीगर व महेश मांजरेकरने अनुक्रमे कांस्यपदक मिळविले.

**जलतरण** : भुवन पागधरेने जिल्हास्तरीय जलतरण स्पर्धेत ४०० मीटर व ८०० मीटर फ्रिस्टाईल शर्यतीत दोन कांस्यपदक प्राप्त केली.

**वुशू** : ६० किलो वजनी गटात श्रेया गुलदेकरने जिल्हास्तरीय वुशू स्पर्धेत सुवर्णपदक जिंकून विभागीय स्तरावर तिचा सहभाग होता.

**कराटे** : सर्वेश कडवने ५४ ते ५८ किलो वजनीगटात जिल्हा व विभागीय स्तरावर झालेल्या कराटे स्पर्धेत दोन सुवर्णपदक जिंकून दिनांक ११ ते १३ नोव्हेंबर २०१९ दरम्यान बारामती येथे झालेल्या राज्यस्तरीय कराटे स्पर्धेतही त्याने कांस्यपदक मिळवले. तसेच प्रतिक पानसरे व महेश मांजरेकरने कराटे स्पर्धेत अनुक्रमे कांस्यपदक प्राप्त केले. प्रतिक पानसरेने सुरत येथे झालेल्या आंतरराष्ट्रीय कुडो स्पर्धेत रजतपदक पटकावले.

**शुटिंग** : दिनांक २५ सप्टेंबर २०१९ रोजी वीर सावरकर येथे झालेल्या पीप साईड एअर रायफल शुटिंग स्पर्धेत ईशा जाधवने कांस्यपदक मिळवून विभागीय स्तरावरही तिने कांस्यपदक प्राप्त केले.

**खो-खो (मुले)** : आंतरमहाविद्यालयीन जिल्हास्तरीय खो-खो स्पर्धा दिनांक ४ ऑक्टोबर २०१९ रोजी वैभव स्पोर्ट्स क्लब, दाते उद्यान, दादर येथे झालेल्या जिल्हास्तरीय खो-खो स्पर्धेत मुलांच्या संघाने विजय संपादन करून चिंचणी, डहाणू येथे झालेल्या विभागीय स्तरावर सुद्धा हा संघ उपविजयी ठरला. सांगली येथे झालेल्या राज्यस्तरीय निवड चाचणी स्पर्धेसाठी सनी तांबे, धीरज भावे व रोहित खाडे यांची निवड झाली होती. रांची येथे झालेल्या राष्ट्रीय खो-खो स्पर्धेत महाराष्ट्राच्या विजयी संघात सनी तांबे व धीरज भावे यांचा सहभाग होता. संघातील खेळाडू पुढीलप्रमाणे : सनी तांबे, धीरज भावे, रोहित खाडे, व्यंकट राघव, शुभम आग्ने, चेतन गवळी, ओमकार धुरी, जतीन गावकर, भावेश परब, अर्जुन अनिवसे, विनायक धुर्वे, आदेश अंबुलकर, चिन्मय बंडवे, निखिल सावंत व ओमकार पारधिये हे होते.

ज्युनियर कॉलेजेस स्पोर्ट्स असोसिएशन ऑफ मुंबई आयोजित खो-खो स्पर्धेत मुलांचा संघ उपविजयीपद झाला.

महर्षी दयानंद महाविद्यालय आयोजित आंतर महाविद्यालयीन खो-

खो स्पर्धेत पदवी व कनिष्ठ महाविद्यालयाच्या संयुक्त संघाने उपविजयीपद मिळवले.

**खो-खो (मुली)** : जिल्हास्तरीय आंतरमहाविद्यालयीन खो-खो स्पर्धेत मुलींच्या संघाने अंतिम विजयी होऊन चिंचणी, डहाणू येथे झालेल्या विभागस्तरावर सुद्धा ह्या संघाने तृतीय क्रमांक पटकावला. संघातील खेळाडू पुढीलप्रमाणे : साक्षी सोनावने, साक्षी वाफेलकर, साक्षी नाईक, काजल गायकवाड, किरण खांबाल, समृद्धी जरंडे, पवित्रा परब, राखी सिंग, साक्षी निळे, स्वप्नाली घोरपडे, अनुराधा बेले व रचना ओंबळे हे होते. सांगली येथे झालेल्या राज्यस्तरीय निवड चाचणी स्पर्धेसाठी साक्षी वाफेलकरचा सहभाग होता.

ज्युनियर कॉलेजेस स्पोर्ट्स असोसिएशनतर्फे आयोजित आंतर महाविद्यालयीन खो-खो स्पर्धेत मुलींच्या संघाने विजय संपादन केला.

महर्षी दयानंद महाविद्यालय आयोजित राज्यस्तरीय खो-खो स्पर्धेत हा पदवी व कनिष्ठ महाविद्यालयाच्या संयुक्त संघाने अंतिम विजयाची मान मिळवला.

कीर्ती महाविद्यालय आयोजित कीर्ती करंडक स्पर्धेत मुलींचा पदवी व कनिष्ठ महाविद्यालयाचा संयुक्त संघ उपविजयी झाला.

**क्रिकेट** : आंतरमहाविद्यालयीन जिल्हास्तरीय क्रिकेट स्पर्धेत मुलांच्या संघाने तृतीय क्रमांक मिळवला. हर्ष पंतने उपांत्य फेरीमध्ये सहा विकेट घेतल्या. संघातील खेळाडू पुढीलप्रमाणे शेखर भाटकर, वेदांत पिंपूटकर, तन्मय मांडे, हर्ष पंत, सर्वेश कलकडे, अथर्व दातार, प्रथम नांबियार, श्री सुदामे, ओंकार सारक, हर्षल खराडे, मोहाद मुलानी, राज वाघेला, ऋषिकेश मोरे, हिमांशू सावंत, नवनीत माने व प्रणित शेलार हे होते.

**कबड्डी** : ज्युनियर कॉलेजेस स्पोर्ट्स असोसिएशन ऑफ मुंबई तर्फे आयोजित आंतरमहाविद्यालयीन कबड्डी स्पर्धेत मुलांच्या संघाला तृतीय क्रमांक मिळाला. संघातील खेळाडू पुढीलप्रमाणे गौरव दाभोळकर, समीर देवलकर, स्वरूप कुपटे, मंगेश गाडगे, ओम मोरे, आदित्य सानप, चेतन पाटील, शिवराज भिलारे, संदिप पाटील, साईनाथ श्रीरामे, चंद्रकांत श्रीरामे व अथर्व घाग हे होते.

**कीर्ती श्री** : सन २०१९-२० ह्या वर्षाचा कीर्ती श्री चा मानकरी आदित्य सोनावने हा ठरला.

**युवा जागर** : शालेय शिक्षण विभाग क्रीडा व युवक सेवा संचनालय, महाराष्ट्र राज्य व कीर्ती महाविद्यालय यांच्या संयुक्त विद्यमाने आयोजित छात्र युवा संसद २०१९ 'युवा जागर - महाराष्ट्रावर बोलू काही' या

आंतरवर्गीय वक्तृत्व स्पर्धेचे आयोजन दिनांक १३ ऑगस्ट २०१९ रोजी कीर्ती महाविद्यालयात करण्यात आले होते. एकूण चाळीस विद्यार्थ्यांनी सहभाग घेतला होता. ह्या स्पर्धेत सर्वेश महाडिक, प्रेरणा गुप्ता व अक्षय कदम यांनी अनुक्रमे प्रथम, द्वितीय व तृतीय क्रमांक मिळवला. तसेच गटस्तरीय स्पर्धेचे आयोजन सुद्धा आपल्याच महाविद्यालयात दिनांक २६ ऑगस्ट २०१९ रोजी करण्यात आले होते. एकूण आठ महाविद्यालयांनी सहभाग घेतला होता. ह्या वक्तृत्व स्पर्धेत कीर्ती महाविद्यालय व छबिलदास कनिष्ठ महाविद्यालय यांनी अनुक्रमे प्रथम, द्वितीय व तृतीय क्रमांक मिळवला. सर्वेश महाडिक व प्रेरणा गुप्ता यांची विभागासाठी निवड झाली होती. सर्वेश महाडिकने विधानसभा येथे झालेल्या राज्यस्तरीय वक्तृत्व स्पर्धेतही तृतीय क्रमांक मिळवला. आंतरवर्गीय स्पर्धेसाठी परिक्षण म्हणून तीनही भाषेचे काम पाहिलेले शिक्षक प्रा. कल्पना पानसे - हिंदी, प्रा. प्रतिभा बिश्वास - मराठी व प्रा. किरण बोरसे - इंग्रजी. तसेच गटस्तरीय स्पर्धेसाठी परिक्षक म्हणून काम केलेले शिक्षक प्रा. लीना मोरे- हिंदी, प्रा. अंजली हडकर - मराठी व प्रा. प्राजक्ता आजगावकर - इंग्रजी हे होते. ह्या दोन दिवसीय कार्यक्रमाचे अध्यक्षपद महाविद्यालयाचे प्राचार्य डॉ. डी. व्ही. पवार सर होते. श्री. राजेंद्र पाटील सर व श्री. कांबळे सर मुंबई शिक्षण विभाग म्हणून उपस्थित होते व जिल्हा क्रीडा अधिकारी म्हणून सौ. भारती देवीकर ह्या होत्या. तसेच कार्यक्रमाच्या समितीवर उपप्राचार्या प्रा. रूखसाना सय्यद, पर्यवेक्षिका - प्रा. उज्वला मिश्रा, प्रा. शोभना सुरडकर, प्रा. शरद कुंभार, प्रा. प्राजक्ता आजगावकर, प्रा. अरुणा साने व प्रा. किरण बोरसे यांनी काम पाहिले.

**शिष्यवृत्ती :** महाराष्ट्र शासनातर्फे राष्ट्रीय स्तरावर खेळून नैपुण्य संपादन करणाऱ्या खेळाडूंनी शिष्यवृत्ती देण्यात येते. आपल्या महाविद्यालयातील कॅरम खेळणाऱ्या निरज कांबळेला रुपये ८९५०/- राष्ट्रीय सहभागासाठी २०१९-२० या वर्षासाठी शिष्यवृत्ती देण्यात आली.

**ग्रेस मार्कस् :** महाराष्ट्र राज्य माध्यमिक व उच्च माध्यमिक मंडळ नियमानुसार जिल्हा, विभाग, राज्य व राष्ट्रीय स्तरावर क्रीडा स्पर्धेत भाग घेतलेल्या आपल्या महाविद्यालयातील २३ खेळाडूंनी सवलतीच्या व वाढीव गुणासाठी अर्ज भरला.

**शिव छत्रपती पुरस्कार :** महाराष्ट्र शासनातर्फे गुणवंत खेळाडूंना

देण्यात येणारा राज्यस्तरीय शिव छत्रपती पुरस्कार २०१८-१९ ह्या वर्षासाठी आपल्या महाविद्यालयात सध्या SYBA शिकत असलेली हिमानी परब हिला रोप मल्लखांब खेळासाठी थेट पुरस्कार देऊन गौरविण्यात आले. तसेच दिनांक २२ फेब्रुवारी २०२० रोजी आपल्या डेक्कन एज्युकेशन संस्थेचे सन्माननीय चेअरमन श्री. शरदजी कुंटे सर यांच्या हस्ते ट्रॉफी देऊन हिमानीचा सत्कार करण्यात आला.

**स्पोर्ट्स डे :** दिनांक २३ डिसेंबर २०१९ सोमवार रोजी महाविद्यालयाच्या मैदानात पदवी व कनिष्ठ महाविद्यालयाचे शिक्षक व शिक्षकेतर कर्मचाऱ्यासाठी स्पोर्ट्स डेचे आयोजन करण्यात आले होते. क्रिकेट व रस्सी खेळाचे आयोजन केले होते. महाविद्यालयाचे प्राचार्य डॉ. डी. व्ही. पवार सरांच्या हस्ते विजेते व उपविजेते संघांना ट्रॉफी व मेडल देऊन गौरविण्यात आले.

**वार्षिक वितरण सोहळा :** सालाबादप्रमाणे याहीवर्षी कीर्ती महाविद्यालयाच्या प्रांगणात वार्षिक वितरण सोहळा संपन्न झाला. दिनांक २१ डिसेंबर २०१९ शनिवार रोजी ठीक संध्याकाळी पदवी व कनिष्ठ महाविद्यालयाच्या विविध खेळांमध्ये नैपुण्य संपादन केलेल्या खेळाडूंना तसेच सांस्कृतिक विभाग, एन्. एस्. एस्. व एन्. सी. सी. विभागातील विद्यार्थ्यांना पारितोषिक वितरण करण्यात आले. ह्या समारंभाचे अध्यक्षपद महाविद्यालयाचे प्राचार्य डॉ. डी. व्ही. पवार यांनी भूषविले तर पारितोषिक वितरणाचे प्रमुख पाहुणे म्हणून श्री. चंद्रशेखर टिळक व विशेष अतिथी श्री. अशोक नायगावकर यांना आमंत्रित करण्यात आले होते. पारितोषिकाच्या स्वरूपात ट्रॅक सूट, किट बॅग व ट्रॉफी विद्यार्थ्यांना पाहुण्यांच्या हस्ते देण्यात आले. ह्या कार्यक्रमाचे सूत्रसालन प्रा. ज्योती मुंडे व प्रा. सी. एम्. जोशी ह्यांनी केले. तसेच पारितोषिक वितरण यादी वाचन डॉ. बी. आर. कांबळे पदवी महाविद्यालय व प्रा. लीना मोरे कनिष्ठ महाविद्यालय ह्या दोघांनी केले. जिमखाना अहवाल वाचन शर्वरी भावे विद्यार्थिनी, कनिष्ठ महाविद्यालय व पदवी महाविद्यालयाचा अहवाल प्रणव केळूसकर याने वाचला. कार्यक्रमास सर्व उपस्थितांचे आभार जिमखाना कार्याध्यक्ष डॉ. मिलिंद जोग यांनी मानले.

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## कीर्ती करंडक स्पर्धा - २०१९-२०

दरवर्षीप्रमाणे ह्यावर्षी कीर्ती महाविद्यालयामध्ये रजतमहोत्सवी कीर्ती करंडक आंतर महाविद्यालयीन कबड्डी/खो-खो (पुरुष/महिला) स्पर्धांचे आयोजन दिनांक १८ ते १९ डिसेंबर २०१९ दरम्यान करण्यात आले होते. ह्या कार्यक्रमास महाविद्यालयाचे प्राचार्य डॉ. डी. व्ही. पवार सरांनी अध्यक्षपद भूषविले. प्रा. रुपाली बोरीकर व प्रा. प्रतिभा बिश्वास ह्या दोघींनी सूत्रसंचलन केले. प्रमुख अतिथी माननीय श्री. खेमराज रणपिसे, डेक्कन एज्युकेशन सोसायटीचे खेळ व क्रीडा समितीचे अध्यक्ष व डॉ. मोहन आमरूले, शारीरिक शिक्षण विभाग, मुंबई विद्यापीठ यांच्या हस्ते स्पर्धेचे उद्घाटन करण्यात आले व पारितोषिक वितरण सौ. अमृता कारखानीस सायकलींग खेळात शिव छत्रपती पुरस्कार विजेती व श्री. साकेत जेस्ते खो-खो खेळातील शिव छत्रपती पुरस्कार विजेता दोघेही महाविद्यालयाचे माजी विद्यार्थी यांच्या हस्ते झाले. रजतमहोत्सवी निमित्ताने १९९५ च्या पहिल्या कबड्डी संघाचे पुरुष खेळाडू यांना निमंत्रित करून महाविद्यालयातर्फे ट्रॉफी देऊन सत्कार करण्यात आला. विजयी व उपविजयी

संघाचे पारितोषिक वितरण यादी वाचन प्रा. सौ. शोभना सुराडकर यांनी केले. तसेच उद्घाटन कार्यक्रमाचे आभार प्रा. शरद कुंभार व पारितोषिक वितरण कार्यक्रमाचे आभार प्रा. अमृत शिंदे यांनी मानले. रजतमहोत्सवी कीर्ती करंडक दोन दिवसांच्या स्पर्धेदरम्यान जिमखाना कार्याध्यक्ष डॉ. मिलींद जोग पदवी महाविद्यालयाचे उपप्राचार्य डॉ. सीमा पुरोहित, डॉ. कवडे सर व डॉ. सोनटक्के तसेच कनिष्ठ महाविद्यालयाचे प्रा. सौ. रुखसाना सय्यद व पर्यवेक्षिका प्रा. सौ. उज्वला मिश्रा, प्रा. सौ. शोभना सुराडकर, प्रा. शरद कुंभार व प्रा. अमृत शिंदे तसेच जिमखान्याचे कर्मचारी श्री. मनोहर चिपळूनकर हे होते. पदवी व कनिष्ठ महाविद्यालयाचे शिक्षक व शिक्षकेतर कर्मचारी, महाविद्यालयाचे आजी व माजी विद्यार्थ्यांनी दोन दिवस स्पर्धेचा आनंद घेतला.

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प्रा. शरद कुंभार

प्रा. अमृत शिंदे

## ग्रामीण विकास विभाग

ग्रामीण विकास हा विषय प्रात्यक्षिक कार्यावर आधारित असल्यामुळे या शैक्षणिक वर्षात विद्यार्थ्यांनी प्रात्यक्षिक कार्यासाठी अनेक ठिकाणी प्रत्यक्ष भेटी देऊन अभ्यास केला. यामध्ये गांधी संग्रहालय (मणिभवन) गावदेवी मुंबई, कुष्ठरोग निवारण समिती शांतीवन, पनवेल, कोकण कृषी विद्यापीठ दापोली यांचे खार जमीन संशोधन केंद्र, पनवेल. कृषी उत्पन्न बाजार समिती, कल्याण. तसेच अपना बाजार सहकारी भांडार, नायगाव दादर, अशा विविध ठिकाणी शैक्षणिक सहली आयोजित करण्यात आल्या होत्या.

ग्रामीण आदिवासी समाजातील सामाजिक, आर्थिक, राजकीय, सांस्कृतिक, शैक्षणिक, आरोग्य तसेच रोजगार या विविध समस्या विद्यार्थ्यांना समजाव्यात यासाठी गोखले एज्युकेशन सोसायटीचे कृषी विज्ञान केंद्र कोसबाड या ठिकाणी तीन दिवसीय प्रथम, द्वितीय व तृतीय वर्गासाठी प्रात्यक्षिक शिबिरे आयोजित करण्यात आली होती. या शिबिरात विद्यार्थ्यांनी श्रमदान व पाड्यामध्ये जाऊन तेथील विविध समस्यांचा अभ्यास केला. या शिबिरादरम्यान द्वितीय वर्ष कला विद्यार्थ्यांनी रामपूर ग्रामपंचायत येथे २६ जानेवारी रोजी भरलेल्या ग्रामसभेस उपस्थित राहून प्रत्यक्ष ग्रामसभेचा व ग्रामपंचायतीचा अभ्यास केला. तसेच तलाठी, सरपंच, ग्रामसेविका व इतर मान्यवरांची भेट घेऊन माहिती मिळवली. प्रजासत्ताक दिनानिमित्त

निघालेल्या प्रभात फेरीत सहभागी होऊन झेंडावंदन केले. तसेच दि. २५ जानेवारी २०२० रोजी मालती बाग कृषी पर्यटनाला द्वितीय वर्ष कला ग्रामीण विकास विद्यार्थ्यांनी भेट देऊन प्रत्यक्ष माहिती मिळवली.

दि. १ मार्च २०१९ रोजी ग्रामीण विकास विभाग प्रमुख डॉ. डी. व्ही. पवार सर यांनी आपल्या महाविद्यालयाच्या प्राचार्य पदाचा कारभार हाती घेतला.

तृतीय वर्ष कला ग्रामीण विकासातील २०१८-१९ वर्षातील विद्यार्थ्यांनी दीक्षांत सभारंभात दि. २२ ऑगस्ट २०१९ रोजी आपल्या महाविद्यालयाच्या मैदानात २२ विद्यार्थ्यांनी सहभाग घेतला.

सृजन महोत्सवा अंतर्गत दिनांक १८ जानेवारी २०२० रोजी ग्रामीण विकास विभागातर्फे एक दिवसीय चर्चासत्र ग्रामीण विकासाची दशा आणि दिशा या विषयावर आयोजित करण्यात आले होते त्यासाठी प्रमुख पाहुणे म्हणून श्री. निकेश आमने पाटील (राज्य समन्वयक, महाराष्ट्र ग्राम सामाजिक परिवर्तन अभियान) यांनी विद्यार्थ्यांना मार्गदर्शन केले.

तृतीय वर्ष ग्रामीण विकास विषयाची शैक्षणिक सहल दि. ४ ते ६ फेब्रुवारी २०२० रोजी आयोजित करण्यात आली होती. या तीन दिवसीय प्रात्यक्षिक शिबिरा दरम्यान विविध ठिकाणी प्रात्यक्षिक भेटी देण्यात

आल्या. प्रात्याक्षिक व अभ्यासक्रमाचा भाग म्हणून कुक्कुटपालन, शेळी व मेंढी पालन, प्राथमिक आरोग्य केंद्र, भात गिरणी, कृषी विज्ञान केंद्राची माहिती तसेच कलमाचे विविध प्रकार व तंत्रज्ञान या विषयी विद्यार्थ्यांनी माहिती मिळवली.

### Individual Achievements

#### Prof. Nitin V. Kharat :

- (1) Presented Paper entitled “कृषी पर्यटनाची व्यथा” in One Day International National Conference on “Nature Resource Based Sustainable Development with Special References to Tribal Community Rights” held on 19th October 2019 jointly organized by Dr. Shantilal Dhanaji Devsey College and Commerce and Science College, Wada. Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) in collaboration with Indian Council of Social Science & Research.
- (2) Participated in SYBA and TYBA Rural Development students’ collaboration activity of faculty exchange for one day for exchanging the resources of both institutions and vice-versa on Monday 9 December 2019 at Rayat Shikshan Sanstha Mahatma Phule Arts, Science and Commerce, Panvel.
- (3) Participated in Annual Extension Activities (Community Work) related to values of National Integration, Secularism, Democracy, Socialism, Humanism, Peace, and Scientific Norms etc. organized by Dept. of Lifelong Learning and Extension, Vidyapeeth Vidyarthi Bhavan, Churchgate held on 30 Jan, 2020.
- (4) Participated in two day workshop on Revised Syllabus of F.Y.B.A. and S.Y.B.A. in subject of Rural Development held on 13th and 14th February 2020 at Gokhale Education Society’s Krishi Vigyan Kendra, Kosbad Hill, Dahanu, Dist. Palghar.

- (5) Participated in the National Symposium on “Intellectual Property Rights: A Prerequisite in Higher Education and Research” jointly organized by Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) and Research Promotion Committee of DES’s Kirti College in association with Navinchandra Mehta Institute of Technology and Development and Smt. Jayashree S. Kothari Business School, Dadar, held on 15th February 2020.
- (6) Presented the Paper entitled “आदिवासी साहित्य आणि पेसा (PESA) कायदा” in One Day Multidisciplinary National Seminar on “Tribal Literature: Nature and Features” held on 25th February 2020 organized by Dept. of Marathi, at Kirti College, Dadar.
- (7) Member of Organizing Committee in One Day Multidisciplinary National Seminar on “Tribal Literature: Nature and Features” held on 25th February 2020 organized by Dept. of Marathi, at Kirti College, Dadar.
- (8) Participated in Election Duty in Presiding Officer, 183 Shivadi Vidhansabha Matadarsangh, Madhyavarti Karyalay N. M. Joshi Marg, Parel held on 20-10-2019, 21-10-2019.
- (9) दिनांक ११, १२, आणि १३ जानेवारी २०२० या तीन दिवसीय कीर्ती महाविद्यालय व रामभाऊ म्हाळगी प्रबोधिनी उत्तन येथे डिजिटल शैक्षणिक साहित्य निर्मिती या कार्यशाळेस सहभाग घेतला.
- (10) दिनांक २४ जानेवारी २०२० रोजी मराठी विभागातर्फे प्रा. मे. पुं. रेगे जयंती आणि मराठी भाषा पंधरवडा या कार्यक्रमात काव्याचे वाचन केले.

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प्राचार्य व ग्रामीण विकास विभाग प्रमुख

## हिंदी

हिंदी साहित्य परिषद का २०१९-२०२० की साहित्यिक गतिविधियाँ प्रथम वर्ष के अगस्त में मार्गदर्शन व्याख्यान से हुई। छात्रों को हिंदी विषय के संदर्भ में जानकारी दी गई। छात्रों ने विषय के संदर्भ में सवाल पूछे गए उनके सवालों के उत्तर दिए और उनके सन्देह को सुलझाने का भरसक प्रयास किया गया। वह संतुष्ट हुए।

‘हिंदी दिवस’ के उपलक्ष्य में १८ जनवरी २०२० को हिंदी अनुवाद पर कार्यशाला का आयोजन किया गया। कार्यक्रम के अध्यक्ष महाविद्यालय के प्राचार्य डॉ. डी. व्ही. पवार सर रहे, प्राचार्य सर ने उपस्थित छात्रों को अपने मन्तव्य में मार्गदर्शन किया और छात्रों में उल्लास का वातावरण तैयार किया।



कार्यक्रम में उपस्थित अतिथी डॉ. बिजयकुमार सामल ने हिंदी इंग्लिश में रोजगार के संभावना और अनुवाद की प्रक्रिया पर अपने विचार व्यक्त किये। साथ ही इंग्लिश विभाग की प्राध्यापिका डॉ. मुंढे मैडम और डॉ. सामल सर ने इंग्लिश-हिंदी कविता का अनुवाद, कार्यक्रम में प्रस्तुत किया गया वह बहुत ही सराहनीय रहा कार्यशाला को सफल बनाने में महत्वपूर्ण योगदान दिया।

जनवरी में ही हिंदी विभाग के द्वारा कहानी कथन के कार्यक्रम का आयोजन किया गया। प्रथम वर्ष, द्वितीय वर्ष और तृतीय वर्षों के छात्रों ने सहभाग लिया तथा स्वःरचित एवं हिंदी लेखकों की कहानिया प्रस्तुत की गई। द्वितीय वर्ष के तथा तृतीय वर्ष के छात्रों ने अन्तरमहाविद्यालयीन विविध हिंदी प्रतियोगिता में हिस्सा लिया है उनमें दिव्या जैसवार, रत्नेश मौर्य, रेणु चलवादी, राहुल जैसवाल और प्रिया गौड़ प्रमुख रहे तथा विभिन्न वेब प्रतियोगिता में भी तृतीय वर्ष के छात्रों ने सहभागिता कर प्रमाण पत्र प्राप्त किये उसमें प्रिया काम्बले, प्रिया गौड़, रेणु चलवादी, राहुल जैसवाल ने महाविद्यालय का प्रतिनिधित्व किया गया।

दयानंद भुबाल

हिंदी विभागाध्यक्ष

शैक्षणिक उपलब्धियाँ २०१९-२०२०

(१) महाराष्ट्र राज्य हिंदी साहित्य अकादमी 'वैश्विक हिंदी साहित्य' सम्मेलन में अतिथि के रूप में आमंत्रित तिथी ११ जनवरी

२०२०, स्थान मुंबई, अतिथि के रूप में अपना मन्तव्य प्रस्तुत किया।

- (२) तृतीय वर्ष वाणिज्य के पाठ्यक्रम में मुंबई विश्वविद्यालय के द्वारा सदस्य के रूप में नियुक्ति तिथी २५ फरवरी २०२०.
- (३) २९ एप्रिल २०२० कॉलेज आयोजित वेबिनार में सहभागिता।
- (४) १३ मई २०२० सेंट एंड्रज कॉलेज आयोजित वेबिनार में सहभागिता।
- (५) १८ मई २०२० कीर्ति कॉलेज आयोजित वेबिनार में सहभागिता।
- (६) १८ मई २०२० रुईया कॉलेज आयोजित अन्तर राष्ट्रीय वेबिनार में सहभागिता एवं अपने विचार प्रस्तुत किए।
- (७) २० मई २०२० कीर्ति कॉलेज आयोजित 'क्लास रूम टू वेबरूम' कार्यशाला में सहभागिता।
- (८) २० मई २०२० से २२ मई २०२०, खालसा कॉलेज आयोजित 'Virtual Teachers Training' कार्यशाला में सहभागिता।
- (९) ३० मई २०२० से ०३ जून २०२०, ज्ञानसाधना कॉलेज आयोजित 'Offline to Online Teaching' कार्यशाला में सहभागिता।

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## मराठी वाङ्मय

दरवर्षीप्रमाणे महाविद्यालयात मराठी वाङ्मय मंडळाची स्थापना करून महाविद्यालयाच्या मराठी विभागाने छत्रपती शाहू महाराज जयंतीचा कार्यक्रम मोठ्या उत्साहाने साजरा केला. मा. प्राचार्य डॉ. डी. व्ही पवार यांनी छत्रपती शाहू महाराज प्रतिमेस पुष्पहार अर्पण केला.

तसेच ५ जुलै गुरुपौर्णिमा निमित्त मराठी विभागातील विद्यार्थ्यांनी महाविद्यालयातील सर्व मान्यवर प्राध्यापकांना पुष्पगुच्छ तसेच गुलाबपुष्प देऊन त्यांचा गौरव केला.

आषाढ्स प्रथम दिवस 'महाकवी कालिदास दिवस' महाविद्यालयात साजरा केला. प्रमुख पाहुणे म्हणून डॉ. वाघमारे, माजी शिक्षणाधिकारी हे होते. त्यांनी महाविद्यालयाचे सन्माननीय प्राचार्य डॉ. डी. व्ही. पवार विद्यार्थ्यांना मोलाचे मार्गदर्शन केले तसेच हिंदी विभाग प्रमुख डॉ. दयानंद भुबाल सर यांनी महाकवी कालिदास यांचे जीवनविषयी सखोल मार्गदर्शन केले.

तसेच १ ऑगस्ट रोजी मराठी विभाग अण्णाभाऊ साठे जयंती निमित्त आणि लोकमान्य टिळक यांच्या जयंती निमित्त प्रा. नितीन खरात आणि प्रा. जयंत वानखेडे यांनी विद्यार्थ्यांना दोन्ही महान व्यक्तींची माहिती कथन केली.

१० ऑक्टोबर रोजी मराठी विभागात जागतिक विद्यार्थी दिन आणि वाचन प्रेरणा दिवस, भारतरत्न डॉ. अब्दुल कलाम जयंती निमित्त साजरा करण्यात आला. टी. वाय. बी. ए. च्या माजी विद्यार्थ्यांचा सत्कार करण्यात आला.

तसेच मराठी विभागातील विद्यार्थ्यांना करिअर/नोकरी मार्गदर्शन करण्यासाठी लायन्स क्लबचे काही प्रतिनिधी आले होते त्यांनी विद्यार्थ्यांना योग्य असे मार्गदर्शन केले.

मराठी भाषा दिनानिमित्त मराठी विभागाने विद्यार्थ्यांसाठी निबंध स्पर्धेचे आयोजन केले होते. यासाठी प्रमुख पाहुणे डॉ. रोहिदाससर हे होते. त्यांनी

आपल्या कविता सादर केल्या तसेच प्राचार्य डि. व्ही. पवार सर यांनी कुसुमाग्रज आणि मराठी भाषा याबद्दल मार्गदर्शन केले.

महाविद्यालयातील मराठी विभागाने 'आदिवासी साहित्य स्वरूप आणि वैशिष्ट्ये' या विषयावर राष्ट्रीय परिसंवाद आयोजित केला होता. यात अनेक मान्यवर वक्ते लाभले होते. आदिवासी साहित्य जागतिकीकरण आदिवासींच्या समस्या अशा अनेक विषयावर मार्गदर्शन केले. या चर्चासत्रात विद्यार्थी, प्राध्यापक आणि इतर महाविद्यालयातील प्राध्यापक असे ५० जण सामिल झाले होते.

वरील सर्व कार्यक्रमासाठी महाविद्यालयातील प्राध्यापकांनी

मला सर्वतोपरी मदत आणि मार्गदर्शन केले. त्यामध्ये डॉ. मॅथ्यू सॅम्युवेल, डॉ. कवडे, डॉ. हर्षद भोसले, डॉ. बापूसाहेब कांबळे, प्रा. यशवंत भोरकडे, मृणालिनी चव्हाण, डॉ. रेखा चव्हाटे तसेच मराठी विभागातील प्रा. राजाराम थोरबोले, प्रा. माने, प्रा. सोनाली पाटील यांनी सहकार्य केले.

तसेच अर्थशास्त्र विभागाच्या डॉ. प्रा. शुभश्री यांनी राष्ट्रीय चर्चासत्रासाठी मोलाचे सहकार्य केले. त्या सर्व मान्यवर प्राध्यापकांचे व्यक्तिशः आभार मानतो.

प्रा. सुभाष अडावतकर

मराठी विभाग प्रमुख

## Cultural Department

Participating in cultural activities and organizing cultural events build your confidence, groom your personality and also make you a better human being. These activities teach us the values of team spirit and co-operation that help us in building our character and developing leadership quality. In order to chalk out plans for various activities and events for the academic year 2019-20, the Cultural Committee conducted several meetings with the Principal and students and accordingly the tasks were distributed among committee members. Students and volunteers for cultural activities were selected through auditions from 22nd July to 25th July, 2019. A team of students looked after coordination with different stakeholders and execution of mutually agreed plans and programmes. A brief account of activities organized by Cultural Department in the academic year 2019-2020 is as follow:

- (1) **Organized Stand - Up Comedy Competition** for Mumbai Division to commemorate P. L. Deshpande Jayanti Shatabdi Mahotsav in collaboration with Department of Culture, Government of Maharashtra at Kirti College on 20th July 2019.
- (2) In order to prepare students for Indian National Theatre competition, the department organized a Three days workshop on dramatics on 2nd, 3rd and 5th August 2019. Well known director Shri Sammer Surve interacted with the students and discussed intrinsic aspects of acting and drama.
- (3) Cultural department also collaborated with Library

department, Kirti College and 181, Mahim Assembly Constituency for organizing intra class elocution competition on "Voters' Awareness" on 7th August 2019. The voters' awareness drive was an initiative by Maharashtra State Election Commission. Sakshi Andhare(TYBA History), Chinmay Patil and Rahul Lokhande(TYBA Political Science) won 1st, 2nd and 3rd prize respectively.

- (4) **52nd Youth Festival:** Mumbai University organizes Youth Festival every year wherein students from more than 900 affiliated colleges participate. This year four students from our college Sakshi Andhare(TYBA History), Archita Khade (FYBSc), Pranav Kand (TYBAF) and Vishveshwar Devrukhkar(TYBAF) won at Zonal I and participated at final round of elocution and debate competition.
- (5) Overall Championship Trophy at "SEA-TOWN" cultural festival: Our students won first Overall Championship Trophy of the year at Lala College Inter-collegiate Cultural Festival "SEA-TOWN" in which students from 53 colleges participated in 26 different events on 22nd August 2019. Our students got maximum number of prizes in all categories and lifted the Trophy. In the year 2018-19 we won 3rd Prize at the same event. This trophy was a milestone for the students of Cultural department as it gave them confidence and encouraged them to participate at and organize events of similar magnitude.
- (6) **Indian National Theatre(INT) Competition:** INT is a very challenging and prestigious competition



for events like One Act Play. Our one act play was "Thaska" which was directed by Nilesh Ghosavi, Rohit Khude and Prashant Keni. The play was written by Chaitanya Sardeshpande. It was choreographed by Siddhesh Nandlaskar and the music was given by Rushikesh Murkar. Omkar Mangesh Raut, Dhiraj Balaram Kamble, Nupur Gopalkrushna Rane, Trushantu Babu Bobde, Vrushali Anant Walanj played the various characters. Our play "THASKA" qualified in first two rounds and won 3rd Prize at the final round of INT competition held on 4th Oct.2019. Besides, our students won following individual prizes:

- (1) Dhiraj Balaram Kamble - Best Comic Actor
- (2) Omkar Mangesh Raut - Best Actor (Consolation)
- (3) Siddhesh Nandlaskar - Best Choreography and Lighting

Our one act play 'Thaska' also won several prizes at different inter-collegiate competitions.

(a) 2nd Prize at "Spandan" Inter-collegiate Competition organized by Patkar college, Mumbai. The individual prizes are;

1. Trushantu Babu Bobde - Best Actor (second)
2. Vrushali Anant Walanj - Best Actress (second)
3. Dhiraj Balaram Kamble - Best Actor (Consolation)

(b) 3rd Prize at "Muranjan", Inter-collegiate Competition organized by Sydenham College, Mumbai. The individual prizes are:

1. Best Actor - Omkar Raut
2. Best Music- Rushikesh Murkar
3. Best Choreography- Siddhesh Nandlaskar

(c) Our college also participated at "Rangvardhan", Inter-collegiate competition organized by VJTI College, Mumbai. The prizes won are :

1. Dhiraj Balaram Kamble - Best Actor (Consolation)
2. Nupur Gopalkrushna Rane- Best Actress (Consolation)

3. Rushikesh Murkar-Best Music

(7) **"Antarang 2019" Kirti College Inter-collegiate Cultural Festival :**

This event has created a niche for our cultural activities in the city of Mumbai and will be a benchmark for similar events in future. The core committee of student volunteers convinced the Principal, office bearers and Cultural Committee through various meetings and was granted permission to organize Antarang 2019. The core committee under the guidance of Principal and Cultural Committee coordinated with different stakeholders and executed the plans meticulously. The event was organized on 9th and 10th December, 2019. The inaugural function was Chaired by our Principal Dr. D.V.Pawar and the chief guest was a young and critically acclaimed well known cine actor Mr. Prithvik Pratap, alumnus of Kirti College. Mr. Pratap was able to connect well with the youth and shared his own experience with them. In all 573 students from 34 colleges participated in 20 different events and 10 colleges participated in all events for over all championship. The event was organized at Kirti College on 9th December and was concluded at Veer Savarkar Smarak Auditorium, Shivaji Park on 10th December 2019. Podar College, Matunga lifted the overall championship trophy. This has been a great learning experience for all of us. Students showed their leadership skills, character, commitment and worked relentlessly to make this inter-collegiate cultural festival a grand success. About 150 students volunteered for this mega event. These volunteers worked with core committee of students led by Rushikesh More (CL), Samruddhi Nagvekar (ACL), Akansha Jadhav, Samidha Mahadik, Chetan Ghuge and Joy Rumade.

(8) Overall Championship Trophy at "MAHARASHTRATSAV", Elphinstone College Inter-Collegiate Cultural Festival: Our students won this Overall Championship Trophy organized by Elphinstone College Mumbai on 9th January 2020.

(9) Overall Championship Trophy at "PRARAMBH", Hinduja College Inter-Collegiate Cultural Festival: Our students won this Overall Championship Trophy organized by Hinduja College Mumbai on 2nd February 2020.

- (10) Overall Championship Trophy at "SAHYADRI", Inter-Collegiate Cultural Festival of Marathi Vaangmay Department, Lala College on 20th February 2020.

Besides these activities, cultural department also organized its annual intra-college cultural festival Antarang for our own students. More than 400 students participated in various activities over a period of a week in December 2019. Degree and Junior college teachers have been a great support for us besides our volunteers. Prof. Prajakta Ajgaonkar, cultural in-charge, Junior college and her committee members extended full support and cooperation to make this events successful.

I am grateful to our respected Principal, Dr. D.V.Pawar for his leadership, guidance and support. I have also got tremendous support from our management, all office bearers, IQAC, teacher colleagues and non-teaching staff. I am indebted to members of Cultural Committee for extending their wholehearted cooperation and timely suggestions. The Cultural Committee Members are: Dr. M. S. Jog, Dr. (Mrs) U.S Sarkar, Dr. H K Bhosale, Dr. Minal Mapuskar, Prof. Prashant Ghorpade and Prof. Meenal Ambavane.

I would sincerely like to place on record my special appreciation for the students of cultural department for their unconditional and relentless efforts in planning and organizing various events. I would also like to make a mention of Rushi More and his core committee members Samruddhi Nagvekar, Samidha Mahadik, Akanksha Jadhav, Chetan Ghuge and Joy Rumade for their commitment and leadership skills. These students have led from the front and other volunteers have supported them wholeheartedly. With Four Overall Championship in different inter-collegiate competitions, 3rd Prize at INT competition, Prizes at Zonal level of Mumbai University Youth Festival and finally organizing a grand two day inter-collegiate cultural festival- Antarang-2019, the journey has begun. I am reminded of these famous lines by Robert Frost:

*Woods are lovely dark and deep,  
But I have promises to keep  
And Miles to go before I sleep,  
And Miles to go before I sleep*

**Chandra Mohan Joshi**  
In-charge, Cultural Committee

## Accountancy

In the academic year 2019-20, the academic and other activities were conducted by various departments under "Srujan Festival 2019". As part of this festival the departments of Commerce and Accountancy jointly with Vast Vocational Training Institute, Mumbai organized a Career Seminar on "Media and Entertainment Industry (Animation, VFX Gaming, Web & Graphics Design)" on 28th Aug. 2019. Mr. Raghvendra Patel was the Speaker from Vast Vocational Training Institute, Mumbai. He focused on the job opportunities in the film industry relating to Animation, VFX Gaming and Web & Graphics Design. The students of FY, SY and T.Y.B.Com.attended.

Depts. of Economics, Commerce and Accountancy jointly organized a Guest Lecture on the topic "PRESENT ECONOMIC CRISIS IN INDIA" on 18th Jan. 2020 on the occasion of SRUJAN FEST 2019-20. Prof. Dr. Sangeeta Pawar was the Speaker from University of Mumbai. She guided and enlightened

the students of Arts and Commerce with her valuable words.

### INDIVIDUAL ACTIVITIES:

#### (1) Prof. Y. S. Bhorkade

- (1) Co-authored a Text Book on the subject "Accountancy and Financial Management" for FYBCom Sem-I (ISBN - 978-93-87877-39-9) and Sem-II (ISBN - 978-93-89284-32-4) published by Sheth Publishers Pvt. Ltd. during the academic year 2019-20.
- (2) Participated in One Day Workshop on "Revised Paper Pattern of B.Com (Accountancy)" organized by V.P.M's R. Z. Shah College of Arts, Science & Commerce IQAC & Dept. of Accountancy in collaboration with Board of Studies in Accountancy, University of Mumbai on 23rd August, 2019.



- (3) Participated in the Faculty Development Programme on the theme "Teaching and Learning" organized by Deccan Education Society at Brihan Maharashtra College of Commerce, Pune on 9th – 11th Nov, 2019.
  - (4) Participated in Two Days Workshop on "E-Content Audio Video Workshop" jointly organized by D.E.S's Kirti College, Dadar and Rambhau Mhalgi Prabodhini, Uttan, on 11th and 12th Jan, 2020.
  - (5) Participated in One Day National Symposium on "Intellectual Property Rights: A Prerequisite in Higher Education and Research" jointly organized by IQAC and Research Promotion Committee of Kirti College in association with Navinchandra Mehta Institute of Technology & Development and Smt. Jayshree Kothari Business School, Dadar (W), Mumbai- 28 on 15th Feb. 2020.
  - (6) Participated in One Day Multidisciplinary National Seminar on "TRIBAL LITERATURE: NATURE AND FEATURES" organized by Dept. of Marathi, Kirti College, Dadar- 28 on 25th Feb. 2020.
  - (7) Participated in Webinar Faculty Development Programme on "Robotics Process Automation: A tool of Business Growth" by Dr. R. K. Tailor (Resource Person) organized by Indian Accounting Association, Thane Branch on 19th April 2020.
  - (8) Attended a National Online Seminar on "Creation of MOOCs" organized by IQAC, Kirti College, Dadar, Mumbai - 28 on 27th April 2020
  - (9) Completed 5 Days Faculty Development Programme on "Transition Management for Higher Education during the COVID-19 Pandemic: A Blueprint" organised by the Sydenham Faculty Development Centre under PMMMNMTT, MHRD, New Delhi in association with CSIBER, Kolhapur from 2nd May to 6th May 2020.
  - (10) Attended a College Level Webinar on "Impact of Covid 19 on Global Economy" organized by IQAC, Kirti College on 18th May 2020.
  - (11) Attended a College Level Webinar on "Classroom to Webroom" organized by IQAC, Kirti College on 20th May 2020.
  - (12) Submitted Minor Research Project Report to University of Mumbai on the topic "An Analysis of Financial Performance of State Road Transport Corporation in Maharashtra". The grant was sanctioned for Rs. 25,000 (2018-19) by the University of Mumbai.
  - (13) Worked as a Member of College Development Committee
  - (14) Worked as a Member of following Committees at college level :  
Examination Committee  
Magazine Committee  
Annual Prize Distribution (Discipline Committee)
- (2) Mr. S. G. Pawar**
- (1) Participated in the Faculty Development Programme on the theme "Teaching and Learning" organized by Deccan Education Society at Brihan Maharashtra College of Commerce, Pune on 9th – 11th Nov, 2019.
  - (2) Participated in the Faculty Development Programme on "GST" organized by Western India Regional Council of ICAI, Smt. M. M. K. College of Commerce & Economics and University of Mumbai on 18th Nov, 2019.
  - (3) Participated in five days National Level online Faculty Development Programme on the topic "Emerging Trends and Practices in Accounting & Taxation: Practitioner's Perspective" organized by IQAC & Department of Accountancy Nirmala Memorial Foundation College of Commerce and Science in collaboration with Department of Commerce University of Mumbai, WIRC of ICAI and Vasai Branch of WIRC of ICAI from 9th May 2020 to 13th May 2020.
  - (4) Participated in three days International Level online Faculty Development Programme on the topic "Research Methodology" organized by Dnyan Ganga Educational Trust's Degree and Junior

College of Arts, Commerce & Science and IAA - Thane Branch from 24th May 2020 to 26th May 2020.

**(3) Mr. D. D. More**

- (1) Participated in the Faculty Development Programme on the theme "Teaching and Learning" organized by Deccan Education Society at Brihan Maharashtra College of Commerce, Pune on 9th – 11th Nov, 2019.
- (2) Participated in the One Day Faculty Development Programme on "Introduction to MOOCs and Swayam" organized by D.T.S.S. College of Law, Malad (E), Mumbai on 8th Dec, 2019.
- (3) Attended a National Online Seminar on "Creation of MOOCs" organized by IQAC, Kirti College, Dadar, Mumbai- 28 on 27th April 2020
- (4) Participated in three days International Level online Faculty Development Programme on the topic "Research Methodology" organized by Dnyan Ganga Educational Trust's Degree and Junior College of Arts, Commerce & Science and IAA - Thane Branch from 24th May 2020 to 26th May 2020.
- (5) Attended an International Online Seminar on "Application of Chankya Niti in Modern Education" organized by Anna Leela College of Commerce & Economics in

association with MUCTA, Kurla, Mumbai – 24, on 12th May, 2020.

**(4) Mr. D. M. Sharma**

- (1) Participated in the Faculty Development Programme on the theme "Teaching and Learning" organized by Deccan Education Society at Brihan Maharashtra College of Commerce, Pune on 9th – 11th Nov, 2019.
- (2) Participated in the Faculty Development Programme on "GST" organized by Western India Regional Council of ICAI, Smt. M. M. K. College of Commerce & Economics and University of Mumbai on 18th Nov, 2019.
- (3) Participated in the One Day Faculty Development Programme on "Introduction to MOOCs and Swayam" organized by D. T. S. S. College of Law, Malad (E), Mumbai on 8th Dec, 2019.
- (4) Attended an Online Seminar on "Atmanirbhar Shikshan Pranali" organized by IQAC, MMK College of Commerce & Economics, Mumbai on 22nd May, 2020
- (5) Attended an Online Seminar on "Intellectual Property Right" organized by L. R. Tiwari College of Arts, Commerce & Science Mira Road - Thane, on 12th May, 2020.

**Prof. Y. S. Bhorkade**  
Head, Dept. of Accountancy

## B.A. in Multimedia and Mass Communication (B.A.M.M.C.)

Annual activities of our department were started with a formal orientation programme held on 13th August 2019. It started with a welcome address followed by PPT presentation showcasing varied activities of our department. The most important thing to highlight is the new nomenclature of our subject. Earlier our subject was known as Bachelor of Mass Media (B. M. M.). Now it has been changed to B. A. in Multimedia and Mass Communication (BAMMC). Dr. Minal Mapuskar, Life Member, D.E.S., gave a brief introduction about various cells, committees and faculties at this orientation programme. Prof. Siddesh Kadam thoroughly briefed the students about the examination pattern. Our Principal Dr. D.

V. Pawar sought attention of the students towards moral attitude and ethical conduct to be maintained in college campus.

1. **KHABRIYA KI DASTAAN** programme was organised by Ketan Vaidya who is an author, journalist and senior media professional on 27th August 2019.
2. **Our FY-BAMMC** students interacted with the news channel 'Zee 24 Taas' during the election period on 19th October 2019.
3. **An effective workshop 'Bridge Course' held for 7 days by Prof. Neeraj Kumar and Prof. Yamini Mathur on 22nd October 2019.**



#### 4. Public Relations Project Report

We the students of SY BA-MMC conducted group project on various social causes on 12th December 2019. The social causes we worked on were:

1. Domestic Violence.
2. Quit Smoking.
3. Don't Drink and Drive.
4. Environment.
5. Adoption.
6. Organ Donation.
7. Female Foeticide and Infanticide

This project was an eye opener, since it helped us to communicate with different segments of the society and also understand the problems, mind sets and challenges faced by them. To make this project more relevant we sold merchandise with our respective logos engraved on it and the proceeds collected from it was given to an NGO.

Bearing that in mind we zeroed in on Shradhanand Mahilashram located in Matunga. We plan to donate the money of Rs 18,750/- to the organization.

- Cost of one bag 7/-
- Printing cost 5/-
- Total bags ordered : 1750.
- Total bags cost : 12,250/-
- Printing cost : 8,750/-
- Total cost :  $8,750 + 12,250 = 21,000$
- Total money collected : 35,000
- Final Profit :  $35,000 - 21,000 = 14,000$

The students also contributed towards the noble cause.

Prof Neeraj Kumar and Prof. Yamini Mathur also actively participated in this generous cause.

#### 6. Alumni Meet 2020

**Date :** 22nd February 2020

- The alumni meet was conducted in order to reconnect with the Alumni and celebrate their success and various achievements.
- The Alumni meet was arranged for all the students from the batch of year 1954 to 2019.
- There were total 6 groups. Every group had teacher in charge and group coordinator and 8 volunteers.

Our Principal Dr. D. V. Pawar thanked all our ex-students for sparing their time to attend this meet and making it very special and memorable one.

**7. Resume Writing :** Interview Workshop organized by Career Counselling Cell

**Date :** 24th February, 28th February 2020

**Venue :** E classroom JSKBS building

**Guest :** Shrikant Mulik

Through this workshop all the students were able to understand the importance of resume. Some very important techniques were shared by the resource. Everything was possible only because of Shrikant Mulik Sir who is a social entrepreneur, digital business consultant.

On 28th February 2020 students learnt how to give an impactful interview. Shri. Atul Vaze Sir was invited as a resource person for this programme.

- He shared 9 interview techniques.
- Vaze Sir took some interviews of the students where they learnt following points –
- Understanding body language
- Golden question
- Deep breathing exercise to relieve stress
- Etiquettes while giving an interview
- Knowledge is power
- Instead of being mechanical, be energetic

Our BAMMC alumni 2011-12 'Ankita Patil' represented India in 'Miss Beauty Universe 2020' pageant. She won the 1st Runner Up prize along with the Best Catwalk and Best Smile titles.

11. Our FY-BAMMC student Mr. Pawan Yadav won Mr. Best Designer Global Entertainment Delhi 2019-20 award and got 6 months' modelling contract.
12. Our ex-student Kishor Poodari (Taxidermist) his struggle story got published in Annual Magazine of Mumbai Veterinary College.
13. Our TY-BAMMC journalism students prepared magazines and newspapers for their internal exam.
14. Our TY-BAMMC journalism students interviewed Mr. Prasad Patil (The resident editor of the 'Asian Age Paper')

**Prof. Niraj Kumar**

**Co-ordinator, Dept. of BAMMC**

## B. Com (Accounting & Finance) B.A.F.

### 1. Orientation Programme

Academic year had begun with the orientation programme. This programme was honoured by the presence of Principal D. V. Pawar and other dignitaries of our college.

FYBAF students and their parents had been invited for this programme. SY & TY BAF students gave a brief information about BAF.

Prof. Chandra Mohan Joshi explained the credit system to all parents and students.

### 2. Nivesh Event

It was a two-day programme conducted on 9th and 10th January 2020.

The theme of the event was 'Investment' in

which we showcased the importance of investment to all the students. The students organized this festival by combining their experience from all other events in which they participated like R. D. National College, Khalsa College, NMITD and other Inter and Intra festivals of Kirti College.

Mr. Mahesh Chavan & Mr. Sanket Korlekar were invited as Chief Guests.

- Mr. Mahesh Chavan who has completed MBA in Finance gave a lecture on 'Developing India' and the need and importance of Investment.
- Mr. Sanket Korlekar, who is an actor, gave a speech about patience and persistence in relation to success.

NIVESH 2020	
Inauguration on 9th January 2020	Programme conducted - Spin to win, Box cricket, Rink football, Casino Royale
10th January 2020	Tug of war, IPL auction, Stockethon, PUBG.

### 3. Participation in Inter-College Events

TYBAF students participated and won at various inter-collegiate events.

They participated along with the cultural department and contributed in securing first prize for our college in the Parambh Festival organized by Hinduja College, Charni Road.

### 4. Report Presentation for Foundation Course

FY BAF students presented the project reports in front of the class on topics such as Human Rights, Swatch Bharat Abhiyan and Drug Abuse.

### 5. PowerPoint Presentation for Business Environment (Commerce) II

FY BAF students prepared presentations on various topics ranging from CSR of companies to social awareness such as Swatch Bharat Abhiyan, Women Empowerment, Human Trafficking and initiatives such as Make in India and the history and evolution of multimedia and entertainment.

The students learned a lot from the diverse and unique topics covered by each presentation.

This program had been honored by Jidnya Madam.

### 6. Personality Development Workshop:

A workshop on personality development was conducted for the students wherein they learned various skills useful for their future endeavors. This lecture was conducted by Prof. Yamini Mathur who is an experienced industry veteran.

### 7. Lecture on Research Methodology & Collection and interpretation of Data for Project work:

A special lecture was conducted by Prof. Krupa Shah who is the Co-ordinator of the BAF dept. of R. D. Shah & National College. The students learnt the importance of data interpretation and important steps of project making.

### 8. Amritsar-Dharamshala-McLeod Ganj Industrial Visit 13th Feb 2020 to 21st Feb 2020.

A 10-day industrial visit was conducted to Amritsar-Dharamshala-McLeod Ganj. Students visited famous places such as The Golden Temple at Amritsar, the HPCA cricket stadium and the Dalai Lama's Monastery and also paper cutting machine production facility centre.

**Prof. Jidnya Patil**  
Co-ordinator, Dept. of BAF



## Bachelor of Management Studies (BMS)

### 1. Orientation & OMT:

The new academic year always begins with an orientation session for the FYBMS batch and their parents, planned and organised by SY and TY students. It began with words of wisdom from our Principal Dr. D. V. Pawar and Incharge SFC, Dr. Seema Sapale. Each year Dr. C. M. Joshi, shares an insight on the choice based credit system of examination pattern as laid down by the University of Mumbai, followed by an academic brief of the course and departmental activities.

After the formal orientation, we conduct a relatively informal, ice breaker and OMT sessions for students of all 3 years. Learning through experience is a philosophy we wish to imbibe at BMS Dept. Therefore, OMT is a unique initiative that imparts various management and life skills amongst the students through interactive, challenging and entertaining games. Random teams were formed and they played following games.

#### Games

1. Snakes
2. Pictography
3. Bellows
4. Blindfolds
5. Relay
6. Attack or Defend

#### Management concepts to be learned through OMT include

- a. Leadership
- b. Participation
- c. Group Development
- d. Planning
- e. Motivation
- f. Verbal and Non-verbal Communication
- g. Analysis
- h. Team Dynamics
- i. Evaluation
- j. Time Management etc.

### 2. Faculty-Student Mentorship Program

We at BMS have been practicing informal mentoring which has been naturally occurring during our sessions in classes and have been supporting students by providing general guidance, support and encouragement in some instances, helping a student learn something new. It has also promoted students' sense of well-being by challenging the negative opinions they may have of themselves and demonstrating that they can have positive opinions about themselves. This informal mentoring had a positive impact on the student.

To make it a more formal one we have initiated the mentorship programme at BMS where we agree to provide support and encouragement to our students (mentees). Role of formal mentorship program at BMS is based on the students' age and needs. A team of faculty cum student mentors has been devised at BMS, which the other students can approach for any academic difficulties or guidance likes notes, books, career or job prospects etc.

Overall monitoring is to be done by 3 faculty mentors - Priyanka Jinagouda, Sreejai Srikant and Dikshit Kothari

### 3. Beyond Walls

We have always encouraged students to learn through participation and observation by attending various seminars, conferences and events hosted beyond our college walls.

### 4. Group Presentations

Students across all the three years participate in the presentation sessions held each year. This year random groups were formed and following topics were given to them. They then presented their work before the judges as per following chart

Batch	Topic	Judges
FYBMS	Sectors of Economy	Dr. Kasturi Naik – Asst. Professor DES's NMITD
SYBMS	Inspirational Start Ups	Prof. Neeraj Kumar – Coordinator BMM Dept
TYBMS	B-Plan	Prof. Jidyana Patil – Coordinator BAF Dept

## 5. WORKSHOPS

We invited our alumnus Ms. Soniya Gawde to address our students on the topic:

Emotional Intelligence and its growing importance in corporate today.

Ms. Soniya conducted an effective session on Emotional intelligence, and emphasised on how it allows you to understand and manage your emotions in order to self-motivate and to create positive social interactions.

Taking the first step in realizing ones true potential, students were divided into various groups. Activities like group games were conducted and various skills were introduced such as :

- Social skills
  - How to attain goals
  - How to make realistic plan
  - How to achieve targets
6. Innovative teaching and class activities for experiential learning
- Documentary screening to learn production & TQM
  - Field survey for Retail management: Students were asked to visit departmental store/supermarkets/hypermarkets and conduct an observation based survey in terms of assortment, visual merchandising, in store communication, service level etc. Students were asked to share their live location for an hour on WhatsApp to the faculty to ensure their presence in store for the survey.
7. We collaborated with Tech Mahindra Foundation for their CSR internship opportunity for the students of BMS, which was also extended to the other departments of SFC. 35 students were selected for this internship.
8. Maha-Walkathon was organised by Govt. of Maharashtra, CSR Diary, CASI Global, NCC Girls unit & Dept. of BMS. It has also set a Guinness Book of World Records this year for conducting simultaneous walkathons at 1000+ locations across Maharashtra on 30th Nov 2019 at 8am.

## 9. Beach Clean Up Drive

As a part of our pre-event (Ekyam) social activity, we collaborated with Indian Oil Corporation Ltd. in conducting a beach clean up drive at Versova beach which was also joined by celebrities such as Bhumi Pednekar and Karanveer Bohra.

## 10. Industrial Visit to ONGC

**Venue:** Dehradun, Uttarakhand

**Date:** 17th Feb 2020

An industrial visit each year provides a great insight to students through actual experience into the functioning of various industries. This year a visit to Uttarakhand region was arranged. Post the industrial visit, students also visited Nainital, Mussorie and Jim Corbett National Park.

11. **Food for thought:** A WhatsApp group was created on 23rd August 2019 where abstracts/ reviews of articles is posted every 10 days from Journals, HBRs, research reports etc. This group started with 37 participants and is growing daily and has 100+ participants as. Multiple topics have been posted as of now. To list a few of them

- Hybrid SWOT analysis
- How do leaders delegate successfully
- When teamwork is good & when it isn't
- Should you always exhibit proactiveness
- Choosing the right job
- Will artificial intelligence (machine cognition) lead to unused human cognition:

Some topics are then taken as an open-ended discussion on group, where participants pour in their view points.

## 12. Ekyam: One for all, All for one

We had cultural, sports & management events conducted at this fest on 13th & 14th January 2020, where participants from over 30 colleges had gathered. We also saw a huge response from the students of Kirti College.

For the departmental event 'Ekyam' following activities are carried out differently.

- Ekyam website was prepared in house by TYBMS students, as they study digital marketing and social media marketing. They have also maintained a very active Facebook and Instagram handle.



<http://www.ekyam.in/>

<https://www.facebook.com/pg/Ekyam2020/posts/>

<https://www.instagram.com/ekyamm/?igshid=amzjy5g13xj7>

- Students are learning the process to call for quotations and are preparing a comparison dossier of various quotations received for
  - i. T-shirts
  - ii. Flex
  - iii. Certificates and other collaterals
  - iv. Audio & Stage set up etc
- The pitch for sponsorship is also being conducted as sales pitch is done in corporate.
- We also prepared a KPI (Key performance indicator) chart for event heads. The HR students have prepared a well researched KPI chart, but

we plan to implement it next year onwards.

- The preparation and planning for such events, brings out a lot of team spirit and leadership qualities in the students.
13. We believe that learning should not stop even with the constraints laid down by the pandemic situation. So following virtual Guest Lectures were also conducted on zoom / MS-teams during lockdown
- Mohd. Nashit Quazi, Staffing Lead, Thoughtworks India
    - ◆ Professional journey (FY, SY & TY)
  - Mandar Vaze, Strategic Purchase Manager, Thermax India.
    - ◆ Economic Implications of Covid (FY,SY&TY)

**Prof. Priyanka Jinagouda**  
Head, Dept. of B. M. S.

## Biotechnology

### Guest Lecture

Our Department had conducted a Guest Lecture on 30 August 2019 for FY, SY and TY students of Biotechnology. Dr. Manjiri Bhalkar gave a talk on the topic "Immunoglobulin's Therapeutic and Diagnostic Importance". The overall session was very informative and helped students to understand deep knowledge about Immunology, Immunoglobulins and their Diagnostic Importance.

### Srujan 2019 – Academic Activities

Srujan is an academic programme organized by our College, IQAC for the overall skills development of our students. Various activities for students were conducted by our department.

PowerPoint presentation was given by our TY.BSc Biotechnology students on BIOSAFETY AND GLP.

Guest lecture on Organ donation was organised by the Rotary Club of Shivaji park. various doubts, misconceptions, myths regarding organ donation was cleared during the course of interaction.

### Research based pedagogical tool for active learning (poster presentation) by S.Y., F.Y. students.

Poster exhibition was one part of the activity done by students of FY, SY, TY Biotech. Beautiful posters were made by our students spreading the message of Environmental Awareness. The motive behind this activity was to ential tell that the "Raising awareness on the most pressing environmental issues of our time. The programme was organized by our students under the guidance of Dr. Smita Jadhav.

### Eminence

Department of Biotechnology had organized an innovative activity "Best out of Waste" in August 2019 which included making of various working models by our students of useful laboratory equipments and other materials required in our Biotech Laboratory. It was a very interesting activity which enhanced active participation of our students.

### Students Participation in various activities

11 students of SY BSc Biotechnology actively participated in "National Science Day" organised by

Department of Biotechnology, Mumbai University.

The students from SY Biotech who participated in "National Science Day" were Akanksha Jadhav, Simran Chalke, Sachin Jadhav, Shubham Sakpal, Hiral Pathak, Vinit Kate, Utkarsha Pisal, Sagar Pukhale, Sayali Rohekar, Sakshi Tannu and Akshay Gajbhiye.

11 students of S.Y. BSc Biotechnology actively participated in various Intra-College Departmental fest like Eminence, Ekyam, Horizon and Kirti Antarang 2019-20.

Among S.Y. students Akanksha Jadhav, Simran Chalke, Sayali More, Sayali Rohekar, Namrata Jadhav, Vinit Kate, Shubham Sakpal, Utkarsha Pisal, Sagar Pukhale and Sakshi Tannu participated in Treasure Hunt organised by CS-IT department of our College.

Students of S. Y. BSc., Biotechnology participated in Competitions organized by our Biotech Department. Among S. Y. students Akanksha Jadhav, Simran Chalke, Sayali More, Sakshi Tannu, Sayali Rohekar, Namrata Jadhav, Sachin Jadhav, Utkarsha Pisal, Sagar Pukhale, Shubham Sakpal and Akshay Gajbhiye participated in Poster making competition in which they made wonderful posters spreading the message of Environmental Awareness.

Students of S.Y. BSc Biotechnology participated in Competitions organized by our Biotech Department.

Among SY students Akanksha Jadhav, Simran Chalke, Sayali More, Sakshi Tannu, Sayali Rohekar, Namrata Jadhav, Sachin Jadhav, Utkarsha Pisal, Sagar Pukhale, Shubham Sakpal and Akshay Gajbhiye participated in Poster making competition in which they made wonderful posters spreading the message of Environmental Awareness. They also participated in "Best out of Waste" Competition organized by our Department.

### **T.Y. BSc. Biotechnology**

Our students of T.Y. Biotech had participated in Aavishkar 2019-2020.

Among T.Y. students, the first group Sannidhi Shetty, Rushikesh Kale, Mayank Jain, Vinit Lalan and Yash Shetty participated and got selected for the second round. They presented the Poster on "Anti-Pediculus humanus capitis and Anti Trichodectes canis activity of Areca catechu and synthesis of products by using

leaf extract of Areca catechu" under the guidance of Prof. Alisha Pimple.

Among T.Y. students, the second group Rucha Mayekar, Nidhi Mhatre, Sunayna Bhondwe, Poonam Madhavi and Pooja Patil also participated in Aavishkar and presented the poster on "Antifungal activity of Datura stramonium fruit extract against Powdery Mildew in Benjamina ficus" under the guidance of Saj Jangam Madam.

TY student Mr. Atish Dongarkar completed an online course on "Career Edge – Knockdown the Lockdown" conducted by TCS iON from 25th May to 11th May 2020.

TY student Miss Sannidhi Shetty attended the Workshop on "Know the Intelligences!" organized by Department of Biotechnology, KC College on 15th May 2020 and also attended webinar "Drug Discovery from Medicinal Plants : An Integrative Approach" held on 16th May 2020 conducted by Department of Botany, KJ Somaiya College, Vidyavihar, Mumbai.

### **Industrial Visit**

The venue of industrial visit for the year 2019-2020 was Sula vineyards at Nasik and Shimla-Kulu-Manali. The students got exposure to various industrial processes through these visits. This initiative by the Department helped them to learn many skills related to their course.

### **TEACHERS' PARTICIPATION**

**Prof. Mrs. Alisha Milind Pimple**

#### **Participation**

- Participated in level 2 of STEM Teacher Training Workshop on Research based Pedagogical Tools (RBPT) held from 17th to 19th January 2019 at Indian Institute of Science Education and Research (IISER), Pune. The workshop was jointly sponsored by Department of Biotechnology (DBT), Government of India.
- Invited as a Judge for Flora Fest 2019 for the events such as Floral Rangoli and Floral Decoration organised by Department of Botany, Kirti M. Doongursee College.
- Contributed a survey based research paper titled "Impact of Covid 19 Pandemic on Sleep" to the collection of research papers by the faculty members of Deccan Education Society.
- Attended interdisciplinary International Conference on Health, Hygiene and Higher



Education on 30th May 2020 and presented a poster and won second prize on IMPACT OF COVID19 PANDEMIC ON CHILD AND THEIR PSCHOLOGY.

- Participated in the online International Conference on Biodiversity Conservation and Tourism on 17th May 2020 and presented a poster on IMPACT OF CLIMATE CHANGE ON BIODIVERSITY OF HONEY BEES.

**(2) Prof. Ankita Milind Raul**

**Participation**

- Attended interdisciplinary International Conference on Health, Hygiene and Higher Education on 30th May 2020 presented a poster and won second prize on IMPACT OF COVID19 PANDEMIC ON CHILD AND THEIR PSCHOLOGY.
- Contributed a survey based research paper project titled "Impact of Covid 19 Pandemic on Sleep" to the collection of research papers by the faculty members of Deccan Education Society.
- Worked as an Interviewer for Dr. Homi Bhabha Bal Vaidnyanik Competition held on 16th February 2020.

**(3) Prof. Pooja Pravin Kamble**

**Participation**

- Cleared MU-PET (Ph.D Entrance Test on 31st Jan 2019.)

- Participated in four days training programme on Laboratory Management and Internal Audit as per ISO/IEC17025:2017 at Fergusson College, Pune from 17th-20th December 2019.
- Worked as a judge for INGENIOUS (SCIENCE MODEL) interschool competition at Chhabildas School in September 2019.
- Worked as an Evaluator for Padma Bhushan Tarabai Modak Balvaidnyanik Puraskar at Shishu Vihar Vidya Mandir in January 2020.
- Participated in the online International Conference on Biodiversity Conservation and Tourism on 17th May 2020 and presented a poster on IMPACT OF CLIMATE CHANGE ON BIODIVERSITY OF HONEY BEES.
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**Prof. Mrs. Alisha Milind Pimple**  
**Co-ordinator, Biotechnology**

## Botany

- **Parents-Teachers Meeting:** The Parents- Teachers Meet for T.Y.B.Sc. Botany students was organized on 27/07/2019. Staff members discussed in length about the departmental working system. Dr. Mrs. U. S. Sarkar briefly discussed in length about the excursions and fieldwork which is an important part of the course content. Dr. S. P. Jadhav briefed about the Project Work & Organoleptic tests. Dr. P. C. Thomas and Dr. Mrs. M. A. Bodele made them aware about the importance of discipline, planning of work during the course and the test series related with examinations. Mrs. Harshala Desai, Mr. Surendra Sawardekar

and Ms. Ankita Raul were also present for the parents' meeting.

- **Celebration of Gurupournima :** The students of Botany organized a wonderful PPT on comparison of teachers with plants as a tribute to their teachers on the auspicious occasion of Gurupournima. This program was inaugurated by watering plants as plants are considered as first Guru for Botany students on 16 /07/2019.
  - **'Daffodils' Botany Association 2019 – Academic Activities :**
1. Under the Research motivation program for

students – Competition of student's seminar of T.Y.B.Sc on medicinal plants was held on 26/08/2019.

2. Competition on flower arrangements, floral rangoli, fruit and vegetable carving for all Botany students was held on 29/08/2019.
3. Display of poster competition and books exhibition of departmental library was organized. Students of F.Y.B.Sc and S.Y.B.Sc. participated in this event held on 28th Sept. 2019.

- **SRUJAN activity** : To introduce scientific and innovative "Soilless technology of plant cultivation – Workshop on "Soilless technology – Hydroponics" was organized on 17/01/2020 at 9.00 which was followed by PPT presentation.
- **Research motivation** : We Motivated our F.Y.BSc student to participate in research activities under the guidance of teacher Mr. Surendra Ramesh Sawardekar.

**Our Students Mr. Nishant Sarmalkar presented two papers at National Level conferences details are as follows.**

Research Scholar	Paper title	Presentation/ Participation	Level	Date & Place
Nishant Sarmalkar	'Analysis of Sulphates Estimation of Water Sample from the Wetlands of Maharashtra Nature Park'	Presentation and Participation	14th Annual National Conference on Wetlands and Biodiversity	1st Feb.2020. D. G. Ruparel College, Matunga
	Phytoremediation of Maharashtra Nature Park - Wetland Water Resource by <i>Eichhornia carssipes</i>	Presentation and Participation	National Conference	26th Feb.2020. Dept. of Biotechnology, University of Mumbai

- **Excursions/Field Work/Exhibitions:**
  1. Excursion to Palasdhari Khopoli – F.Y.B.Sc – 22nd August 2019.
  2. Excursion to Palghar – S.Y.B.Sc – August 2019.
  3. Excursion to Sula Vineyards, Nasik – T.Y.B.Sc – 4th December 2019.
  4. Excursion to Alibag – S.Y.B.Sc and T.Y.B.Sc – 27-28th Jan. 2020
  5. Excursion to 'Nisarg' nursery, Vangani – F.Y.BSc – 22nd Jan. 2020
- **Faculty development program attended by the Teachers**

Seminar/Conference/ Workshop/Symposia	Name/Title	Name of the funding agency	Oral/Poster Presentation	Level : University/ State/ National/ International
<b>Dr. Sathe V. P.</b>				
Webinar – 7th may 20	Cybercrime during corona virus era; its prevention and protection	Mithibai College, Vile Parle.	Participation	National



Botany Colloquium – 17th May, 2020	Role of Plants in Industry	Dept. of Botany & IQAC – Thakur College of Science & Commerce.	Participation	College
Webinar – 18th May 20	Impact of Covid 19 on Global economy	IQAC – Kirti College	Participation	College
Webinar – 20th May 20	Classroom to webroom	IQAC – Kirti College	Participation	College
Online Workshop – 26th-27th May 20	Experiential teaching with diverse tools	IQAC – Maharshi Dayanand College, Parel.	Participation	College
<b>Dr. S. P. Jadhav</b>				
Workshop 7th Jan. 2020	Basics in Plant Taxonomy	S.P.K. College, Sawantwadi	Resource person	Intercollegiate at Sindhudurg District Level
E-Conference 24th April 20	Climate change, Mangroves and Sustainable Management	S.P.K. College, Sawantwadi	Participation	International
E-Conference 17th May 20	Biodiversity conservation and Tourism	S. H. Kelkar College, Devgad	Participation	International
E-Conference 30th May 20	Health, hygiene and Higher education	Sant Rawool Mahavidyalaya, Kudal	Participation	International
Conclave 6th July 19	Principal's conclave on Climate change	Fergusson College and climate reality	Participation	Management
Workshop 3/8/19	T.Y.B.Sc. Botany Revised Syllabus	University of Mumbai	Participation	University
<b>Dr. P. C. Thomas</b>				
One-day Workshop 3rd August 2019	T.Y.B.Sc. Botany Revised Syllabus 2019-20	Dept. of Botany, M. D. College, Parel in collaboration with BOS in Botany, Mumbai University.	Participation	University
Symposium Feb. 2020	15th Intellectual Property Rights: A Prerequisite in Higher Education and Research.	IQAC & RPC of Kirti College, Dadar.	Participation	National

Webinar – 29th & 30th April, 2020	Introduction to Research Design: From Theory to Practical.	Elphinstone College, Mumbai.	Participation	University
Botany Webinar – 9th May, 2020.	Plant Derived Smoke Compounds as Biostimulants.	KLE Society's Scince & Commerce College.	Participation	International
Online Workshop – 10th May, 2020	The Manufacture & User Overview of Autoclave.	R.D. & S.H National College, Bandra.	Participation	College
Webinar – 11th May, 2020	Technological Uses of Fungi: Some Modern Approaches.	Mycological Society of India – Mumbai Unit.	Participation	National
Webinar – 12th May, 2020	Role of Industry in Development of Academics	K. J. Somaiya College, Vidyavihar.	Participation	College
Botany Colloquium – 17th May, 2020	Role of Plants in Industry	Dept. of Botany & IQAC – Thakur College of Science & Commerce.	Participation	College
Webinar – 18th May, 2020	Wide Spectrum Mycopensticides: Concept to Commercialization.	Mycological Society of India – Mumbai Unit.	Participation	National
Webinar – 18th May, 2020	Impact of Covid-19 on Global Economy	IQAC, Kirti College, Mumbai.	Participation	College
Webinar – 22nd May, 2020	Mangroves & Mangroves Associates: Great Strugglers in Nature.	Dept. of Botany, K. J. Somaiya College, Vidyavihar.	Participation	College
<b>Dr. M. A. Bodele</b>				
Workshop 26th July 2019	Preparing students for future workplace	ICFAI Business School	Participation	College
Webinar 18th May 2020	Wide spectrum micropestisides	Mycological Society of India	Participation	National
Web Webinar – 20th May 2020	Classroom to webroom	Deccan Education Society	Participation	College
Webinar – 22nd May 2020	Mangroves and Mangroves in nature	Somaiya College	Participation	College



<b>Dr. Sarkar U. S.</b>				
Seminar 08/05/2020	"Sustainable Environment Theory & Practice"	Sustainable Development Creation - Pandavas Greempire	Participation	National
Webinar 20/05/2020	Webinar on Classroom to Webroom	IQAC of Kirti College, Dadar	Participation	College
Conference 17/5/2020	"Impact of Mangrove Wetland Diversity" India	Shri S. H. Kelkar College of Arts, Comm. and Science, Devgad	Poster	International
Conference 17/05/2020	"Conceptual study of Biodiversity Conservation" ISBN: 978-93-88901-10-9	Shri Pancham Khemraj Mahavidyalaya, Sawantwadi, (MS). Mangrove Society of & Sahyadri Botanical Society, Kolhapur	Poster	International
<b>Dr. Harshala Desai</b>				
Symposium 15 Feb. 2020	"Intellectual property rights: A prerequisite in higher education & research"	Internal Quality Assurance Cell & Research Committee of DES Kirti College	Participation	National
Workshop	"Environmental awareness quiz"	Nature Club, J. Watumull Sadhubella Girls College	Participated	College
Workshop 11/05/2020	Quiz on 'botany basic'	Sant Ramdas Arts, Science and Commerce Mahavidyalaya	Participated	State Level
<b>Miss. Ankita Raul</b>				
One-day National Online Seminar on 21st May, 2020	Research Writing and Enhancing Visibility	Organised jointly by IQAC & Library, supported by RUSA of Ramnarain Ruia Autonomous College, Mumbai	Participation	National
National Webinar on May 26, 2020	Biodiversity Status in context of COVID-19	Organised by Guru Nanak Khalsa College	Participation	National
<b>Mr. Surendra Sawardekar</b> has participated in various National and International Webinars organized by institutions like RUR Greenlife Pvt. Ltd., K. J. Somaiya College, Pancham Khemraj College, KLE Soc's SC & Comm college Kalamboli, Kirti College, St. Xavier's College, Pandavas Greenpire, G. M. Momin College, Kelkar College, Devgad, Mangrove Society, University & Mumbai, Ruparel College, Jagadamba College				

Conference 1/2/2020	"Importance of Mahim Creek Mangrove - Wetland."	14th Annual National Conference on Wetlands and Biodiversity, held at D. G. Ruparel College of Arts, Science and Commerce.	Poster	National
Conference 1/2/2020	"Analysis of Sulphates Estimation of the Water Sample from Wetlands of Maharashtra Nature Park."	14th Annual National Conference on Wetlands and Biodiversity, held at D. G. Ruparel College of Arts, Science and Commerce.	Poster	National
E-Conference 19-20/5/2020	"Environment Sustainability and Teaching Tools in COVID19 Scenario (ICESTT -2020).	Jagadambha College of Engineering & Technology, Yavatmal Maharashtra, India	Participation	International

**Miss. Vrushali Hadkar attended various webinars organised by renowned institute like** D. G. Ruparel College, Mumbai, St. Xavier's College Mumbai, Shri Pancham Khemraj Mahavidyalaya Sawantwadi, Kirti M. Doongursee College Mumbai, K. J. Somaiya College Vidyavihar Mumbai, KLE Society's Science and Commerce College, Kalamoli, Navi Mumbai, National Centre for Cell Science, MANAV Pune, S. H. Kelkar College of Arts, Commerce and Science Devgad Sindhudurg, Thakur College of Science and Commerce Mumbai, Vidarbha Institute of Science and Humanities Amravati, R. D. National College Bandra, Mumbai, G. N. Khalsa College Mumbai (Autonomous), K. J. Somaiya College of Science and Commerce, Vidyavihar.

**Mr. Suyash Singh participated in various webinars organised by following institutions** Government Vidarbha institute of Science and Humanities Amravati, Centre of Human Excellence Mithibhai College, Dept. of Botany KLE Society's Sci and Comm. College Kalamoli, IQAC S.H. Kelkar College Devgad Sindhudurg, IQAC Smt. Devkiba College of Comm. and Sci. Ahmednagar, IQAC, SIES College, Dept. of Botany, KJ Somaiya College of Sci. and Comm., K. J. Somaiya College of Sci and Comm., B. K. Birla College, IQAC, Kirti M. Doongursee College, IQAC, Ruia College, Dept. of Chemistry, Khalsa College, IQAC, Podar college, Dept. of Botany, K. J. Somaiya college of Sci and Comm., Dept of M.Sc. Nutraceuticals, Khalsa College, Dept. of Bioanalytical Sci, Khalsa College, Dept. of Bioanalytical Sci, KJ Somaiya college of Sci and Comm., IQAC, Bhavans College.

#### PUBLICATIONS OF DEPARTMENT OF BOTANY

Name of the Teacher	Paper title	Presentation/ Participation	Journal Name/ DOI/ Volume and Issue	UGC Sr. No. / ISSN number / Impact factor	Date
<b>Dr. U.S. Sarkar &amp; Sensei Surendra Ramesh Sawardekar (VU3ZAO)</b>	1. Efficacy of <i>Amaranthus tricolor</i> (Red variety) and <i>Amaranthus tricolor</i> (Green variety) by "Analysis of variance"- ANOVA for seeds germination: A useful guide for Agricultural Practitioner – Part 2.	Participation	International journal of Scientific Research DOI:10.15373 Volume: 8 Issue: 6 (2019)	UGC Sr. No. - 49217 2277-8179 Index Copernicus (IC) : 93.98 Impact factor: 4.758	June 2019 Copernicus (IC) : 93.98 Impact factor: 4.758



	2. Study of Organically grown Zea mays L. (Maize/Corn) for its Nutritional Aspect of Iron content.	Participation	International journal of Scientific Research DOI:10.15373 Volume: 8 Issue: 8(2019)	UGC Sr. No. - 49217 2277 - 8179 Index Copernicus (IC) : 93.98 Impact factor:5.711	August 2019
	3. Assessment of Nitrate Reductase Activity in a formulated organic soil media; A Biomaterial (Jaiv-Samvardhan) and Analysis by "Two-Way Anova"	Participation	International journal of Scientific Research DOI: 10.15373 Volume: 8 Issue: 8(2019)	UGC Sr. No. - 49217 2277-8179 Index Copernicus (IC) : 93.98 Impact factor:5.711	UGC Sr. No. - 49217 2277-8179 Index Copernicus (IC) : 93.98 Impact factor: 5.711
	4. Estimation of Total Fats in Sesbania grandiflora L.	Participation	International journal of Scientific Research DOI: 10.15373 Volume: 8 Issue: 11 (2019)	UGC Sr. No. - 49217 2277-8179 Index Copernicus (IC) : 93.98 Impact factor:5.711	Nov.2019
	5. Nutritional Assessment of Protein Content from Organically grown Zea mays L. (Maize / Corn)	Participation	International journal of Scientific Research DOI: 10.15373 Volume: 8 Issue: 11 (2019)	UGC Sr. No. - 49217 2277-8179 Index Copernicus (IC) : 93.98 Impact factor:5.711	Nov.2019
Sensei Surendra Ramesh Sawardekar (VU3ZAO)	6. Extraction of Essential oil from Cymbopogon citratus (Lemon grass) and A comparative Study of Separation Techniques.	Participation	International journal of Scientific Research DOI: 10.15373 Volume: 8 Issue: 6 (2019)	UGC Sr. No. - 49217 2277-8179 Index Copernicus (IC) : 93.98 Impact factor: 4.758	June 2019

	7. Evaluation of Pigments from Cymbopogon citratus (Lemon grass)	Participation	International journal of Scientific Research DOI: 10.15373 Volume: 8 Issue: 8 (2019)	UGC Sr. No. - 49217 2277-8179 Index Copernicus (IC) : 93.98 Impact factor:5.711	August 2019
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#### Teacher's Achievement –

- Mr. Suyash Singh :** Cleared Maharashtra SET exam for the appointment of Assistant Professorship in Degree College.
- Sensei Surendra R. Sawardekar:**
  - Cleared Examination of ASOC and achieved an Amateur Wireless Station License from Government of India, Ministry of Communications and Department of Telecommunications. WPC Wing, New Delhi. Achieved a Call sign of: 'VU3ZAO' for communication overall in India.
  - Selection from India for Advance training in Martial Arts Seminar along with its completion of 3 days training organized in Sri-Lanka (Kandy Dojo) of International level. Training conducted by Kancho Nebuhiro Teruo (Grand master) -10th Dan; Founder of SD-TORNADO, JAPAN in collaboration with GoShiSho Kai Kan Kobudo International, USA. Dated: 28th, 29th, 30th January 2020.

#### Teacher's contribution –

- Dr. Smita Prashant Jadhav :**
  - Worked as an Evaluator for project report, Mumbai district level NCSC on 5th Oct 2019.
  - Worked as an Evaluator for project report, Thane district level NCSC on 6th Oct 2019.
- Mrs. Harshala Desai :**
  - Invited as a Judge for Best Out of Waste in Antarang - Intercollegiate Cultural Festival 2019.
- Miss. Ankita M. Raul:**
  - Worked as an Evaluator for project report, Mumbai district level NCSC on 5th Oct 2019.

- Worked as an Evaluator for oral presentation, Mumbai district level NCSC on 16th Oct 2019.

#### 4. Mr. Suyash Singh :

- Cleared Maharashtra SET exam for the appointment of Assistant Professorship in Degree College.
- Worked as an Evaluator for Project report, Mumbai District Level NCSC on 5th Oct 2019.
- Worked as an Evaluator for Oral presentation, Mumbai District Level NCSC on 16th Oct 2019.

#### 5. Sensei Surendra Ramesh Sawardekar (VU3ZAO):

- Resource person for NSS camp at Durgadevi Saraf Junior College of Arts, Science and Commerce, Malad
- Conducted session on 'Martial Arts'
  - Conducted session on 'Self Defense'
  - Conducted session on Physical fitness and Yoga.
  - Conducted session on 'Disaster Management': Lectures and Practicals on
    - Rescue Methods.
    - General Disaster Management
  - Conducted session on Entrepreneurship development
  - Conducted session on Mass Tree Plantation
    - 2500 seedballs planted in Naigaon Juchandrapada village and in the space of Chamunda temple.
    - 151 saplings of medicinal plants were distributed in Juchandrapada village.

Dr. V. P. Sathe  
Head, Dept. of Botany



## Chemistry

### Demonstrative Lecture

Date : 18th January 2020

The Chemistry department under the banner of SRUJAN the academic festival of our college, organised a demonstrative lecture on the topic -LOW TEMPERATURE EXPERIMENTS WITH LIQUID NITROGEN. The interesting programme was conducted by Mr VIJAY AROLKAR, SCIENTIFIC OFFICER from the prestigious TATA INSTITUTE OF FUNDAMENTAL RESEARCH, 18th January 2020. It was attended by more than 250 students and staff who enjoyed the experimental demonstrations on Effect of Liquid Nitrogen on various substances

#### The interesting experiments included ---

1. Ice Cream making by pouring sugared milk in liquid Nitrogen .
2. Filling a whistling style teapot with liquid nitrogen
3. Little hovercrafts were made by freezing small pieces of chalk in liquid Nitrogen
4. Instant fog was created by pouring some liquid nitrogen into a pot of hot boiling water.
5. Deflation and inflation of a liquid balloon by placing in liquid nitrogen was shown
6. Freezing of banana in liquid nitrogen which becomes as hard as a hammer was demonstrated
7. Liquid nitrogen can also break the petals of flowers like Carnation and Rose when dipped in it which was enjoyed by students.
8. LED changes colour under normal temperature in liquid nitrogen
9. Super conductivity of magnet at low temperature was demonstrated in the programme.

### Visit to Forensic Science Laboratory

Date 7th January 2020

Prof. N. A. Borade, Prof P. B. Shelke, Prof. P. V. Ghorpade along with 85 Students of F.Y.B.Sc, S.Y.B.Sc. and M.Sc. I visited Forensic Science laboratory on 7th January 2020. It was an opportunity to get acquainted with various divisions of Forensic Science

like Narcotics, Brain Mapping, Photography, Ballistics, Forensic Psychology, Toxicology, Prohibition & Excise, DNA Testing, Cyber Forensics, Tape Authentication, M-Section, Physics, Chemistry and Biology sections.

### Dr. S. R. Sapale

Head Of Chemistry Department and Self Finance Courses In-Charge

#### Member of Organizing Committee:

- National Symposium on ' INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHT : A pre-requisite in higher education and research' organized by Internal Quality Assurance Cell and Research promotion committee Kirti M. Doongursee College, Mumbai, on 15th February 2020 .
- One day multidisciplinary seminar on ' Tribal Literature : Nature and Features' organized by Marathi Department, Kirti M. Doongursee College, Mumbai, on 25th February 2020 .  
Details of seminar, conference, workshops, Symposia attended :
- National Symposium on "IPR: A Prerequisite in Higher Education and Research" organised by Deccan Education Society's, Kirti M. Doongursee College, Dadar(W), Mumbai-28, on 15 February 2020.
- University level webinar on 'Modern Medicines: Double Edged Weapon' organised by MUCTA on 22nd April 2020.
- National level webinar on 'Creation of MOOCS' organised by Deccan Education Society's, Kirti M. Doongursee College, Dadar (W), Mumbai-28, on 27th April 2020
- College level webinar on 'Classroom to Webroom' organised by Deccan Education Society's, Kirti M. Doongursee College, Dadar (W), Mumbai-28, on 20th May 2020
- College level webinar on 'Impact of Covid-19 on Global Economy' organised by Deccan Education Society's, Kirti M. Doongursee College, Dadar (W), Mumbai-28, on 18th May 2020
- University level webinar on 'Laboratory Safety

Practices'organised by S.I.E.S. College, Sion, Mumbai on 31st may 2020

Extension work/Community service:

- Election duty was performed as PRESIDING OFFICER in April 2019

#### **Dr. Charuu Kulkarni**

- The most prominent achievement in the academic year 2019-2020 is the second doctorate awarded on 14th October 2019 by Mumbai University. The doctorate is Ph.D in Chemistry on the topic. ISOLATION AND CHEMICAL CHARACTERISATION OF CELLULASES HAVING APPLICATIONS IN FRUIT AND VEGETABLE PROCESSING.
- The first Ph.D in Sociology was awarded by TILAK MAHARASHTRA VIDYAPEETH PUNE in 2009.
- Placement Coordinator for Mumbai Campus in 2019.
- Attended a State level Webinar on 'Dhan ki baat' organized by NMITD and aamhi udyogini on 28th May 2020.
- Attended National level Webinar on 'Voicebot in Bengal for Covid 19 awareness and prevention of fake news Society for data science' on 29th May 2020
- Attended International Webinar on 'Implication of COVID on education sector and the way forward from the lens of climate change and sustainability' organised by DES \*Kirti College and Climate realty project on 17th MAY 2020.
- Participated in International 'ISHA KRIYA Practice for 41 days' organized by ISHA Foundation
- Participated in State level online Breath workshop on 'Meditation and breath' organised by ART OF LIVING from 30th April 2020 to 8th May 2020.
- National level webinar on 'Creation of MOOCS' organized by Deccan Education Society's, Kirti M. Doongursee College, Dadar (W), Mumbai-28, on 27th April 2020.
- College level webinar on 'Impact of Covid-19 on Global Economy' organized by Deccan

Education Society's, Kirti M. Doongursee College, Dadar(W), Mumbai-28, on 18th May 2020

Extension work/Community service:

- Election duty was performed as PRESIDING OFFICER in April 2019

#### **Dr. R. B. KAWDE**

#### **Vice Principal , Kirti College**

#### **Subject Expert-**

- V. C. nominee Subject Expert on the selection committee for appointment of Assistant Professor at Parle Tilak Vidyalaya Associations, Sathaye College, Vile Parle, on 23/08/2019.
- V. C. nominee Subject Expert on Screening cum Evaluation Committee/Selection committee for promotion of teachers from Stage-1 to Stage-2 of N. B. Mehta (Valwada) Science College, Bardi on 16/11/2019.
- V. C. nominee Subject Expert on Screening cum Evaluation Committee/ Selection committee for promotion of teachers from Stage-1 to Stage-2 and Stage-3 to Stage-4 of Smt. C.H.M.College, Ulhasnagar on 21/11/2019.
- V. C. nominee Subject Expert on Screening cum Evaluation Committee/ Selection committee for promotion of teachers from Stage-3 to Stage-4 of Patkar College, Goregaon (W) on 05/12/2019.
- Management nominee Subject Expert on Screening cum Evaluation Committee/ Selection committee for promotion of teachers from Stage-3 to Stage-4 of B. K. Birla College, Kalyan (W) on 05/12/2019.
- V. C. nominee Subject Expert on Screening cum Evaluation Committee/ Selection committee for promotion of teachers from Stage-1 to Stage-2 of Dnyansadhana College, Thane(W) on 08/02/2020.
- Management nominee Subject Expert on Screening cum Evaluation Committee/ Selection committee for promotion of teachers from Stage-1 to Stage-2 of Maharshi Dayanand College, Parel, Mumbai-12 on 17/02/2020.

#### **Seminar participation-**

- National level seminar under IQAC on "Impact on Higher Education in Quality Assurance and Sustenance by Revised Assessment and



Accreditation Process" organised by G.E.Society's Arts, Commerce and Science College, Jawhar, Dist. Palghar on 29th and 30th June 2019.

- National Symposium on "IPR: A Prerequisite in Higher Education and Research" organised by Deccan Education Society's, Kirti M. Doongursee College, Dadar (W), Mumbai-28, on 15 February 2020.
- College level webinar on 'Classroom to Webroom' organised by Deccan Education Society's, Kirti M. Doongursee College, Dadar (W), Mumbai-28, on 20th May 2020
- College level webinar on 'Impact of Covid-19 on Global Economy' organised by Deccan Education Society's, Kirti M. Doongursee College, Dadar(W), Mumbai-28, on 18th May 2020
- National level webinar on 'Creation of MOOCS' organised by Deccan Education Society's, Kirti M. Doongursee College, Dadar (W), Mumbai-28, on 27th April 2020

#### **Extension work/Community service:**

- Election duty was performed as PRESIDING OFFICER in April 2019

#### **Dr. Chetna M. Zaveri**

- Participated in webinar on "Counter the Pandemic through Financial Planning" organised by Department of Banking and Insurance and Department of Financial Markets in association with Financial Planning Academy, organised by KG Joshi college and NG Bedekar college on 7th May 2020; .
- Participated and completed International Faculty Development Programme on "Digital Teaching and Learning Environment" Organized by Pillai college of arts and commerce, Department of B. Com and B. Com (Accounting and Finance) in association with Mumbai University and College Teachers' Association (MUCA) conducted from 11 May, 2020 -13 May, 2020.
- Participated in Short Term Course on Basics of Organic Farming organised by NYA, Tatyasahebatalye, S.R.Sapre & Dadasaheb pitre science college. from May 31 to June 06, 2020 organized by Department of Botany and IQAC,

Athalye-Sapre-Pitre College (Autonomous), Devrukh, Dist: Ratnagiri, Maharashtra.

Extension work/Community service:

- Election duty was performed as PRESIDING OFFICER in April 2019

#### **Dr. Sonawale Sanjay Bhanudas**

##### **Research Publication:**

- "Studies on Eco-friendly Solid Acid Catalysts for the synthesis of 4-Chloro,4'-Hydroxy Benzophenone by Friedel Craft Acylation Reaction". Published in International Journal for Research in Applied Sciences & Engineering Technology (IJRASET), Vol.,8 Issue IV Apr 2020.

##### **Extension work/Community service:**

- Worked on an Election duty as a "ZONAL OFFICER" at 31-South Mumbai Lok Sabha Constituency from 14/04/2019 to 06/05/2019.
- Worked on Election duty as "ZONAL OFFICER" in 187-Coloba Assembly Constituency. from 25/09/2019 to 25/10/2019.

##### **Contribution to College/University/College Administration:**

- Member of Board of Studies in Chemistry University of Mumbai, Mumbai.
- Member of College Development Committee (CDC)

##### **Member of Organizing Committee in National Symposium:**

- National Symposium on 'INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHT: A pre-requisite in higher education and research' organized by Internal Quality Assurance Cell and Research Promotion Committee Kirti M. Doongursee College, Mumbai, on 15th February 2020 .

##### **Details of Seminar, Conference, Workshop, Symposia attended:**

- National Symposium on "IPR: A Prerequisite in Higher Education and Research" organised by Deccan Education Society's, Kirti M. Doongursee College, Dadar(W), Mumbai-28, on 15 February 2020
- National level webinar on 'Creation of MOOCS' organized by Deccan Education Society's, Kirti M. Doongursee College, Dadar(W), Mumbai-28, on 27th April 2020

- College level webinar on 'Classroom to Webroom' organized by Deccan Education Society's, Kirti M. Doongursee College, Dadar(W), Mumbai-28, on 20th May 2020
- College level webinar on 'Impact of Covid-19 on Global Economy' organized by Deccan Education Society's, Kirti M. Doongursee College, Dadar(W), Mumbai-28, on 18th May 2020
- University level webinar on 'Laboratory Safety Practices' organized by S.I.E.S. College, Sion, Mumbai on 31st May 2020.
- College level Webinar on 'How to create the product that matters' organized by Department of Chemistry, K.C. College Churchgate Mumbai on 22nd May 2020.
- Participated in International webinar on 'COVID 19-Impact and Strategies' organized by Department of Chemistry, K.C. College Churchgate Mumbai on 30th April 2020.
- Participated in National Webinar on 'Diagnostic tools in Biopharma, Pharma, & Chemical industries' held from 21st to 23rd May 2020 organized by Department of Chemistry, Guru Nanak Khalsa College of ASC., Matunga Mumbai-400019.
- Participated in National webinar on 'Samkaleen Vaishvik Sanket main Buddha ki Deshana organized by Mahatma Gandhi Antarrashtriya Hindi Vishwavidyalaya, Department of Philosophy & Culture on 7&8th May 2020.
- Participated in one day online seminar on 'Research Writing and Enhancing Visibility' jointly organized by IQAC & Library, Ruia College supported by RUSA.
- Participated in technical Workshop on LC-MS organized by Bioanalytical sciences G.N.Khalsa College of ASC, on 28th May 2020 Matunga Mumbai-400019.
- Participated in National Webinar on 'Winning the new world' organized by J.V.M.s Mehta degree college in collaboration with Gozoop Pvt Ltd on 16th May 2020.
- Participated in e-content development webinar organized by Research Centre for English

language & literature at [www.vishwanathbite.com](http://www.vishwanathbite.com) on 10th April 2020.

#### **Dr. D. V. Patil**

- Submitted the thesis entitled "Deep Eutectic Solvents: An Emerging Generation of Fluids for the Design of Eco-efficient Processes in Catalysis and Organic Synthesis" by the student Mr. Dattatray B. Yedage for the Ph. D. Degree from Mumbai University on 28th August 2019.

#### **Mr. P. B. Shelke**

- Completed online FDP from 03 May 2020 to 03 June 2020 on the topic " Evolution from Offline to Online Teaching" held at Satish Pradhan Dnyanasadhana College, Thane.
- Participated in the seminar and exhibition on "Latest Techniques in Instrumental Analysis" on 14 Dec. 2019 at ICT.
- Participated in the workshop on "Advanced Computer-Aided Drug Design and Computational Biology" on 13-14 July at ICT.
- Participated in State level Conference on " Intellectual Property Rights" on 20 Jan. 2020 at Sathaye College, Mumbai.

#### **Mr. Prashant Vasantao Ghorpade**

- Arranged a one day visit to forensic science laboratory for TY BSc, SY BSc, and FY BSc students.
- Participated in Short Term Course in TLC sponsored workshop on 'Cheminformatics for Chemistry Teachers' organised by Bioinformatics Centre, Savitribai Phule Pune University during the period from 13/01/2020 to 18/01/2020.
- Successfully completed Online Refresher Course In Chemistry For Higher Education with a "A" Grade in the proctored examination held on 16.02.2020.
- Participated in Workshop entitled "Microscale experiments in Volumetric Analysis- Two Burette Method" organized by University of Mumbai sponsored by DBT.
- Completed minor research project titled "SOLVENT AND CATALYST FREE ACYLATION OF ANILINES WITH ACETIC ACID" sponsored by Kirti College.



**Mr. Ankush B. Dalvi**

- Attended Refresher Course in Chemistry at Calicut University, Calicut, Kerala, from 3rd Dec 2019 to 16th Dec 2019
- Attended National level webinar on 'Creation of MOOCS' organized by Deccan Education Society's, Kirti M. Doongursee College, Dadar(W), Mumbai-28, on 27th April 2020.
- College level webinar on 'Common errors in Academic Communication' organized by IQAC, Deccan Education Society's, Kirti M. Doongursee College, on 6th May 2020.
- Worked as judge for intercollegiate festival 'ChemAnand' in the event of "Chempradarshan" at D.G.Ruparel College, Matunga on 29th Jan 2020.
- Worked as Resource person for 'NSS orientation 2019-20' at NSS college of Commerce and Economics on 23rd Aug 2019.
- Attended a online seminar on 'Bloom Taxonomy' at Kirti M. Doongursee college held by IQAC on 29th April 2020
- Election duty was performed as PRESIDING OFFICER in April 2019
- Helped to collect and send flood relief material for Kolhapur flood at college level and university level.
- Donated books for opening a library under university project at NSS adopted village Umroli, Panvel, Raigad
- Worked as NSS program officer for 2019-20

- Worked as NSS Area Coordinator for District Mumbai City under University of Mumbai for 2019-20

**Prof. N. A. Borade**

- Member of College Development Committee
- Worked as a Member of Scrutiny Committee for selection of teachers in Mumbai University.
- Battalion:-Detailed for Pre RDC Camp at Khadavali for 10 Days from 19th August to 28th August 2019, 'B' and 'C' certificate examination were conducted in Kirti College.
- Published a Research paper in Journal Medicinal Chemistry Research ISSN: 1054-2523 (Print) 1554-8120 (Online) with Impact Factor 1.720.
- Published a Book on First Year Practical's in Chemistry SETH PUBLICATION with ISSN No.978-93-89092-94-3.
- Participated in No.of Seminars/Conferences/Workshop -03 No. of Webinars -09

**Mr. Yunus Makandar**

- Attended a college level Webinar on "Impact of Covid-19 on Global Economy conducted by Kirti M. Doongursee College, Dadar, Mumbai on 18 May 2020.
- Attended a college level Webinar on "Classroom to Webroom" conducted by Kirti M. Doongursee College, Dadar, Mumbai held on 20 May 2020.
- Participated in a webinar on "Dhan ki Baat" conducted by DES's Navinchandra Mehta Institute of Technology on 28 May 2020.

**Dr. Seema Sapale**  
Head, Dept. of Chemistry

## Department of Commerce

**"Intelligence is the ability to adopt to change" Dr. Stepher Hawking**

Online education is a form of education delivered & administered using the internet, is becoming popular technology and has changed the nature of education. These facilities can be availed without physically being present at the college or university.

Corsera is one such website that has an agglomeration of utilitarian contents at the click of

button.

MOOC.org (Massive open online courses) is another organization aimed at providing unlimited participation and open access to information via the web.

In addition to traditional course material many MOOC's provide interactive area forum to support community interaction among students, professors and teaching assistants.

**"SRUJAN FESTIVAL 2019"**

In this academic year 2019-20 academic and other activities were conducted by various departments under the banner "Srujan Festival – 2019"

- (1) As a part of this festival the Dept. Of Commerce & Accountancy jointly with Vast vocational training institute, Mumbai organized a career seminar on "Media and Entertainment Industry" (Animation, VFX Gaming, Web & Graphics Design) on 28th August, 2019. Mr. Raghvendra Patel was the speaker from the Vast Institute, Mumbai. He focused on job opportunities in the film industry relating to animation, VFX Gaming & Web & Graphics Design. Students from FY, SY & TY Classes were present for the seminar around 150 students was benefited.
- (2) Department of Commerce, Accountancy & Economics jointly organized a Guest Lecture on the topic "Present Economic Crises in India" on 18th January, 2020 on the occasion of Srujan Festival – 2019 – 2020. Prof. Dr. Sangita Pawar, H.O.D of the Department of Commerce, University of Mumbai. She was invited an a guest speaker explained in detail the Present economic crisis prevalent in our country. Students from Arts & Commerce faculty were present around 200 for the programme.

**Individual Achievements**  
**Prof. Madhukar Kamble**

- (1) Participated in three days Faculty Development Programme on the theme "Teaching & Learning" organized by Deccan Education Society & Brihan Maharashtra College of Commerce, Pune on 9th to 11th November, 2019.
- (2) Participated in CAS Programme of the Assistant Professor as a V. C. Nominee subject expert of Gokhale Education Society Arts, Commerce & Science College, Shreevardhan, Dist Raigad, Venue place of CAS programme held at J. S. M. College, Alibaug, Dist. Raigad as per the direction of Joint Director Higher Education on 20th November, 2019 also for D. G. Tatkar

College, Tala, Dist. Raigad on the same date.

- (3) Participated in two days workshop on "E-Content Audio Video Workshop" jointly organized by DES's Kirti College, and Rambhau Mahalgi Prabhodhini, Uttan, on 11th & 12th January, 2020
- (4) Actively participated in the national Symposium on "Intellectual Property Rights: A Prerequisite In Higher Education & Research" Jointly organized by IQAC Cell & Research Promotion Committee of DES's Kirti College, Mumbai with Navinchandra Mehta Institute of Technology & Development a& Smt. Jayashree S. Kothari Business School, Dadar (W), Mumbai on 15th February, 2020.
- (5) Participated in the one day multidisciplinary "National Seminar on Tribal Literature : Nature & Features" organized by Department of Marathi, Kirti College, Mumai on 25th February, 2020.
- (6) Attended a National Online Seminar on Creation of MOOC's organized by IQAC, Kirti College, Mumbai on 27th April, 2020.
- (7) Webinars college level state level & National Level organised by various institutions.

**Prof. Dr. B.R. Kamble-**

1. Appointed as a Subject Expert for the Interview of Assistance Professor- B.com & BMS, Navneet Education Society Night Degree College, Mumbai Centre
2. Participated in State Level Seminar Implementation of Reservation Policy in India- Department of History University of Mumbai & AIBCAF- Participated- State Level 27th July 2019.
3. Participated in Workshop- Faculty Development Programme and Teaching & Learning- DES's BMC of Commerce Pune- Participated- November 2019.
4. Participated in Workshop- Faculty Development Programme and Teaching & Learning DES's BMC of Commerce Pune Participated November



- 2019.
5. Participated in Workshop Preparation of E-contain for Academia Rambhau Mhalagi Prabodini Centre for Institution Building & Leadership Studies, Bhayander, Mumbai Participated State Level 10th& 11th January 2020.
  6. Participated in National Symposium Intellectual Property Right: A Prerequisite in Higher Education & Research DES's Kirti College & NMITD and Smt. JS Kothari Business School Participated National Level 15th February 2020.
  7. Participated & Presented Paper- In Two Day International Conference Asian Economy- A Cross Country Analysis University of Mumbai

Department of Commerce Participated & Presented Paper International Level 17th& 18th February 2020.

8. Participated & Presented Paper- National Seminar Tribal Literature: Nature & Features DES's Kirti College Dadar, Mumbai Participated & Presented Paper National Level 25th February 2020.
9. Participated- National Webinar Impact of Covid-19 on Small Scale Industries Gokhale Education Society's Arts, Commerce & Science College Jawhar, Palghar Participated National Level 29th May 2020.

**Prof. Madhukar Kamble**  
Head., Dept of Commerce

## Computer Science & Information Technology

The Department states its vision as follows:

"To create the most conducive environment for quality academic and research oriented education in Computer Science and Information Technology.

We are determined to prepare the students to meet the challenges which are apparent in the globalized technological world and orient them towards serving the society".

It is our first resolve to provide high quality and affordable education to all sections of society including various disadvantaged groups.

The Department is working towards the goals of overall personality development of our students, offering flexibility and encouraging significant research and nurture creativity through industrial orientation.

The Information Technology field allows students to bring their computer knowledge into a variety of specialized activities.

### ❖ Academic

- CS-IT Department is known as formidable terrain with an intention for up-and-coming IT talents. In hopes of discovering new minds, we conducted

placement drive for our students. Around 50 students participated in the drive in which reputed companies like Infosys, IGATE, Accenture and Tech Mahindra were invited.

- Our Department has encouraged students of FY, SY and TY (BSc CS and BSc IT) to visit various NGOs to sensitize them about the social issues faced by the society. They were encouraged to read books on different genres and conducted book review in order to develop their critical thinking and communication skills.

### ❖ Events List :

To foster global competence and support career building of students and faculties through various courses, workshops, seminars, events, competitions and industrial visits. Motivate the students to excel in co-curricular and extra-curricular activities and encourage the sportspersons to excel.

1. "Train the Trainer: Offline To Online Using Microsoft Teams" 3 Days Faculty Development Program was conducted by Department of Computer Science(CS) and Information Technology (IT) under IQAC initiative, Kirti M Doongursee College in association with

Department of Computer Science ,Fergusson College, Pune. The FDP was held on 16th, 17th, 18th August 2020, which covered the features of the TEAMS that can be used for Educational purpose and was also helpful for teachers to conduct online lectures during the New Normal.

2. "Entrepreneurship Opportunities And Financial Awareness After Graduation" Organized by Department of CS and IT collaboration with Women's Development Cell on 28th Feb 2020 by Mr. Amey Dhawale. Entrepreneurship encourages employment, productivity and economic growth.
3. Horizon IT Festival 2020 Organised by Department of CS and IT, 20th Jan 2020 and 21st Jan 2020. This Intercollegiate festival is conducted every year by the students of CS-IT Department under the guidance of faculties. Mr. Devendra Sawant (Linux and Cloud Computing Expert) was our esteemed chief guest who enlightened the students with his vast knowledge and experience in this field.
4. "Introduction to Data Science and Machine Learning" Organised by Department of CS and IT on 07th Jan 2020 to provide information related to industry application of Data Science and Machine learning. Conducted by resource person Mr Pritesh Tiwari, CEO DSW (Data Science Wizard) and Ms Sanjana , manager of DSW.

5. "Preparation of Aptitude Tests and Technical Skills: Dream Jobs" by Mr Narendra, Manager of Impetus Ltd and Mr Sunil on 18th Jan 2020
6. "Ethical Hacking" seminar was conducted by "Jetking" where they gave information to students about Ethical Hacking and its applications on 18th Jan 2020 by Mr Durgesh, Manager and Mr. Neeraj Singh, Marketing Manager-Jetking Better Life

#### Placement:

Many reputed companies have conducted campus interviews or have invited our students for placement interviews. Our students have secured lucrative positions in well-known companies like Accenture, CapeGemini, Tech Mahindra, Patni Computers, Infosys, L & T, Wipro Technologies, Wipro BPO, HDFC Standard Life. Before completing their graduation, students of our Department were placed during the academic year.

A few of the many companies who have approached our Department for its focused and dynamic students over the years:

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| • KPMG India      | • Wipro           |
| • Accenture       | • Mahindra Satyam |
| • Patni Computers | • L & T India     |
| • Nokia           | • Infosys         |

**Mrs. Apurva Yadav**

**Head, Dept. of Computer Science & IT**

## Economics

Following are the details of programme conducted by our department in this academic year: A. D. Shroff Memorial Elocution Competition was organised on 30th August 2019. This competition was graced with the presence of Dr. D. V. Pawar (Principal), Prof. M. G. Kamble (HOD, Commerce) and Dr. D. S. Manwar (HOD, Economics). It was judged by Dr Harshad Bhosale (Faculty, Political Science), Ms Janhavi Kolte (Faculty, Political Science) and Prof. Neeraj Kumar (Co-ordinator, BMM). The Prof-in-charge of this event was Prof. C. M. Joshi. There were twelve participants in this competition. The winners of this event were Mr Pranav Kand (TYBAF) who received first prize and

got Rs 2500 as cash prize. The second prize winner was Ms Anjali Balsakra (SYBA) who got Rs 1500 as cash prize. The third prize winner was Ms Pranjali Gaonkar (SYBA) who got Rs 1000 as cash prize. This event was attended by sixty-five students and faculty of different streams. This event was supported by volunteers of TYBA class and Prof. Shubhshree Parab.

On 3rd December, 2019 TYBA and TYBCOM students were taken for Field Trip to Bombay Stock Exchange Training Institute by Prof. V.S. Sontakke. This trip was aimed at inculcating application-oriented knowledge i.e. awareness in capital markets investment and opportunities in capital market. The



total number of students were twenty-five from TYBA and TYBCOM class. They also visited RBI monetary museum on the same day.

Srujan (an initiative of IQAC) under which department organised Guest lecture titled 'Present Economic Crisis in India' on 18th January, 2020. The Chief Guest of this event was Dr. Sangeeta Pawar (HOD, Commerce) of University of Mumbai. This event was jointly organised by Department of Economics, Commerce and Accountancy. The dignitaries of this event were Dr. D. V. Pawar (Principal), Dr. R. B. Kawade (Vice-Principal), Mr. M. G. Kamble (HOD, Commerce), Mr. Y. S. Bhorkade (HOD, Accountancy) and Dr. D. S. Manwar (HOD, Economics). Prof. S. V. Parab compered for this event. Prof. C. M. Joshi introduced Chief Guest of the event. Dr. D. S. Manwar was Prof-in-charge of this event. This event was supported by volunteers of TYBA class.

Our college started post graduate course in subject of Economics, Political Science and English for which LIC was invited on 6th Feb. LIC visit consisted of panel i.e. Dr. Rajesh Karankal (HOD, English, University of Mumbai), Dr. Sangeeta Pawar (HOD, Commerce, University of Mumbai) and Dr. Aarti Prasad (Faculty, SIWS College).

Guest lecture was conducted by Mr. Khan (Marshall-McLennan) and Mr. Sanjay Sharma (IMARITUS) titled 'Career Opportunities in Insurance Sector' in JSKB Hall room number J-1 on 28th February, 2020. This event was attended by all final year students. Along with this, placement drive was conducted in coordination with Imaritus & Marshall McLennan, Insurance broking Co. Prof-in-charge of this event was Prof. V. S. Sontakke.

Special Lecture was organised for TYBCOM students on 'Post graduate Career Opportunities' in JSKB Hall on 18th February, 2020. Mr. Dixit Kothari was Speaker of the day.

Department of Economics was part of Organising Committee of National Seminar organised by Marathi Department on 25th Feb., 2020 titled 'Tribal Literature: Nature and Features'.

As a matter of preparing and evaluating TYBA

students from point of view of University exam., department had conducted class test for them. Remedial Classes were arranged by Prof. V. S. Sontakke for the subject of Maths & Stats for FYBCOM ATKT students of Sem. I was conducted from 19/1/2020 to 3/2/2020.

### Individual Achievements

#### (1) Dr. D. S. MANWAR:

- Chairperson for A. D. Shroff. competition program on 30th August, 2019.
- Judge for Poster competition event on 7 December, 2019, organized by Acharya Marathe College, Chembur, Mumbai.
- Submitted Minor Research Project to University of Mumbai on Problem of small farmer in Maharashtra on 18 December, 2019
- Participated in the E-content Audio-Video digital workshop, organized by Rambhau Mhalgi Prabhodini, Uttan at Bhayander, Mumbai on 11th & 12th January 2020.
- Actively Participated in the National Symposium on 'Intellectual Property Rights: A Prerequisite in Higher Education & Research' Jointly organised by Internal Quality Assurance cell and Research Promotion Committee of Deccan Education Society of Kirti College, Dadar (W), Mumbai-28 on 15th February, 2020.
- Presented paper on 'Adiwasi Samajachya Arthik Samasya ani Tyavaril Upay' organised by Department of Marathi, Kirti college, Dadar, on 25th February, 2020. He also participated in Eight National Level Webinars.
- Participated in Webinar on Covid-19 General Awareness Program organised by Sonubhau Baswant College, Shahapur, Dist: Thane on 23 April, 2020.
- Presented paper on TRIBAL LITERATURE: NATURE AND FEATURES in One day Multidisciplinary National Seminar organised by Dept. of Marathi, Kirti College, 25th February, 2020. He was also the member of organising

committee.

- Presented paper on Emperor of literature Anna Bhau Sathe in Two days multidisciplinary online seminar organised by Arts and Commerce College Phondaghat, Dist: Sindhudurg on 1st and 2nd May, 2020.
- Delivered speech on Constitution Day Programme organized by Kirti College, Dadar on 26th November 2019. Also delivered speech on Constitution Day Programme Organised by Unmesh Navyuk Mandal, Ulhasnagar-4, Dist-Thane on 26th November, 2019.
- Delivered guest lecture on "Savitri Mayiche Samajik ani Arthik Vichar" on Savitrimayi phule Jayanti program organised by Dhamma Pahat Samittee on 03th January, 2020 at Ulhasnagar-4, Dist- Thane.
- Delivered speech on Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar Marathvada Namvistar din (26th) on 14th january, 2020, organised by Dhamma Pahat Sammittee Ulhasnagar -4,Dist,Thane.
- Delivered Introduction Speech on Srujan fest, organised by Department of Economics, Commerce and Accountancy on 18th January, 2020.
- Delivered Guest Lecture in 'Voicing the Voiceless', A symposium organised by Kirti college, Dadar on 28th January, 2020.
- Delivered Guest lecture on Mata Ramai Ambedkar Yanche Samajik Karya in Mata Ramai Ambedkar Jayanti program organised by Sidharth Public School at Ulhasnagar-4, Dist-Thane on 12th February, 2020.
- Delivered speech on "Mahilanchya Samajik ani Arthik Samasya" on Mahila din program, organized by Dhamma pahat sammittee at Ulhasnagar-5, Dist-Thane on 8 March, 2020.
- Member of different committee at University level such as Sub-committee of Board of study syllabus committee of Economics University of Mumbai, Worked as subject expert for Economics on the selection committee for Career

Advancement Scheme University of Mumbai.

- Worked as the member of the organised committee for The National Symposium on "Intellectual property Rights". Organised by Kirti college, Dadar on 15th February, 2020.

## (2) **Mr C. M. JOSHI :**

- Jury for Mumbai University Inter-collegiate Youth Parliament Competition at A.E. Kalsekar College Mumbra, Thane on 4th March 2020.
- Member of Mumbai University Team for National Level Youth Parliament Competition to impart training to the students and also worked as jury for inter-collegiate youth parliament competition organized by different colleges affiliated to Mumbai University.
- Member of jury for inter-collegiate literary events organized by University of Mumbai.
- Member of organising committee for National Symposium on Intellectual Property Rights jointly organised by IQAC & Research Promotion Committee, NMITD & JSKBS.
- Member of Organising Committee for National Conference on Tribal Literature organised by Dept. of Marathi, Kirti College.
- Professor In-charge for A.D. Shroff Memorial Elocution Competition, annual event organised by Department of Economics annually.
- Prof-in-charge of Cultural Department of College.
- Participated in College level Webinar on 'Classroom to Webroom' organised by Kirti College's IQAC on 20th May 2020.
- Participated in one day Workshop on Revised Syllabus of SYBA Economics (Sem-3 & Sem-4) organised by VPM's K.G. Joshi College of Arts and N.G.Bedekar College of Commerce, Thane and Board of Studies in Economics(BoS), University of Mumbai on 30th May 2020.
- Member of College Level Committees such as IQAC, Gkymkhana Advisory, Magazine Committee (Sub-editor), Library Committee,



Placement Committee, Discipline Committee, Annual Function Committee, Registration Committee for Alumni Meet and Chairman of Faculty Club.

### 3) Mr. V. S. SONTAKKE

- Organised Field Visit of TYBCom and TYBA students for 'Awareness in capital market investment and opportunities in capital market' on Tuesday, 3rd December 2019 in coordination with BSE institute Ltd. Further visited RBI Monetary Museum on the same day.
- Organized a Career guidance lecture for Post-graduation opportunities for TYBCOM students on 18th February 2020.
- A Placement drive was organised for all last year's students in coordination with Imaritus & Marshall Mclean, Insurance broking co. On 28th Feb. 2020.
- Remedial Classes for the subject of Maths & Stats for FYBCOM ATKT students of Sem. I was conducted from 19/1/2020 to 3/2/2020.
- Felicitated as a Chief Guest in One Day Children Literary function (Bal Sahitya Sammelan) organised at Nirmal Bhide Janata Vidyalaya, Kondye, Rajapur in Kokan held on 31st December 2019.
- Minor Research Project (MRP) on the topic 'An Evaluative study of welfare schemes in rural areas: A Case Study of Aarvee Taluka in Wardha District' was sanctioned (Amount Rs. 40,000/-) by BCUD, university of Mumbai for the year 2019-2020.
- Presented paper in National level seminar on Tribal Literature organised by dept. Of Marathi in Kirti college, on 25th February 2020
- Presented paper on "Reforms in Indian Logistics and Supply Chain Management in India" in National Conference on 'Leveraging innovation, technology and management for vision 2025' organised by DES's Navinchandra Mehta Institute of Technology and Development (NMITD), Dadar, Mumbai on 29th February, 2020.
- Presented paper in national Conference NCMAT 2020 is published in UGC CARE recognised "Shodh Sarita" by DES's Navinchandra Mehta Institute of Technology and Development (NMITD), Dadar, Mumbai on 29th February, 2020.
- Participated & successfully completed Short Term Course of & 7 days on Soft skills Yoga organised by physical education dept., & Academic Staff college, university of Mumbai on 5th to 11th February 2020.
- Participated in a two days Workshop on Preparation of E-content for academics organised by Rambhau Mhalagi Prabodhini, Uttan, Bhayander on 10th & 11th Jan. 2020.
- Participated in one day national symposium on 'Intellectual Property Rights: A prerequisite in Higher education & research' jointly organised by IQAC & Research Promotion committee of Kirti college, Dadar on 15th February 2020.
- Participated as a Secretary of MUCTA in three day, All India level meeting of Akhil Bhartiya Rashtriya Shaishik Mahasangh, (ABRSM) an organisation in education field. The meeting was organised on 8th, 9th & 10th November 2019 at Ganpat University, Mehsana, Gujrat 384012.
- Worked as a member of organising committee of one day National level seminar on Tribal development organised by dept. of Marathi in Kirti college, dadar on 25th February 2020.
- Worked as a member of Advisory committee for one day national symposium on 'Intellectual Property Rights: A prerequisite in Higher education & research', jointly organised by IQAC & Research Promotion committee of Kirti college, Dadar on 15th February 2020.
- Worked as a member of organising committee of a programme on Birth Anniversary of freedom fighter V. D. Savarkar organised 22nd Feb. 2020.
- Successfully completed online Seven day National workshop on "Research methods and Techniques" organised by Ramanand Arya

DAV College in Association with the University of Mumbai from 25th April to 1st May 2020. Participated in twenty on line webinars conducted by various organisation in Maharashtra.

- Participated and completed International faculty development program on "Digital teaching and learning environment" organised by Mahatma Education society's Pillai College of Arts Commerce and science in association with MUCTA conducted from 11th May to 13th May 2020.
- Working as a Secretary of an educational institution "Amal Vidya Vardhini, Mumbai which runs school & Junior college in rural area in Maharashtra on a honorary basis.
- Working as a Invitee Member of College Development Committee of Navneet Education Society, Mumbai Central, Mumbai.
- Member of College level Committees such as Magazine committee, Women Development Cell (WDC), Internal Complaints Committee (ICC), Gymkhana committee, Annual Prize distribution committee, Economics Literacy Club, Member of Elocution & Debating Association, Faculty Club, Placement Committee, Discipline Committee for Alumni Meet.

**(4) Ms. S. V. PARAB :**

- Compered in Srujan Fest 2019-20 on 18th January 2020 organised by Dept of Economics, Commerce and Accountancy topic 'Present Economic Crisis in India' by Dr Sangeeta Pawar (HOD, Dept of Commerce, University of Mumbai).
- Worked as a Member of Organising Committee for Marathi National Seminar on 25th Feb., 2020, as a part of registration committee.
- Participated in National Symposium at Kirti College organised by Research Promotion Committee and IQAC on 15th Feb., 2020 titled 'Intellectual Property Rights: A Pre-requisite in Higher Education and Research'.
- Participated in National Seminar at Kirti College organised by Marathi Department on 25th Feb.,

2020 titled 'Tribal Literature: Nature and Features'.

- Participated in an Online Seminar organised by Kirti College's IQAC on 'Blooms Taxonomy' on 29th April, 2020.
- Participated in College level Webinar on 'Classroom to Webroom' organised by Kirti College's IQAC on 20th May 2020.
- Participated in one day Workshop on Revised Syllabus of SYBA Economics (Sem-3 & Sem-4) organised by VPM's K.G. Joshi College of Arts and N.G.Bedekar College of Commerce, Thane and Board of Studies in Economics (BoS), University of Mumbai on 30th May 2020
- Research Paper titled 'Interlink between Financial Development and Economic Development', was published in Indian Journal of Economics and Development Vol. No. 07 (07), July, 2019. It is Peer-Reviewed International Journal published by The Society of Economics and Development. It is in UGC Approved Care List Group-II with Impact factor 4.82 and ISSN Number 2320-9828.
- Encouraged students to participate in various inter-collegiate events. At Personal level career guidance for TYBA students. Class test TYBA was taken on 29th Jan., 2020 as a practice for final University exam.
- Displayed different Foreign currencies to TYBA students (International Economics) to orient them about international currencies used in trade as a part of application oriented learning.
- As a part of community service, at Personal level sponsored medical treatment (eye check-up & operation) of under privileged old lady. Cash donation was given to Amal Vidya Vardhini School in Coastal Maharashtra i.e. Rajapur.
- Member of College Level Committees such as Economics Literacy Club, Admission Committee, Women Development Cell, Avishkar Committee, Stage Decoration Committee for Alumni Meet, Organising Committee for Marathi National Seminar.

**Dr. D. S. Manwar**  
**Head, Dept. of Economics**



## English

### Personal Achievements :

#### (1) Ms. M. B. CHAVAN

- Delivered a talk in the international conference, entitled : Advances in Visual Communication, Library Science & Translation Studies in World Literature, on the topic : Digitalization , Social Media Texting - Challenges & Implication on Communication Skills, which was organized by Loyola College . ( March , 2019).
- Worked as the Resource Person for the Syllabus Revision Sessions organized by English BOS (Mumbai University) April, 2020.
- Delivered a talk in the international conference, entitled : The impact of Language, Literature and Education on the Intellectual Property Rights -2020 ,on the topic: The Impact of Literature on Property Rights which was organized by Sir C. R. Reddy College, Eluru. ( March, 2020).
- Delivered a talk in the international Conference. entitled: Gender, Diaspora, Cultural Identity, Education and Islamic Studies, on the topic: The Dynamics of Culture and Gender : Reflection in English Literature, organised by DRPF Macedonia. (July, 2019 ).
- Published a book as an independent author, entitled : Exploring Ethnic Canon: Igbos in Nigeria : History, Culture, Rituals and Religion ( ISBN:978-93-84124-97-7).
- Successfully completed NSS Program Officer's Training, Under the scheme of Empanelled Training Institute National Service Scheme at BPHT Society's Ahmednagar College, Ahmednagar, MS, India sponsored by the Govt of India, Ministry of Youth Affair & Sports New Delhi. ( Aug., 2019).
- Delivered a talk in the international conference, entitled : The impact of Digitization on Language, Business and Social Sciences , on the topic : The quid pro quo of Digitalization and Globalization of Our Society : Its Challenges and Implication from Language Perspective ,organized by

St. Pious Woman's College in association with MHRD Innovation Cell. ( Dec., 2019).

- Published a book as an independent author, entitled : Venturing Into Feminist Consciousness : Buchi Emecheta's Protagonist: Locating Sexual Politics. ( ISBN:978-93-86435-71-2) .

#### (1) DR. JYOTI MUNDHE

- Worked as an expert in the scrutiny committee at university's Fort campus for the Walk-in interview on 15th July, 2019.
- Delivered a guest lecture on "Career options in Translation" at Patkar college, Goregaon, 19th July, 2019.
- Worked as a subject expert at D. A. V. College, Bhandup for the interviews of assistant professors in English on 27th July, 2019.
- Accompanied students to Dosti House, BKC, for the orientation of American Library and screening of "12 years a slave", on 7th August, 2019.
- Attended a work shop along with TYBA students on "Translation: Theory and Practice" at M. D. College, Parel on 10th Aug, 2019.
- Worked as a facilitator in " A Rendezvous with the Translator "on August, 27, 2019 in Kirti College.
- Worked as a judge for the intra college "Floral Arrangement" competition organised by Botany Department on 29th August, 2019.
- Invited as a resource person for "Yoga for Concentration: A Technique for Meditation" by Department of Geography on 30th August, 2019.
- Delivered a lecture on "Law, Language and Literature" for the UG students of Bhagoji Keer Law College, Ratnagiri on 9th November, 2019.
- Attended an International Seminar on "Mapping Indian Diaspora: Issues and Perspective" on 13th and 14th December, 2019 in SIES college, Sion.
- Published a paper in International Peer reviewed open Access Journal. GAP Research Journal.

## Geography

Department of Geography started its academic and extracurricular activities for the year with great enthusiasm. This year 24 students took admission for TYBA with Geography as a special subject.

On 6th July 2019 our beloved Prof. Dr. Hemant Pednekar delivered a motivational speech to our students. He highlighted the importance of positive thinking, habit of reading, importance of fitness as well as time management. He also explained the various concepts of geography in a lucid language.

Geo Nature Club formed by our Department carried out its first activity in the current academic year. "Green Gang" of the club organized a Tree Plantation Activity at Kalamacha Pada, Damunagar, Kandivali (East) on 20th July 2019. During the program students interacted with Warli tribes & tribal students studying in Balwadi. On the way students visited Vermicompost Plant and Nursery of rare medicinal plants.

In an effort to start the 'Green Campus Initiative', the Department decided to go paperless. Digital mode of communications were used to circulate information about day to day activities.

Green Gang of the Department started working as "Energy Doot" in order to conserve precious energy resources.

On 19th August 2019 a lecture was organised on important subject "Upcoming opportunities of employment in the field of GIS" by Mr. Raju Salunkhe, GIS expert. Four students enrolled themselves for this survey.

Prof. Vrushali Bhalerao and Prof. Sumaira Sayed visited Indian Institute of Environmental Medicine, Kasturba Hospital, Mumbai on 19th August 2019 and received a "Rain Water Harvesting Demonstration Project" and various informative charts on Environmental Medicine and Protection free of cost.

To promote self-sufficiency in energy for sustainability by providing complete, cost-effective, reliable and sustainable solar energy access "Gandhi Global Solar Yatra" was conceived by IIT Mumbai.

As part of this Yatra, on 23rd August 2019, "Student Solar Ambassador Mentor Workshop" was organised by IIT, Mumbai. Prof. Rohan Rajapkar & Prof. (Ms.) Sumaira Sayed participated in the workshop.

These days students face lot of stress and are unable to concentrate on studies. In order to make them stress free, an innovative session of "Yoga for concentration : A Technique of Meditation" was conducted on 30th August 2019. Dr. Jyoti Mundhe, Yoga teacher, guided students in the session. Around 25 students were benefited by the lecture.

'Green Gang' of Dept. of Geography showed the sense of social responsibility. They collected the study material viz. long books, note books, stationary kit, compass box, etc. in large quantities and distributed the same to the flood affected areas of Kolhapur, Sangali and Satara on 9th September 2019.

To facilitate interaction of students with ISRO Scientists and expose them to scaled models of satellites and launch vehicles, ISRO had organised Space Exhibition at Nehru Science Centre. Students and teachers visited this exhibition on 17th September 2019 with lot of enthusiasm and interacted with the ISRO scientists.

Master's Training on Green Schools of the future for Sustainable Development Goals and fighting Climate Change was organised on 25th and 26th September 2019 at Fergusson College, Pune. Prof. Rohan Rajapkar participated in this scientific training on Green School Campus Program.

On 2nd October 2019 "Student Solar Ambassador Training Workshop" in association with IIT, Mumbai was organised in the College. In this workshop training was given regarding systematic of Solar Study Lamps. Geography Department's entire teaching faculty and 20 students took part in the workshop and assembled solar lamps. All the students and faculty members took a pledge of non violence towards environment and protecting the mother Earth.

On 28th October 2019 on the occasion of Diwali Festival, Prof Rohan Rajapkar and TY Students



distributed few Solar Study Lamps, Nutritional Food Packets, Diwali Pharal to the students of Zila Parishad School in tribal area at Dadarkopara, Tal. Jawhar, Dist. Palghar.

All the faculty members and students of Geography Department participated in the "Faculty Development Programme - Green Campus Initiatives" organised by DES - EVS Committee, Kirti College in association with The Climate Reality Project Foundation on 14th December 2019.

An annular solar eclipse occurred on 26th December 2019. Students and teachers gathered on the college ground to watch the unique Solar Eclipse with full enthusiasm.

Under the banner of Srujan 2020 Dept. of Geography organized three different events :

1. **14th January 2020** – exhibition of study material.
2. **22nd January 2020** – Interdisciplinary workshop on tree mapping for TY B.Sc Botany students.
3. **23rd January 2020** – Interdisciplinary lecture on 'Plant Community and Ecosystem' by Dr. Smita Jadhav. A topic from Biogeography paper.

Geography Day is celebrated on 14th January every year. This year we had organized the exhibition of the teaching aids and study material prepared by students. Main attraction of the exhibition was "Working Model of Satellite". This exhibition received overwhelming response from the college students and teaching and non teaching staff from both Junior and Degree Colleges. Few school teachers were also visited for this exhibition. Around 130 students and more than 50 teachers visited the same.

On 22nd January 2020 Parents meeting was organized by the Department for TYBA Geography Students. 17 parents attended the meeting. There was an interactive discussion about syllabus, study material, infrastructure of the college etc. All the staff members of the department interacted with parents. Parents also gave constructive feed-back.

As a part of syllabus requirement for practical paper, Study Tour was organized to Alibag to carry out the socio economic survey on 27th & 28th January

2020. All staff members of Department and 20 students participated in the same. Students prepared research report on the Survey.

Prof. Rohan Rajapkar and TY Students visited Kala Ghoda Festival organized in South Mumbai on 7th February 2020.

On 22nd February 2020 Alumni Meet was organized by the college. It was a grand event in which around 60 former students of Dept. of Geography attended the function.

On 27th February 2020 a session was conducted for students on Yoga for healthy body and mind. Dr. Jyoti Mundhe explained the importance of fitness and how to keep our self healthy physically as well as mentally.

During lockdown period Prof. (Mrs.) Vrushali Bhalerao and Prof. Rohan Rajapkar participated in various Faculty Development Programmes, International Conferences, Webinars organized by Kirti College and various other institutes.

Taken into account the current scenario of Corona Pandemic and the need to conduct on-line teaching, various webinars were organized by different institutions. Prof. (Mrs.) Bhalerao and Prof. Rajapkar participated in the same and acquired the required skills.

In order to guide TYBA Geography students, regarding revision and preparation of examination, Department conducted a series of on-line lectures by using Zoom App during April 2020.

Prof. Rohan Rajapkar and Master Omkar Gole a student of TYBA Geography distributed food packets, medicines, groceries to the people in the corona affected areas.

#### **Achievements of the Staff :**

1. Prof. Rohan Rajapkar qualified for JRF (Junior Research Fellowship) in September 2019 and cleared SET exam in October 2019.
2. Prof. Sumaira Sayed published her research paper on "Urban Flooding & Zonation Mapping : A case study of Greater Mumbai" in Geo Carto International Peer Review Journal.

## Participation in Workshops &amp; Seminars :

Date	Participants	Title
11th & 12th January 2020	Prof. Vrushali Bhalerao & Prof. Rohan Rajapkar	Digital Content Creation – residential workshop.
17th January 2020	Prof. Vrushali Bhalerao	Projection of Love, Sex and Addiction in Films and Literature : Psychoanalysis of Kabir Singh – Inter-collegiate Workshop
17th & 18th January 2020	Prof. Rohan Rajapkar & 10 students	Elimination of single use plastics – National Convention 2020
1st February 2020	Prof. Vrushali Bhalerao & Prof. Rohan Rajapkar	Wetlands & bio-diversity – National Conference
15th February 2020	Prof. Rohan Rajapkar	Intellectual Property Rights : a Prerequisite In Higher Education & Research

For all the above activities Prof. Rohan Rajapkar, Prof. Sumaira Sayed, Prof. Lalita Salvi and Lab Attendant Shri Bhavesh Vaity have put in lot of efforts to make it a huge success.

**Prof. (Mrs.) Vrushali Bhalerao**  
Head, Dept. of Geography

## History

1. Department of History organized special lecture on 'Lokmanya Tilak and National Education' by Mr. Vikas Paranjpe, social activist and Publisher on 1st August 2019, on the occasion of Death Anniversary of Lokamnya Tilak. He delivered informative and thought provoking lecture.
2. Department of history organized the special Elocution Competition on 1st October 2019as 150th Birth Anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi.
3. Department of History organized special lecture on 'Savitribai Phule and Todays Women's Question' by Ms. Mohini Karande, Social Activist.

### PERSONAL ACHIVEMENT

#### JAYANT WANKHEDE

1. Successfully completed Refresher Course in Social Science (ID) at HRDC university of Mumbai, Mumbai. From 29th may to 12th June 2019.
2. Successfully completed M.A. Economics in First

Class Division of DDE, Annamalai University , Tamilnadu.

3. Successfully completed advance diploma in 'Vippassana and Buddhist Studies' in first class division of Pali Department , University of Mumbai.
4. Delivered speech on Kargil Day 26 July 2019 to NCC cadet at Kirti College, Mumbai.
5. Participated in two days special workshop on 'Advance and Informative Technology' organized by Rambhau Mhalgi Probodhini at Uttan village, Bhayandar dated on 11th and 12th January 2020.
6. Delivered speech on Mahatma Gandhi's life dated 30th January 2020 at NSS office, Kirti College, Mumbai.

#### KISHOR P. MORE

Kishor P. More is pursuing PhD from the Department of History University of Mumbai.



**PAPER PRESENTATION:**

Research paper entitled, 'Subaltern Lingayat and Anti-Brahminical Virasaiva : Unfinished Struggle for Identity in Bombay Deccan Since 1904' in the Two Days Interdisciplinary Seminar on 'Subaltern Movements in India : Issues and Challenges' organized by Dept. of History, Ramnarain Ruia Autonomous college, Mumbai, sponsored by The Indian Council of Historical Research, New Delhi on 10-11 January 2020.

**International Symposium:**

Participation in an International online symposium Titled, "The Academic Writing Project" dated on 15th to 18th May 2020, organized by Department of History, Satish Pradhan Dnyansadhana College.

**Participation in Conference and Webinar**

Migrant labour in Shadow of Pandemic organized by Institute for Human Development and Indian Society of Labour Economics, New Delhi on 2nd May 2020

**Community Participation**

Delivered online lecture of "History of Pandemic and Labour Migration" dated on 21st April 2020 at Zoom Platform organized by Civil Society organization.

Donated Blood at blood donation Camp in Kirti College.

Ration and food Distribution in Slums during Covid-19

**ANJALI MANOJ KHARE****➤ Paper Presentation:**

1. "South Africa in International Affairs: the Post-Apartheid Era" in the National Seminar

on Researching Africa: Contemporary Doctoral Works in Indian Universities on 27-28 November, 2012, organized by Centre for African Studies, University of Mumbai.

2. "Climate Change, Food Security and Adaptation Mechanism: Select Studies of India", in the International Seminar on Agrarian Relations, Peasant Movement and Rural Distress in Contemporary India, from 11th to 13th September, 2019, organized by the Department of Civics and Politics, University of Mumbai.
3. Online Quiz on "COVID - 19 and its influence on Economy" got Certificate of Excellence, Organized by Department of Commerce, PEOPLE'S EDUCATION SOCIETY'S Siddharth College of Arts, Science & Commerce, Buddha Bhavan, Fort, Mumbai

**➤ Published Article in Journal:**

"South Africa in International Affairs: the Post-Apartheid Era", published in African Currents, Vol. XXXII, No. 48, 2013, Centre for African Studies, University of Mumbai.

**➤ Participated in Seminar/Webinar:**

1. "Creation of MOOCs", National Online Seminar, organized by Deccan Education Society's Kirti M. Doongursee College of Arts, Science and Commerce Dadar (W) Mumbai 28, Internal Quality Assurance Cell, held on 27th April 2020.

**Prof. Jayant Wankhede**

**Dept. of History**

## LIBRARY DEPARTMENT

The Library is endowed with a rich collection of books on various subjects and supports Junior and Degree students in the Arts, Science and commerce faculties. The Library collection consists of text books, Reference Books, Maps, periodicals and Newspapers etc. Every year the collection is enriched by adding, the latest books and various other publications. The library follows open access system (OPAC) so that 'Every reader has his/her books. The library is open

for all users from 8.00am to 5.30pm on all working days.

**Library Committee Members:**

1. Prof. Chitra Paranjpe (Convener)
2. Prof. D. K. Bhupal
3. Dr. Harshad Bhosale
4. Prof. C. M. Joshi
5. Dr. D. V. Patil

6. Dr. Minal Mapuskar

7. Dr. Vanita Kamat

8. Mr. Anil Ware

#### LIBRARY COLLECTION : 2019-2020

##### Degree College Books (Spent Rs. 4,50,000/-)

(a) General Books 325

(b) Text Books 1019

(c) Ref. Books 18

##### Junior College Books (Spent Rs. 59760/-)

(a) General Books 214

(b) Text Books 255

##### Other Budget (Spent Rs 73536/-)

(a) General Books 63

(b) Ref. Books 12

##### Journals and Periodicals (Spent Rs. 34806/-)

(a) Periodicals 28

(b) E-Resources -Inflibnet

##### Library Committee Meeting :

The meeting of the library committee was held several times in the main library.

To discuss the issues regarding library , library budget, book-exhibition , pending

books, inflibnet , consortia withdrawn of books and others educational program etc.

#### LIBRARY ACTIVITIES :

1. **Book-Exhibition :** (Rajshri Shahu Maharaj Jayanti, Mahaparinirvan Din, Constitution Day, Yuva Din-Swami Vivekanand Birth Anniversary, Swatantra veer Sawarkar, Shiv Jayanti, 50th Mahatma Gandhiji Jayanti, Marathi Rajbhasha Din,
2. **Srujan 2019-2020:** Book-Exhibition by Distributors.
3. **Guest - Speech :** Mahaparinirvan Din -- Dr. Mrudul Nile University of Mumbai / Shiv Jayanti -- Mrs. Shilpa Parab / Constitution Day -- Dr. Manwar / 150th Mahatma Gandhiji Jayanti -- Prof. Chadramohan Joshi.

#### BOOKS- DONATION

Books are donated to our college library from well wishers Dr. Minal Mapuskar 174 books, Prof. Vitthal Sontakke (Vice principal) 8 books, Dr. Jyoti Munde 3, Maharashtra Nav Nirman Sena 30, Prof. Jayant Wankhede 2, Prof. Sachin Dahibhavkar 4, Dr. Seema Saple 14, Dakshata Patil 13, Prof. Sanjay pawar 23, Prof. Parab 2, Ramesh Patkar 2, Tanuja Thosar 3.

**Prof. Rekha Shrikant Charhate**  
Librarian

## Department of Lifelong Learning & Extension Activities

Academic year 2019-20 has been seventh year for successful inauguration of our department. This year 22 students participated and performed various extension activities.

1. **BLOOD DONATION CAMP :** on 12/01/2020, Kirti college organized blood donation camp in coordination with KEM hospital. There were team of 4 doctors and 10 staff of the hospital. 86 students volunteered to donate their blood but only 68 were qualified for donation along with teachers in the college.
2. **UDAAN FESTIVAL :** Our three students participated in the UDAAN festival competition. It was held on the 30/01/2020.

3. **KOSBAD, PRIMARY SCHOOL :** On 25th & 26th January 2020 & 4th to 6th February 2020 our students visited primary school in Kosbad village in Dahanu Taluka. They also visited self-help group of the village. They explained importance of the extension activities to the students in the school our students visited Adivasi Padas to explain the significance of education to the illiterate people of the village.
5. **VISIT TO OLD AGE HOME, SHANTIVAN, PANVEL.** Our student visited Kustharog Nivaran Samtis Shantivan, Rajesh Rajani old age home. They interacted with senior citizen and they also tried to understand their problem on 05 Oct, 2019.



6. **INTERNATIONAL YOGA DAY:** our students celebrated international yoga day in our college on 21.06.2020 all the students participated in practicing yoga exercise.

7. **TOBACCO CESSATION AWARENESS ACTIVITIES :** Participated and successfully Tobacco Cessation Awareness Activities

Angarakshak (GSBS Medical Trust) on 27/01/2020 at Kirti College.

**Prof. Nitin V. Kharat**  
Programme Officer,

Dept. of Lifelong Learning & Extension Activities

## MATHEMATICS

The Mathematics Department organized a Lecture on Algebraic number theory by Dr. Dhvanita Rao, former faculty of Bhavan's College, during the academic festival Srujan Andheri. Mr. Rao was the Incharge of University Examinations for the subject of Mathematics for many years.

### Prof. Chitra Paranjpe

The Head of Mathematics Department Prof. Chitra Paranjpe retired from our department after 36 completing glorious years of service in Kirti College on 30th April 2020. She led the department as Head of the Department for nearly 30 years with an indomitable spirit. She was well known for her adherence to discipline and commitment to work and hence was respected by staff and students alike. We will definitely miss her presence and will carry on her legacy forward. We wish her a happy and healthy life in the years to come.

She was also a member of the Board of Studies for Mathematics of Sophia College.

### Prof. Mathew Samuel

Prof. Mathew Samuel is the IQAC Coordinator.

**Under IQAC following programmes were organised for staff of Kirti College .**

1. Workshop on e-content FDP "Educational Digital Content Creation" held in association with Rambhau Mhalgi Prabodhini Centre for Institution Building and Leadership Studies, Uttanon 11/01/2020 – 12/01/2020.
2. Symposium on IPR "IPR – A Prerequisite in Higher Education and Research" with resource persons as Dr. Dinesh Patil, Dr. Bhushan Chaudhari and funded by OPPI on 15/02/2020.
3. An Alumni Meet was conducted in 20/02/2020 in which nearly 800 past students assembled.

4. A Seminar in Marathi " Dalit Literature – Its form and distinctiveness" on 27/02/2020
5. Seminar of MOOCS "Creation of MOOCs" with Dr. Sameer Sahasrabuddhe as resource person on 27/04/2020.
6. ERP training "Introducing the new ERP software" by Mastersoft ERP Solutions Pvt. Ltd. on 01/05/2020.
7. Masterclass "Common errors in academic communication" by Dr. Jyoti Mundhe on 06/05/2020.
8. Symposium on "Implication of COVID on education and the way forward from the lens of climate change and sustainability " by Climate Reality Project on 16/05/2020.
9. Masterclass by Prof. Srija Srikanth of BMS department on "Impact of Covid 19 on world economy" on 18/05/2020.
10. Workshop on online teaching methods "Class room to web room" by Prof. Priyanka Jinagouda and Prof. Dikshit Kothari on 20/05/2020.
11. Counselling Workshops – Umed - Ray of Hope
  - (a) Dr. Harish Shetty on "Psychological health during lockdown" on 24/05/2020.
  - (b) Mr. Atul Vaze "Self Development and Skill development" on 31/05/2020.

In addition to participating in the programmes mentioned above he also participated in the following online seminars:

12. Online Seminar on " Emotional resilience in challenging scenarios" Dr. Renuka Sawant and Dr. Kasturi Naik on 11/04/2020.
13. Online Seminar on " Norms of evaluation using blooms taxonomy" by Dr. Shriram Nerlekar on 29/04/2020

14. Online seminar on "Effective ways to develop e-content" organized by Smt. D. M. C. College of Commerce and science on 09/05/2020.
15. Webinar on Artificial Intelligence by M.S. College, Mumbra on 12/05/2020.
16. International webinar on " How to write a research paper " by KLE Society's Science and Commerce College on 14th May 2020.
17. Online seminar on "Social distancing – a marketing challenge post pandemic" by St. Joseph College of Arts and Commerce, Virar on 14/05/2020
18. Online Seminar on National Education Policy and HEIs by SSP Mandal's Sundarrao More Arts, Commerce and Science College, Raigad.
19. Tribute to Prof. S. S. Shrikande organized by Dept. Of Mathematics, University of Mumbai on 29/05/2020

**Under IQAC, programmes organised for students included:**

1. Srujan: An academic festival in which nearly all departments of the college conducted workshops, seminars, lectures, quizzes, film shows, etc.
2. Orientation programme for First Year students.

**Dr. Seema Purohit**

**(a) Academic highlights**

1. From among 8 registered students currently under Dr. Purohit, four Ph.D. scholars successfully defended their viva and received their doctoral degree from University of Mumbai in the subject of Computer Science.
2. Worked in the capacity of subject Expert for the subject of Computer Science for conducted by the University of Mumbai for the post of Assistant Professor.
3. Worked in the capacity of Selection Committee Member for the interviews conducted on 14.09.2019 at Narsee Monjee College of Commerce & Economics.
4. Appointed as a subject Expert VC Nominee by University of Mumbai, for the CAS Promotion Interviews for Vartak College of Arts, Commerce and Science and Somani College of Arts and Science.
5. Appointed as a member of Research Recognition Committee (RRC) in the subject of Computer Science by University of Mumbai from Feb. 2020

6. Appointed as Honorary Visiting Faculty for M.Sc Data Science Programme under B. K. Birla College (Autonomous) as an expert in the field from 1st August 2019.
7. Appointed as BOS member, in the subject of Computer Applications by Dr. Bhanuben Mahendra Nanavati College of Home Science, SNDT University. Helped in finalizing the Syllabus of BCA and MSc in the meetings held on 8th July, 29th November 2019

**(b) Seminar/ conference/ workshop/ Symposia**

- (i) Member of Organising Committee of Principals Conclave organized by Kirti college and DES on "Green Schools of the future for Sustainable Development Goals and fighting Climate Change" on 6th July 2019 at Kundanmal Firodiya Auditorium, DES Brijlal Jindal College of Physiotherapy, Pune for all the DES Institutions in which about 120 school and college principals of DES institutions and environment committee members attended.
- (ii) Coordinator of Master's Training Programme on Green Schools of the future for Sustainable Development Goals and fighting Climate Change organised by Kirti College, Deccan Education Society and Climate Reality Project Foundation held on 25th, 26th September 2019 at Fergusson College, Pune. Almost 25-30 faculty members from DES institutions underwent scientific training on Green School Campus Programme.
- (iii) Coordinator of Student Solar Ambassador Workshop held on 2nd October 2019 in association with IIT, Mumbai. Kirti college was registered as a "workshop associate" for the event called "Gandhi Global Solar Yatra (GGSY)".
- (iv) Paper Presentation at the International Conference on Sustainability Education held on 6th and 7th December 2019 organised by Mobius Foundation and The Climate Reality Project.
- (v) Coordinator of Development Training Programme organized by Kirti College and Climate Reality Project Foundation



on "Green Re- thinking" and "hands on demonstration of zero garbage, composting and use of bio – enzymes", arranged on 14th December which was attended by 40 faculty members and 74 students of Kirti College.

- (vi) Organizing Committee member of National Webinar 'Implications of COVID on education sector and the way forward from the lens of Climate change and Sustainability' organised on 16th May 2020 by IQAC, Kirti College in association with The Climate Reality Project, India.
- (vii) Participated in State Level workshop on "Educational Digital Content Creation" held on 27th and 28th July 2019 organised by Rambhau Mhalgi Prabodhini Centre for Institution Building and Leadership Studies.
- (viii) Participated in Vice – Principal's Meet – 2019 held on 28th August 2019 organized by IBS ICFAI Business School.
- (ix) Participated in Three days' workshop on "Machine Learning using R programming" held on 26th to 28th December 2019 organised by Fergusson College and IAAM, Pune.
- (x) Coordinator of residential FDP "Educational Digital Content Creation" for Kirti College teaching faculty held on 11th, 12th January 2020 held in association with Rambhau Mhalgi Prabodhini, Uttan.
- (xi) Participated in One day workshop on "Know yourself", 14 January 2020 organised by WDC, Kirti College
- (xii) Attended One day workshop on "Voicing the voiceless" on 16th January 2020 organised by Dept. of English, Kirti College in which she gave a talk on autobiography "Mi Mithachi Bahuli" by Vandana Mishra.
- (xiii) Workshop on Machine Learning (Deep Learning) held on 3rd – 5th February 2020 organised by Indian Women Scientists' Association.
- (xiv) Organising Committee Member of National Symposium on "Intellectual Property Rights: Prerequisites in Higher Education and Research Promotion" held on 15th February 2020 funded by OPPI.
- (xv) Resource Person for One day Symposium

on Computational Mathematics held on 4th March 2020 organised by MIT WORLD PEACE University where she delivered a talk on "Mathematics of Machine Learning."

**Participated in 20 webinars organised by various institutions from April 2020 to May 2020**

- (3) Participated in online seminar "Norms of evaluation using Blooms Taxonomy" by Dr. Shriram Nerlekar organised by Kirti College held on 29th April 2020.
- (4) Participated in online seminar "Common errors in academic communication" Dr. Jyoti Mundhe organised by Kirti College held on 6th May 2020.
- (5) Participated in online seminar "Impact of COVID 19 on Global Economy" held on 18th May 2020 by Kirti College.
- (6) Organising Committee member and participation in Online Seminar "Classroom to Webroom" Held on 20th May 2020 by Kirti College.
- (7) Participated in webinar "Seva Pustak and Seva Vishyak Things" held by held on 25th May, 2020 by Dnyandip Mandal Uttar's St. Joseph College, Vasai.
- (8) Participated in online seminar "Data Science & Analysis-Applications and Opportunities" held on 26th May 2020 by Society for Data Science (S4DS).
- (9) Participated in online SPRING International workshop "How COVID – 19 Has Changed the World" held on 28 to 30 May 2020 by Universal Scientific Education and Research Network (USERN).
- (10) Participated in Webinar Series titled UMED – "A Ray of Hope" by Counselling Cell.
- (11) Participated in "Cyber Security" held on 7th May 2020 by IQAC and Department of IT of S.I.A. College of Higher Education in association with Indian Servers.
- (12) Participated in webinar "Modern Medicines: Double edged weapons" held on 22nd April 2020 by MUKTA.
- (13) Dattopant Thengadi lecture series "Role of infibnet in higher education: special reference to college Teachers and researchers" held on 23rd April 2020 by MUKTA.

- (14) Organising Committee member and participation in National Online Seminar on “Creation of MOOCs” held on 27th April 2020 by Kirti College.
- (15) Dr. Harish Shetty on “Psychological health during lockdown” on 24/05/2020.
- (16) Mr. Atul Vaze “Self Development and Skill development” on 31/05/2020.
- (17) Invited as Chair/ keynote addresses for plenary session etc. at national or international Conference/seminar etc.
- (18) Resource Person for One-week ATAL Online FDP on DATA SCIENCE held from 30th April to 4th May 2020 organised by Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar Technological University and ATAL Academy.
- (19) Participated in online seminar “Emotional resilience in challenging scenarios” held on 11th April 2020 by Dr. Kasturi Naik and Dr. Renuka Savant of NMITD.
- (20) Participated in webinar MOOC e-learning the road ahead held on 18th April 2020 by MUKTA.
- (i) Plenary Session titled “2020 perspective of Mathematics” at the 8th National Conference on Emerging Trends in Mathematical Sciences (NCETMS 2019) on 7th June 2019 organised by MIT Academy of Engineering.
- (ii) Worked in the capacity of member of Technical Review Panel National Conference – Recent Trends in Information Technology on 15th June 2019 organised by S.I.A. College of Higher Education.
- (iii) Worked in the capacity of Faculty Advisor of Sustainability Development Goals for CASI MAHA Model United Nations 2019 on 6th and 7th December 2019 organised by Government of Maharashtra and CASI Model United Nations.

(d) **Research projects:**

Title of the project	Name of the funding agency	Duration
BMPSAT (Building Medicinal Prescription System Using Ayurveda Therapy)	Kirti College	Six months

- (e) **Patent filed :** Patent titled "Envision: Learning Management System For Visually Impaired Learner" was filed and published in the official Journal of Patent Office, Issue no 33/ 2019, with the details: Application No.201921027625 A, INDIA, Date of filing of Application :10/07/2019, Publication Date : 16/08/2019
- (f) Membership of professional Bodies, Editorship of Journals etc:
- Worked as a reviewer for the International Conference on Internet of Things and Embedded Intelligence 2020, to be held in Indonesia on 29, 30 July 2020
  - Worked as an associate editor and reviewer for the International Journal of Artificial Intelligence, a Scopus indexed journal.
- (g) **Extension work/ community service:**  
**As In-charge of DES Environment Committee conducted the following activities successfully -**
- Cycle rally – 2nd June 2019**  
Kirti College and NMITD staff members and students participated in the Cycle rally and Environment Walk organised by “आम्ही उद्योगिनी प्रतिष्ठान’ व ‘आपलं माणूस’ at Shivaji Park to spread the awareness of effect of noise and air pollution on health and the urgent need of reducing it.
  - World environment day celebration – 5th June 2019**
    - ‘Tree Identification Walk’ where in the trees were identified by taking into account the leaf shapes, the structure of the bark and other details,
    - Tree Plantation Drive in which 27 trees of different varieties such as badam, peepal, karanj, Kanchan, umber, apta, shivni, chinch (Tamarind), payara, behndi, ashok, kadam Jambhul , jackfruit and a few tulsi saplings were planted.
    - Vruksh Dindi in which students carried a palanquin, which had about 25 saplings of Tulsi plant some of which were distributed to on lookers along the route.

This programme was co-sponsored by Rotary Club of Mumbai Shivaji Park and hosted by D. E. Society’s Kirti College and NMITD located in DES Mumbai Campus at Dadar.

**3. Principal's Conclave – 6th July 2019**

Principals Conclave on “Green Schools of the future for Sustainable Development Goals and fighting Climate Change” was arranged on 6th July 2019 At: Kundanmal Firodiya Auditorium, DES Brijlal Jindal College of Physiotherapy, Pune for all the DES Institutions. About 120 school and college principals of DES Institutions and environment committee members attended the workshop.

**4. Tree plantation drive – 23rd August 2019**

A “Tree Plantation Drive” was organized under the umbrella of “Eco-Persona” an NGO headed by Dr. Nandini Deshmukh. The site of the plantation was Savroli village (District: Raigad) near Khalapur toll naka on the Mumbai-Pune Expressway. Totality 105 Trees of the native type and capable of growing in the area naturally were planted/distributed in the village. Three trees (one each of) of Mango, Amla and Imali were planted in the Zilla Parishad school campus, 16 trees were planted near the village and 15 trees were planted in a nearby industrial unit. Rest of the 71 trees were distributed amongst the village residents.

**5. International conference on sustainability education held 9th and 10th September 2019 held at India Habitat Centre, New Delhi, organised by Mobius Foundation, The Climate Reality Project and UNESCO, India**

Dr. Seema Purohit attended the International Conference on sustainability Education on behalf of DES on 9th and 10th Sept. 2019 in which presented a paper on her research work and research projects under the title “COMPUSUSTAIN: Handling sustainability using computational Intelligence”. The emphasis was on how humans have changed their approach from Environment Education (EE) to Education for Sustainable Development (ESD) to moving towards Climate Change Education (CCE).

The Conference was inaugurated by Honourable Minister HRD, Govt of India, Mr. Ramesh Pokhriyal. With a huge participation

of 600 delegates and 100 children from all the states of India as well as other countries from UK, USA, Japan, Malaysia, Germany. Etc. It touched every aspect of sustainability education through almost 85 sessions and 4 panel discussions.

**6. Ambassador workshop held on 2nd October 2019**

Kirti College participated in the “Student Solar Ambassador Workshop” conceived by IIT Mumbai, in which nearly 100 students made solar lamps on 2nd October 2019 that were distributed in nearby villages, marking the 150th birth anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi.

**7. Master's Training on Green Schools of the future for Sustainable Development Goals and fighting Climate Change to be held on 25th, 26th September 2019 at Fergusson College, Pune.**

Almost 25 – 30 faculty members from DES Institutions attended the Two days Master Training Program and underwent scientific training on Green School Campus Programme.

**(j) Corporate leadership:**

- Convener of Discipline Committee
- Finance Controller
- Convener of Autonomy Committee
- Convener for ERP implementation Committee
- Member of Research Promotion Committee
- Member of Environment Committee
- Committee member for Prevention of Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace,
- Member of Estate Committee and Finance Committee constituted by Deccan Education Society
- Member for Gymkhana Committee
- Nominated and appointed as a subject expert member of Research and Recognition Committee in the subject of Computer Science by University of Mumbai.
- Member of Grievance Committee
- Member of Anti-ragging committee
- Life Member of Indian Women Scientists' Association (IWSA)

**Prof. Mathew Samuel**  
**Head, Dept of Mathematics**



## N. C. C. (Boys)

### ANNUAL REPORT 2019-20

The Kirti College NCC BOYS UNIT under the auspicious of 1MAH BN NCC began its activities with great hard work and passion in academic year 2019-20. It is a 64th year of NCC which was started under the leadership CSUO Shubham Mane, CJUO Ratnesh Maurya, CJUO Amit Gade and CJUO Siddhesh Pimparkar.

Independence Day was celebrated with great pride, which was the first event of the year. Whole ceremony and Guard Squad was commanded by CSUO Shubham Mane. The Band Squad was commanded by CJUO Amit Gade. Pilots SGT Samir Shaikh and SGT Kishan Dubey welcomed our Chief Guest, Principal Dr. D. V. Pawar

❖ Details of various Camps attended by the Cadets:

- 1) **1st Camp**: G. V. MAVLANKAR - I at Kalyan which was held on 14th May 2019 under the leadership of SGT Shubham Surve in which 2 cadets were participated in the camp. All cadets selected for next camp.
- 2) **2nd Camp**: TSC-CATC - I at Nashik Devlali which was held on 19th May 2019 under the leadership of CPL Sunny Jadhav in which 9 cadets participated in the camp. CDT Omkar Pardhiye, CDT Dhakane Sarang selected for next camp.
- 3) **3rd Camp**: AMARKANTAK TRACKING at Madhya Pradesh which was held on 21st May 2019 in which CSUO Shubham Mane was participated.
- 4) **4th Camp**: G. V. MAVLANKAR - II at Ulhasnagar which was held on 27th May 2019 in which SGT Shubham Surve, SGT Amit Yadav, CDT Ganesh Kekan selected for next camp.
- 5) **5th Camp**: TSC-CATC-II at Nashik Devlali which was held on 11th June 2019 in which CDT Dhakane Sarang was participated and CDT Omkar Pardhiye selected for next camp.
- 6) **6th Camp**: G.V.MAVLANKAR-IGC at Pune which was held on 7th June 2019 in which SGT Amit Yadav, CDT Ganesh Kekan was participated and SGT Shubham Surve selected for next camp.
- 7) **7th Camp**: TSC-CATC-III at Nashik Devlali which was held on 30th July 2019 in which CDT Omkar Pardhiye selected for next camp.
- 8) **8th Camp**: TSC-IGC at Amaravati which was held on 8th August 2019 in which CDT Omkar Pardhiye, CDT Ganesh Kekan was participated.
- 9) **9th Camp**: G.V.MAVLANKAR-CAT-I at Pune which was held on 17th June 2019 in which SGT Shubham Surve selected for the next camp.
- 10) **10th Camp**: G.V.MAVLANKAR-CAT-II at Pune which was held on 27th June 2019 in which SGT Shubham Surve selected for the next camp.
- 11) **11th Camp**: G.V.MAVLANKAR-CAT-III at Pune which was held on 10th July 2019 in which SGT Shubham Surve selected for the next camp.
- 12) **12th Camp**: G. V. MAVLANKAR AT WEST BENGAL was held on 4th August 2019 in which SGT Shubham Surve was participated.
- 13) **13th Camp**: CATC at Khadawali which was held on 16th August 2019 under the leadership of L/CPL Damu Ingle, in which 20 cadets were participated in the camp.
- 14) **14th Camp**: PRE-RDC-I at Khadawali which was held on 24th September 2019 under the leadership of CJUO Ratnesh Maurya, in which 20 cadets were participated in the camp.
- 15) **15th Camp**: Pre-RDC-II at Khadawali which was held on 5th October 2019 under the leadership of CJUO Amit Gade, in which 20 cadets were participated in the camp.
- 16) **16th Camp**: PRE-RDC-III at Khadawali which was held on 16th October 2019 under the leadership of SGT Chinmay Paranjape, in which 20 cadets were participated in the camp. SGT Atish Koli, SGT Kishan Dubey was selected for next camp.
- 17) **17th Camp**: RDC-IGC at Pune which was held on 4th November 2019 in which SGT Atish Koli, SGT Kishan Dubey was participated. SGT Kishan Dubey selected for next camp.
- 18) **18th Camp**: RDC-CAT-I at Pune which was held on 15th November 2019 in which SGT Kishan Dubey was selected for next camp.
- 19) **19th Camp**: RDC-CAT-II at Pune which was held on 26th November 2019 in which SGT Kishan Dubey was selected for next camp.

- 20) **20th Camp** : RDC-CAT-III at Pune which was held on 6th December 2019 in which SGT Kishan Dubey was selected for next camp.
- 21) **21st Camp** : RDC-CAT-IV at Pune which was held on 19th December 2019 in which SGT Kishan Dubey was selected for Republic Day Camp at Delhi.
- 22) **22nd Camp** : NARMADA TRACKING at Gujrat which was held on 27th November 2019 in which CSM Divyanshushekhar Pathak, SGT Aniket Harugade was participated in this camp.
- 23) **23rd Camp** : OTA CAPSULE at Kamti which was held on 1st January 2020 in which CJUO Ratnesh Maurya was participated.
- 24) **24th Camp** : Post RDC at Colaba which was held on 30th January 2020 under the leadership of CJUO Amit Gade in which 6 cadets were participated.

**Other Activities:****1) International Yoga Day :**

1 MAH BN NCC organized International Yoga Day on 21st June 2019 at Kirti College more than 300 cadets of other colleges were participated in this program.

**2) Drug Abuse Rally :**

26th June 2019 organized Drug Abuse Rally in our Kirti College Area in this activity 50 cadets participated under the leadership of CSUO Shubham Mane.

**3) Independence Day :**

Kalina University appointed 3 cadets of Kirti College on the occasion of Independence Day CJUO Ratnesh Maurya was commander and SGT Samir Shaikh and SGT Kishan Dubey as pilots.

**4) Swachhata Abhiyan:**

20th August 2019 organized Swachhata Abhiyan in Kirti College Beach in this activity 60 cadets participated under the leadership of CJUO Amit Gade.

**5) Beach Cleaning:**

1MAHBN NCC organized Swachhata Pakhawada on 15th September 2019 at Kirti College Beach in this activity 50 cadets participated under the leadership of CJUO Amit Gade with Havldar Lakhwindar Singh (PI STAFF-1MAH BN NCC) attended the program.

**6) Indian Coast Guard Beach Cleaning:**

On 20th September 2019 organized Indian Coast Guard Beach Cleaning activity our Kirti College

30 cadets were participated under the leadership of CJUO Amit Gade.

**7) Gandhi Jayanti:**

Gandhi Jayanti celebrated in Gate Of India on 2nd October 2019 our Kirti College 60 cadets participated in this activity under the leadership of CSUO Shubham Mane and CJUO Amit Gade.

**8) Run Of Unity:**

31st October 2019 on the occasion of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel Jayanti 'Run of Unity' organized the marathon at marine drive our Kirti College 30 cadets participated in this marathon under the leadership of CJUO Amit Gade.

**9) Atharva Foundation:**

Atharva Foundation invited the 1MAH BN NCC in their event on 26th November 2019 our Kirti College 5 cadets participated in this event under the leadership of CJUO Siddhesh Pimparkar.

**10) Drill Competition at ASC Thana College:**

Under the leadership of CSUO Shubham Mane, 18 cadets participated in Drill Competition at ASC Thana College which was held on 7th December 2019 and we consistently got 1st prize in Drill Competition and Best parades commander prize in drill competition.

**11) Blood Donation:**

Kirti College organized the Blood Donation camp our 20 cadets were volunteers in this event. ANO LT. N. A. Borade Sir and CJUO Amit Gade donated the blood.

**12) Republic Day:**

On 26th January 2020 occasion of the Republic Day in air india airline invited the kirti college band squad performed the various types of band formation under the leadership of CJUO Amit Gade.

Same day, CSUO Shubham Mane appointed in kalina university in this activity 30 cadets were participated.

**13) Mulla Auditorium Event 5th February 2020:**

A cultural event was arranged at mulla auditorium in order to welcome the cadets who returned from the Republic Day Camp, Delhi in the programme Maharashtra festivals, cultural were presented. In this event our Kirti College 30 cadets were participated under the leadership of CJUO Amit Gade.

**14) NCC Day Event on 7th February 2020:**

This event was arranged at Azad Maidan, CSMT. 5 Cadets participated in this event various cadets from different colleges presented dance, lezim, parade, malkhamb etc.

**❖ NCC DAY (2ND January 2020)**

NCC Day is special activity for Kirti College cadets. Cadets show their creativity, talent, hard work, skill, ability and leadership.

**❖ Following were the events performed by the cadets: On the occasion of NCC Day.**

Guard of honour, Inspection by Chief Guest, March Pass, Band formation, Obstacles Course, Section Attack, Skit, Bayonet fighting.

- 1) The Chief Guest for the occasion was ADVOCATE NEEL HELEKAR Guard Of Honour which was commanded by CJUO Siddhesh Pimparkar.
- 2) Pilots SGT Samir Shaikh and SGT Deepak Parte receive the Chief Guest.
- 3) The whole March Pass was commanded by CSUO Shubham Mane.
- 4) Rifle guard was commanded by CJUO Siddhesh Pimparkar.
- 5) Band Squad was commanded by CJUO Amit Gade.
- 6) Guard squad was commanded by CQMS Aniket Parab.
- 7) Palton squad was commanded by CDT Omkar Pardhiye.
- 8) Nishan Toli was commanded by CSM Divyanshushkekhar Pathak.
- 9) The cadets performed section attack demonstration in which CDT Rohit Gadge was section Commander and 9 cadets are participated in the demonstration.
- 10) The cadets performed skit demonstration in which L/CPL Sachin Tayde was leader and 10 cadets participated in the demonstration.
- 11) The last event of the NCC Day was Bayonet fighting in which cadets gave there thrilling performance. CJUO Siddhesh Pimparkar was the commander while CJUO Amit Gade, SGT Aniket Harugade, SGT Amit Yadav, CDT Nikhil Dhavan, CDT Omkar Pardhiye were the Bayonet fighters. CJUO Amit Gade was best Bayonet fighter.

**❖ Retirement Trophies**

1. CSUO Shubham Mane
2. CJUO Amit Gade
3. CJUO Ratnesh Maurya

4. CJUO Siddhesh Pimparkar
  5. CSM Divyanshushkekhar Pathak
  6. CQMS Aniket Parab
  7. SGT Shubham Surve
  8. SGT Aniket Harugade
  9. SGT Siddesh Kadam
  10. SGT Chinmay Paranjape
  11. SGT Atish Koli
  12. CPL Sanket Kamble
  13. CPL Damu Ingle
  14. CPL Manish Kamble
  15. CPL Samir Shaikh
  16. CPL Sunny Jadhav
  17. L/CPL Shridhar Naik
  18. L/CPL Ganesh Katare
  19. L/CPL Rushikesh Panchal
  20. L/CPL Ajit Salunkhe
  21. CDT Yash Katkar
  22. CDT Prathamesh Pasi
  23. CDT Akshay Gadge
  24. CDT Nikhil Dhavan
  25. CDT Omkar Pardhiye
- ❖ Annual Prize from NCC unit:
- ❖ Achievements by 1st year
- L/CPL Rutik Gurav - Best Turnout
- L/CPL Sachin Tayde - Best Drill
- L/CPL Harshraj Kharat – Best Cross Country
- CDT Rohit Gadge – Best Cadet
- CDT Gaurav Patil – Best Performance
- ❖ Achievements by 2nd year
- SGT Deepak Parte – Best Pilot
- SGT Vineet Gaikwad – Best Turnout
- SGT Amit Yadav – G.V.MAVLANKAR IGC
- CDT Ganesh Kekan – G.V.MAVLANKAR IGC AND TSC IGC
- CDT Jai Shetty – Best Drill
- ❖ Achievements by 3rd year
- CJUO Amit Gade – Best Under Officer Of The Year
- SGT Siddesh Kadam – Best SGT
- SGT Samir Shaikh – Best Pilot
- ❖ Cadets selected in indian army in 2019:
- CJUO Akshay Khade (Batch 2017-18)
- SGT Praful Anbhule (Batch 2017-18)
- SGT Kiran Pabharekar (batch 2018-19)
- CDT Vaibhav Bagal (batch 2018-19)

**Prof. (Lt.) N. A. Borade**  
ANO, NCC (Boys)



## N. C. C. (GIRLS)

The Kirti College Girls NCC Unit under the aegies of 5 MAH GIRL'S BN NCC began its activities with full zeal and fervor in June 2019. The training year 2019-2020 started under the graceful leadership of CSUO Jagruti Patil, CSUO Shivani Pandey, CJUO Ankita Upade, CJUO Manali Palshetkar and CJUO Seema Solanki. 47 new cadets were enrolled for the first year. After the initial training a promise parade was held on 15th August 2019. Independence Day was celebrated with great pride. Principal Dr. D. V. Pawar hoisted the national flag after which the cadets took oath. National Integration Program portraying festivals of Maharashtra was presented by the cadets. It was followed by a Bengali group song (ekala chalo re). The programme was much appreciated by the audience. After 2010 this year Kirti College bagged Mumbai University's VC Banner for Year 2019-20.

A brief account of various camps attended by our cadets for the year 2019-2020 are as follows.

- CDT Kashish Choudhary attended the Ooty Trekking Camp held at Nilgiri, Ooty from 6th May 2019 to 13th May 2019.
- CQMS Jagruti Patil, SGT Manali Palshetkar, SGT Seema Solanki, CPL Rasika Shinde, LCPL Zareena Khan, LCPL Maitreyi Sapane, CDT Ankita Nikam, CDT Nikita Patil, CDT Sakshi Uthale, CDT Nisha Said, CDT Yashashri Naik, CDT Komal Chavan, CDT Tanishka Kamble, CDT Amreen Khan, CDT Shubhangi Helode, CDT Shivani Gupta, CDT Tisha Pardesi, CDT Simran Shedage, CDT Diksha Baswat and CDT Tanvi Bole attended the Annual Training Camp held at M.M.P. Shah College, Matunga from 13th May to 21st May 2019. CQMS Jagruti Patil bagged the camp senior Trophy. SGT Manali Palshetkar bagged medal for piloting. 19 cadets won medals for displaying Disaster Management programme.
- CDT Ankita Nikam and CDT Simran Shedage attended Hospital Attachment Camp at INHS Ashwini Nursing College from 3rd June 2019 to 14th June 2019
- SGT Seema Solanki attended the Ek Bharat Sreshth Bharat (EBSB) Camp at Pokhal, Uttarakhand from 11th June 2019 to 22nd June 2019. Maharashtra Directorate secured 1st Place in NIAP.
- CSUO Jagruti Patil, CJUO Ankita Upade, CSM Seema Solanki, CSM Manali Palshetkar, SGT Ankita Nikam, SGT Nikita Patil, CPL Komal Chavan, LCPL Yashshri Naik, CDT Tanishka Kamble attended the Annual Training Camp GSC -I held at J.N.P.T. Uran from 8th July 2019 to 17th July 2019.
- CSUO Jagruti Patil, CSM Seema Solanki, SGT Nikeeta Patil, CPL Komal Chavan, CDT Tanishka Kamble attended the Combined Annual Training Camp- TSC at J.N.P.T. URAN held from 28th July 2019 to 6th August 2019.
- CSUO Jagruti Patil and CSM Seema Solanki attended TSC-IGC Camp at Aurangabad from 7th August 2019 to 16th August 2019. They represented "Mumbai A" Group.
- CJUO Shivani Pandey attended the Personality Development Camp at Officer's Training Academy OTA Chennai from 16th September 2019 to 21st September 2019. She went through various selection processes to get qualified for this camp. Training and coaching for SSB was given by Army officers.
- CSM Manali Palsethkar, SGT Namrata Gholap, SGT Diksha Baswat, CPL Shivani Gupta, CPL Yashshri Naik, LCPL Komal Chavan, CDT Karina Minde and CDT Sonali Varma attended the ATC cum RDC Camp at Kalyan Central Railway Schools, Kalyan from 23rd September 2019 to 2nd October 2019.
- CSM Manali Palsethkar, SGT Diksha Baswat, CPL Shivani Gupta, CDT Karina Minde, CDT Sonali Varma attended the RDC I camp at Kalyan Central Railway Schools, Kalyan from 04th October 2019 to 13th October 2019.
- CQMS Maitreyi Sapane attended the Special

National Integration Camp at Kakinada, Andhra Pradesh from 12th October 2019 to 23 October 2019. Maharashtra Directorate Secured 1st place in NIAP Presentation And All India Girl's Senior.

- SGT Diksha Baswat, CPL Shivani Gupta, CDT Karina Minde selected RDCI at Kalyan Central Railway School, Kalyan from 17th October 2019 to 26th October 2019.
- CJUO Ankita Upade and SGT Sakshi Lande attended the EK BHARAT SHRESTHA BHARAT CAMP (EBSB) at CKT College, Panvel from 1st November 2019 to 12th November 2019 "Mumbai A" group NIAP.
- SGT Diksha Baswat and CDT Karina Minde were selected for RDC – IGC at Pune from 4th November 2019 to 16th November 2019.

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1. World Environment Week: The "World Environment Day" was observed on 5th June 2019. We celebrated Environment week from 5th June to 10th June 2019 in our College.
- On 5th June 2019 World environment day was celebrated at Shivaji Park, various activity were conducted such as tree identification, Environment awareness rally from Shivaji Park to Kirti college, tree plantation was held in Kirti college campus, 41 trees were planted by NCC Girl cadets.
- On 6th June 2019 a Poster Making Competition was conducted in our College. Posters on Various Environment Problems were made.
- On 7th June 2019 a Rally was conducted to create awareness for protecting environment was conducted from Kirti College to Shivaji Park via Cadel Road.

- On 8th June 2019 Seed Balls were made out of soil and waste paper 38 Cadets participated in seed ball making. This year our cadets prepared more than 10000 seed balls.
  - On 10th June 2019 Tree Plantation was done in Kirti College Campus. 29 Trees were planted by cadets.
2. Seed Balls Plantation : On 15th June 2019, 133 seed bombs were planted, each bomb containing 4 to 5 seeds of various indigenous trees. 29 cadets participated in this programme. Trees were planted at Bank of Mithi River at Dahisar.
  3. International Yoga Day: On 21st June 2019 International Yoga Day was celebrated with great zeal and enthusiasm in the campus of Kirti college. 105 cadets including the current and ex cadets participated and various forms of Yoga were performed.
  4. International Day Against Drug Abuse and Illicit Trafficking: On 26th June 2019, 48 cadets, 1 GCI and 1 PI staff From 5 MAH GIRL'S BN NCC participated in international day against Drug abuse and illicit trafficking.
  - Poster Making Competition was conducted; different posters were made to stop Drug abuse and Illicit Trafficking.
  - Rally was also conducted to create awareness against drug abuse and illicit trafficking.
  5. Kargil Vijay Divas: On 22nd July 2019 Kargil Vijay Divas was celebrated with great zeal and enthusiasm and give tribute to martyrs. Cadets performed a short skit on Kargil war which was portraying the story of the war. To celebrate this day Officers of Indian coast guard were invited.
  6. Foot Policing Activity : On 27th July 2019 Beach cleaning activity was conducted 30 cadets participated in it.
  7. Joy of Giving: On 18th August 2019 Joy of giving activity done in village in Kandivali. Notebooks, clothes and stationery were distributed among childrens.
  8. Tree plantation Activity : On 31st August 2019 Trees were planted in Kirti College campus. 40

Vol 2, Issue3. Dece, 2019 with ISSN 2581-5857, entitled "Eco-ethical Predicament: Apocalypse in Edward Albee's Seascape". Pg 11-15. <https://www.gapjournals.org/view-articles.php/iid=17>.

- Attended a work shop on 11th and 12th January, 2020 on "Digital Teaching and E-content" at RMP, Uttan.
- Conceived and conducted a Work Shop on "Projection of Love, Sex and Violence in Films and Literature: Psychoanalysis of Kabir Singh".
- Invited as a resource person to conduct a Work Shop on "Challenges in Translating Short-stories" at M. D. College, Parel on 25th, Jan, 2020.
- Organised a Symposium on "Voicing the Stories of Voiceless" for the staff members of degree and junior college staff on 28th Jan, 2020 in Kirti College.
- Attended a short term course in HRDC, Mumbai University from 5th Feb to 11th Feb, 2020 on "Yoga for Health".
- Worked in the organizing committee of National Symposium on IPR: A Prerequisite in Higher Education and Research on 15th Feb, 2020.
- Delivered a lecture on "Versatility: Thy name is Woman (Mii Ashtbhuj)" on 8th March, 2020 at Padgha, Bhiwandi.
- Published a paper in "Research Journal Of English. Vol 4, Issue 4. Dece, 2019 with ISSN 2456-2696, entitled "Non-Conformist Absurdist: Edward Albee's Experimentations in Drama". Pg 158-164. Impact factor(SJIF) 4.845. <http://www.rjoe.org.in/>.
- Submitted a proposal for MRP on "Reading of Religious Texts and Fear of Death: A Study of Senior Citizens in Thane City" on November, 2019, accepted by University in March 2020.

- Published a research paper in a journal titled, Purakala with (ISSN 0971-2143) Vol. 31 Issue 14 Month April Year 2020 Impact Factor 5.60. on "Decline in Reading Culture Among The College Students". The journal is indexed, peer reviewed and listed in UGC Care.
- Attended 48 sessions of International Professional FDP, from 20th April, 2020.
- Attended live National session on E- Learning – A Road ahead conducted by MUCTA on 18th April, 2020.
- Attended live National session on Creation of MOOCS conducted by Kirti College on 27th April, 2020.

**(3) MR. SUNIL BAMANE:**

- Participated in Online Quiz conducted by Kamala College, Kolhapur on Intellectual Property Rights on 26th April 2020.
- Participated in a webinar on MOOCs which was conducted by DES Kirti M. Doongursee College. April 2020.
- Participated in webinar on "NAAC Revised Accreditation Framework 2020" organized by Rubrics Softcon Private LTD, Pune on 30th April 2020.

**(4) MS. DIANA PAUL:**

- Presented a paper in the Two day National Conference on "Re-imagining the Margins: New Literatures and Alternative Marginalities"- organized by SNDT University, Department of English on 5th & 6th March 2019.
- Presented in the workshop on "Diaspora Theory: Old and New" Organized by Department of English & Research Centre for Women's Studies of SNDT Women's University on 5th January 2018.

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Head, Dept. of English



cadets participated, 30 trees were planted by cadets.

9. Seed Bomb Making: On 7th September 2019 Seed Bomb making activity done in Shri.Gurudatta Mortal School. 2 Cadets from our unit participated and taught students to make seed bombs.
10. Beach Cleaning Activity : On 17th September 2019 54 cadets helped in cleaning the beach. After 10th day immersion of Ganesh idols, cadets went on the Shivaji Park beach early morning. There were many idols, flower garlands and other litter along the beach. Also cadets motivated nearby localities to clean. They also created awareness on eco friendly and artificial ponds.
11. Vidhan Bhavan Activity : On 27th September 2019 Cadets were shown how Vidhan Sabha and decisions are taken.
12. Road Safety Rally (Mahawalkathon) : On 23rd November 2019 Road Safety Rally (Mahawalkathon) was conducted with BMS Department of College at Shivaji Park. 60 cadets participated in this Mahawalkathon. Cadets with help of Traffic Police controlled Traffic. Oath was taken to obey traffic rules.
13. Swachata Pakhawada (Swachata Week) : Swachata Pakhawada was celebrated to create awareness. Various activities were conducted, from 13th December 2019 to 16th December 2019
  - On 13th December 2019 30 cadets participated in Swachata Abhiyan. Cadets cleaned surrounding area of the college.
  - On 14th December 2019, 45 cadets participated in Poster making competition.
  - On 16th December 2019, 35 cadets participated in Slogan making competition.
  - Beach Cleaning Activity : On 12th December 2019, 40 cadets participated in beach cleaning activity was conducted. Plastic bottle and garbage were collected.
14. Blood Donation activity : On 22nd Jan 2020 Blood Donation programme was organized jointly by Kirti College, K. E. M Hospital and HDFC Bank.

Team of Doctors and Technicians from Blood Bank of K. E. M Hospital, Parel had come for above Programme respectively. NCC Cadets volunteered for registration, inviting people for Blood donation giving them prior knowledge about Blood donation, before and after giving blood, assisting the blood donation for proper refreshment. 5 cadets also donated blood.

15. Mulla Auditorium Event : On 5th February 2020 : A cultural event was arranged at Mullah Auditorium in order to welcome the cadets who returned from the Republic Day Camp, Delhi. In the programme Maharashtrian festivals, culture were presented.
16. NCC Day Event : On 7th February 2020 NCC Day event was arranged at Azad Maidan, CSMT. 25 cadets participated in this event. Various cadets from different colleges presented dance, lezim, prede, aromatics demonstration, etc.
17. Outstanding feature of Kirti NCC Unit : Like every year, NCC Day as celebrated with great passion on 2nd January 2020. Adv. Neel Helekar was the Honorable Chief Guest of the function. Cadets exhibited various demonstrations like March Past, Obstacle Course, Self Defense, Disaster Management, Tent Pitching, Cultural etc. Cadets were given prizes at the hands of the Honorable Chief Guest.
18. Forum for Awareness Of National Security Dated 25th October 2019.  
The Activity Aware Girl's Cadets About National security.
19. Road Safety Rally Activity Dated On 23rd Nov. 2019  
Road Safety Rally Conduct With BMS Department Of College, At Shivaji Park.
20. Swachata Pakhawada Activity Dated 13th Dec. 2019  
Poster Making Competition Done On 13th Dec. in College Campus, For Price Distribution College Staff Is Present.
21. Mulla Auditorium Activity Dated on 10th Jan.

2020 An Motivational Lecture was delivered to the Cadets at Mulla Auditorium on 10th Jan. 2020.

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### Outstanding Achievement

#### • Republic Day Camp

Marching on Rajpath is a dream of every cadet and it is only fulfilled by working hard on your dreams and brings them into reality. Marching on Rajpath for Republic Day is such an honor to a cadet, this year, our cadet CSUO Shivani Pandey was privileged to accept this honor. She worked extremely hard for 6 months during series of selection camps and pinned RD badge on her uniform. She had marched on occasion of Republic Day on Rajpath which is such a proud moment for Kirti College. She represented Maharashtra Directorate at Delhi. Maharashtra Directorate received award of Best Senior Wing Directorate for the year 2019. She was featured in NBT newspaper, as the only girl from Mumbai 'A' group to march on Rajpath.

- Proud moment for Our College: Mumbai University's Vice Chancellors Banner

This year Mumbai University's Vice Chancellors Banner for the Best NCC unit was awarded to the NCC girls unit of our college. This is indeed one of the proud moments for us. The banner was awarded on 7th Feb 2020 on the occasion of NCC day celebration at the hands of honorable Sports

Minister Shri. Sunil Kedare. The banner was handed over to Principal Dr. D.V.Pawar and ANO Major Urmila Sarkar.

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1. Best Parade Commander - CSUO Shivani Pandey
2. Best Drill in 3rd Year - CJUO Ankita Upade
3. Best Performance of 3rd Year - CQMS Bhavana Dhuri
4. Best Cultural of 3rd Year - CQMS Maitreyi Sapane
5. Best Cadet in 2nd Year - SGT Simran Shedde
6. Best Performance in 2nd Year - SGT Zaisa Khan
7. Best Drill in 2nd Year - SGT Diksha Baswat
8. Best Turnout in 2nd Year - SGT Shubhangi Helode
9. Best Cadet in 1st Year - CDT Prachi Gawade
10. Best Drill in 1st Year - CDT Sakshi Mahalim
11. Best Obstacles in 1st Year - CDT Neha Yadav
12. Best Cross Country in 1st Year - CDT Bhakti Rambade
13. Best Cultural in 1st Year - CDT Vaishnavi Kharat
14. Pilot of the Year 2019-20 - CDT Sejal Choughule
15. Pilot of the Year 2019-20 - CDT Sonali Renuses ➤ Examination
- 'B' Certificate Examination: On 8th February 2020, 'B' Certificate examination was held at SNTD College, Churchgate. 28 cadets appeared for 'B' Certificate examination for year 2020.
- 'C' Certificate Examination: On 8th March 2020, 'C' Certificate examination was held at D. Y. Patil University, Nerul. 24 cadets appeared for 'C' Certificate examination for year 2020.

**Dr. (Major) Urmila Sarkar**  
Coy Commander

## NSS - Junior College

**5th September-11th September**

### 101 Street Play

Kirti College NSS Unit Conducted 101 Play during Ganesh Chaturthi. The Topic of 101 Play was water conservation. The main objective was to spread awareness on water conservation. There were total 2 groups. Following points were highlighted in the street play -

1. Wastage of Water
2. Scarcity of Water
3. Needy to Save Water
4. Affects Due to Urbanisation.

Plays Were Performed in Dadar, Worli, Vile parle, Matunga, Vikhroli, Santacruz, Prabhadevi, Parel, Tilak Nagar, Ghatkopar, Kurla, Charni Road, Kalachowki, Sayani Road, Mankur.

### Unit Cleaning Activity

Kirti college NSS unit conducts the activity of Unit Cleaning once in a month. Around 15 volunteers always take part in the activity. The volunteers also clean the college premises while doing the activity.

### Weekly activity each Sunday.

#### Kirti Kiran

Every Sunday street children are being brought by NSS volunteers from Dadar railway station to Kirti college. As soon as they enter the premises, they play some outdoor game, in the campus like cricket, kho-kho, kabaddi, etc. and indoor games like carom. These children are made to clean themselves and then have a session of yoga and prayer which are conducted by NSS volunteers. This is followed by an educational session in which these children are taught basic courses in languages like English, Hindi and Marathi, elementary subjects like mathematics, history, geography, science, literature general knowledge, Indian studies, etc. They are given

basic knowledge of environment. Students are made to perform skits or songs. Their talents are also garnered through painting, rangoli competition and handicrafts. At the end of the session these children are fed with wholesome nutritious food like poha and khichdi which is homemade. After that we leave them to their place. Festivals like Diwali are celebrated by distributing sweets and faral, Christmas by distributing sweets and clothes, New Year by distributing slate and pencil to needy children. This is one of the best examples of students being included in the tradition of human service.

### Nav Kirti

We conducted Nav Kirti project from 29th September to 07 October 2019. Where the volunteers celebrated each colour in a different way with a social cause. Like red for information on menstrual cycle, green for tree plantation, yellow for gender justice and so on.

**Day 1: Topic :** Oath on swachhta, ahimsa and shantata

**Colour :** White

Our NSS unit conducted an activity of cleaning the surrounding area. This activity was in college and near college areas. We cleaned our unit and surrounding and also the roadside area of our college.

**Day 2: Topic :** Session on Menstrual Cycle

**Colour :** Red

NSS Unit conducted a session on Menstrual Cycle by Kirti college biology teachers. They gave us information about menstrual cycle, diseases and solutions. All doubts were solved for the same. The session ended by their vote of thanks to the m.

**Day 3: Topic :-** Session on LGBTQ

**Colour :** Yellow

NSS unit conducted a session on LGBTQ. This session was taken by a MAVA member Omkar



Wakkar. He explained about MAVA NGO and also shared some information and stories and situations of LGBTQ community members. The motive of this session was to spread awareness and try to support LGBTQ community.

**Day 4: Topic : Beach Cleaning**

**Colour : Royal Blue**

Kirti college NSS Unit conducted an activity of Bleach Cleaning at Dadar beach. The activity was in early morning. The activity between mid of the morning.

**Day 5: Topic : Tree plantation**

**Colour : Green**

Kirti college NSS unit conducted an activity tree plantation in Kirti college. Volunteers were divided in two groups. The volunteers were supposed to dig pits for the plants. Then the saplings were planted. The main motive of the drive was not just to plant trees but to also look after them after they were planted.

**Day 6: Topic : Self Defence**

**Colour : Grey**

Kirti college NSS Unit conducted an activity of Self Defence. Our Chief Guest and Trainer taught us the techniques of attack and defence to all volunteers even boys too. The motive was to that every volunteer or student must protect themselves from any type of problem especially physical attack problem.

**Day 7: Topic : Personality Development**

**Colour : Peacock Green**

Kirti college NSS unit conducted a session of Personality development by life member. Deccan Education Society Minal Mapuskar. She explained us the importance of goal deciding and also motivated us to achieve the goal successfully. NSS Unit conducted an activity on the occasion of Dr Abdul Kalam's birth anniversary, on 15th October 2019. It was a very good inspiring experience to give tribute to our Dr Abdul Kalam on their birth anniversary.

**26 January to 1st February 2020**

## Pride Week

Kirti college NSS unit started a new project called pride week. The main motive was to spread awareness on LGBTQ community and show our support towards them. Our unit also conducted an activity of poster making. Volunteers were provided drawing papers to all the participants. The posters and slogans made were in support and respect to LGBTQ community. The motive of this activity to use this poster in the rally. The volunteers conducted an activity of making a Greeting card. We also conducted a fun and attractive Game session. In this, volunteers expressed their views by playing games. The motive of this session was to understand what is gender and the view of people towards it. Our unit volunteers performed a Street play to support the LGBTQ community. The play was performed near Suvidha famous shop at Dadar Station. Lastly the NSS Volunteers Participated in Pride Rally at Azad Maidan. The Main Motive was to Show our Support, Love and Respect to LGBTQ Community.

**6th to 12th February**

## Oral Cancer Week

Kirti College NSS unit started a New Project named 'Oral Cancer Week'. The main motive to start this project was to spread awareness on Oral Cancer. As Oral Cancer stands in first three Cancer's in India on this occasion the volunteers took a pledge on acceptance of Cancer patients and precautions on Oral Cancer. Further the volunteers conducted an activity of Poster Making. In which Volunteers made a Poster based on Oral Cancer, they highlighted precautions to be taken to avoid cancer.

As part of this programme the unit conducted an interactive session on oral cancer awareness and Dental Check-up campaign with Indian Dental Association (IDA)

Lastly our unit performed a street play about Oral Cancer. The play covered all the symptoms, effects and solution about Oral Cancer. The play was near Siddhi-Vinayak temple, opposite to IDA building.

**14th to 18th February 2020**

### **Valentine's Week**

We conducted the Valentine week activity to display the love, respect, support to the people who really need love like street animals, nature, patients, beggars, etc.

The volunteers distributed the greeting cards to Non-Teaching Staff. The main motive to distribute Greeting Cards was to show love, and respect towards them.

We also conducted an interactive session with blind students. Where volunteers on trained them by singing songs.

**14th February, 2019**

#### **Black Day**

Kirti College NSS Unit conducted an activity of Greeting making and Greeting Distribution to Police officers and Traffic police. The main motive was to show respect and support towards them.

**16 February 2020**

#### **Beach Cleaning**

NSS Unit conducted an Activity of Beach Cleaning which was organised by Dadar Beach Clean-Up. Volunteers took Active participation

**21st February 2020**

#### **Crowd Management**

Kirti College NSS unit conducted a crowd management activity as per the Annual function of Kirti College, 'Kirti Cheers'. Volunteers managed the crowd very properly and tried to avoid the arguments between them. All the volunteers enjoyed doing this activity.

**22nd February 2020**

#### **Poster Making for Alumini Meet-2020**

On the Occasion of Alumini Meet-20 Kirti College NSS Unit conducted a Poster Making Activity. In which Volunteers represented Major Projects and Activities through making posters. All volunteers enjoyed this activity.

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**Programme Officer,**  
**NSS Unit**  
**Junior College**

## **NSS - Degree College**

It's a matter of pride for Kirti M. Doongursee College as this year, Kirti college NSS unit has been awarded with "Best NSS Unit Award" for the year 2018-19 at District Level by University of Mumbai. Our unit also got "Best NSS program officer Award" for the year 2018-19 at District Level.

### **NSS PROJECTS**

#### **Kirti College Initiatives**

Kirti college NSS Unit works for betterment of Society as well as volunteer through different activities under different projects. Some of our projects are as follows:

- Kirti Kiran
- Nav Kirti
- Say No To Plastic

- Selfless Selfie Drive
- Nirmalaya Composting Project

#### **Kirti Kiran**

Kirti Kiran project is mainly for street children who ran away from their homes or live on street with their parents, etc. This year the project was lead by second year NSS volunteer Ms. Neha Khan and First year NSS volunteer Mr. Parmeshwar Ufade. They, with the team of volunteers namely Ms. Nisha Humbre, Ms. Mayuri Jadhav, Ms. Manasi Berde, Mr. Rishikesh Khnnojiya, Mr. Nishit Vishwakarma, Mr. Ritesh Mangoankar, Mr. Darshan Kalambe initiated a survey to find such children in almost every railway stations located in Mumbai and found about 25 street children. Every

Sunday, the street children are brought to Kirti college and we interact with them so as to develop positive attitude among these street children towards life. Our volunteers not only teach them their academic subjects but also teach social ethics, Meditation, Yoga, Sports, Dance, Drawing etc. This project is under the supervision of NSS program officer initiated Mr. Ankush Dalvi and Ms. Mrinalini Chavan.

### Nav-Kirti

This project is being conducted by kirti college NSS unit since the year 2017. In this project NSS volunteers have rendered different social activities with respect to Nine colors for Nine Days of Navratri.

Day	Colour	Correlate	Activity
1st	Royal Blue	Colour of Water	Voter ID & Cotton bag distribution
2nd	Yellow	Colour of Empowerment	Women Empowerment
3rd	Green	Colour of Nature	Environment awareness activity & Tree Plantation
4th	Grey	Colour of Road	Activity about Road Safety & Poster Making
5th	Orange	Colour of Food	Activity on Food Adulteration
6th	White	Colour of Peace	Oath on Plastic Free society
7th	Red	Colour of Blood	AIDS Awareness
8th	Sky Blue	Colour of Sea	Plastic free Campus
9th	Pink	Colour of Love	Making Thank You letter for Staff Members

This project was mainly lead by Mr. Suraj Bhosale, Mr. Shreyas Sawant, Ms. Sejal Kolambkar, Ms. Bharati Ghadi.

### Say No To Plastic

Our unit has initiated a Drive called "Say No To Plastic". This project has been started from the year 2017 in association with 'Global Enviro Solution'.

This year, the project was launched under title "Bottle for Change" with Bisleri International Pvt. Ltd. under guidance of university of Mumbai. In this project we collected around 50-70 kg plastic bottles and sent it for recycling.

The volunteers actively participated in this drive are Mr. Sahil Rane, Mr. Ritesh Kadam, Mr. Kunal Gaikwad, Ms. Neha Khan, Ms. Bhakti Shirke.

### Selfless Selfie Drive (Kolhapur Food Relief)

This project has been started from the year 2018. In this project, our volunteers use to collect Books, Cloths and Toys from the college students, college teachers & non-teaching staff and donate it to the street children. This year, we collected the material for Kolhapur and Sangli Flood victims. Kirti college NSS volunteers collected food material, Cloths, Dry Fruits, Sanitary Napkins, medicines, water bottles, etc. and donated it to the peoples affected by floods. Professor Priyanka Jinagouda and students from BMS department also actively participated.

### Nirmalaya Composting Project ( Aug , 2019)

This year our Unit has prepare Nirmalaya composting tank in our college premises. Volunteers collected Nirmalaya from Dadar Chowpathy among 10 days of Ganesh Festival and putted it for composting. The leading volunteers in this project are Mr Suraj Bhosale, Mr. Girish Desai, Ms. Sejal Kolamkar, Ms. Nisha Humbre, Mr. Shubhm Surve and Mr. Parmeshwar Ufade.

### SPECIAL PROJECTS

#### Gaav Tithe Granthalay (University Project)

This is one of the major activity of this year. NSS cell University of Mumbai. NSS unit, started a library at our adopted village Umroli, Panvel, Raigad on 2nd Oct 2019 on the occasion of Gandhi Jayanti.

We collected around 1000 books from Principal, Vice-principals, professors, administrative staff and volunteers of our college.



### Semicentennial Celebration Of NSS Day On 24th Sept, 2019

On the occasion of semi Centennial celebration of NSS in India, Kirti College ,NSS Unit organized University level intercollegiate competition. 'The Magnificent Five' from 19-24th Sept, 2019, which was a five days, series of NSS activity in which Kirti College NSS Unit organized various competitions, dealing with daunting social issues and awareness viz: T-shirt Painting, Poster making, Elocution, Rally and Talent Hunt dealing.

On 24th September 2019, on the occasion of the semiscentennial celebration of the NSS day, the NSS unit organized 'The Magnificent Five Program' on 5th day. A grand celebration and prize distribution of 'The Magnificent Five' competition event also organised. Miss. Naweli Deshmukh, a brand ambassador for NSS, Govt of Maharashtra, a youth icon, miss Indian pageant runner up, a philanthropist, and an internationally recognized face in the fashion industry at national and international level, had been invited as the chief guest on the occasion of the Semiscentennial Celebration NSS day on, 24th Sept 2019, from 10am to 12 pm.

### SOME OTHER PROJECTS

#### Eco-Club

This year we conducted University Level "Save Trees, Save Environment" Rally from the Kirti College to Portuguese church via Sidhivinayak mandir, Dadar. In this rally, 8 colleges and 180 volunteers were involved.

Our NSS unit celebrated 'Vanmahotsav' from 1st July 2019 to 7th July 2019. Volunteers conducted poster competition and Exhibition on 'Save Trees Save Environment' at college level on 1st and 3rd July 2019 respectively. On 5th July 2019, our NSS unit organised a lecture on 'Environment Depletion' by Prof. Smita Jadhav. On 6th July 2019, Kirti College NSS unit organised a poster competition for Deaf students of Pragati Vidyalaya, Dadar (W), Mumbai.

In Vanmahotsav programme, Kirti college volunteers prepared two tree models namely Hirave and Haritkanya in college campus to spread a message of importance of trees.

### Tree Plantation Drives –

Our NSS unit initiated tree plantation drive at village Dhasai, Murbad where they planted about 20 trees on 14th July 2019.

On 28th July 2019, our NSS unit planted 300 saplings at adopted village Umroli.

### Swachh Bharat Abhiyan

Kirti college NSS volunteer participated in Swachta Bharat Abhiyan. Some of the activities are Beach cleaning at Dadar beach, Chaityabhumi Beach cleaning and Mahim Beach cleaning, Oath on Swachta Bharat Abhiyan, Beach cleaning with Indian Coast Guard (21st Sept, 2019), Beach cleaning after Ganapati Visarjan with Astitva Foundation.

### Health And Hygiene

Under this project, we have conducted Blood Donation Camp, 16 days Leprosy survey with BMC G-North and Pulse Polio Drive. Polio dose was administered to 1200 children.

Sr. No.	Name of the programme	No of beneficiaries
1.	Pulse Polio Drive	1200 children
2.	Leprosy survey	200

### Blood Donation Camp

Kirti College NSS Unit have completed 2 Blood Donation Camps in year 2019-20. This blood donation camp has been held under the observation of the Principal Dr. D. V. Pawar, Vice-Principal Prof. Seema Purohit, Vice-Principal Prof. Vitthal Sontakke, Vice-Principal Prof. Kawade, P. O. Ankush Dalvi, P. O. Mrinalini Chavan.

Sr. No.	Date	Organised	No. of Doner
1.	14th Aug, 2019	Sushrusa Hospital	42
2.	22nd Jan, 2020	KEM Hospital	93

### Bamboo Rakhi selling

Our NSS unit was involved in selling handmade Bamboo Rakhi prepared by Adivasi Mahila under the aegis of Vivek Rural Development Centre NGO

Bhalivali (Bamboo handicraft products). Volunteers sold about 200 bamboo rakhis namely Ganga, Saraswati, Kaveri and Godavari among the college students, teachers and staff.

### Anti-Addiction Drive

In this project we endeavoured to spread awareness about the ineffects of drug addiction. During this project our volunteers performed street plays on topic 'Anti-addiction' in our college.

### Gender Sensitization

Our NSS unit worked on Gender Sensitization with MAVA NGO (Men Against Violence and Abuse).

### Training Of Nss Program Officer

Ms Mrinalini Chavan, NSS Program Officer, completed her NSS Program Officer's Training (7 Days) in month of Aug, 2019 at Empanelled Training Institute National Service Scheme, BPHT Society's Ahmednagar College, Ahmednagar.

### PARTICIPATION AT VARIOUS CAMP

- Two volunteers namely, Mr. Omkar Pravin Mhatre and Ms. Radhika Arun Supal, participated in State Level Disaster Management training Camp, "Avhan" at Swami Ramanand Tirth Marathwada University, Nanded from 3rd June 2019 to 12th June, 2019.
- One volunteer namely, Ms. Bhakti Shirke was participated in State Level Socio Cultural Camp "UTKARSH" from 28th -31st January 2020 at Bahinabai Chaudhari North Maharashtra University, Jalgaon.
- One volunteer, Kirti Bargode participated in 7 days' State Level Camp 'Ek Bharat Shreshtha Bharat' from 12 January to 18 January 2020 at Mhaskal (Titwala) organised by SST College Ulhasnagar And NSS University of Mumbai
- Four volunteers namely, Pooja Mahadik, Vaishnavi Chordhekar, Meghna Aglave, Sahil Rane were participated in MAVA THEATRE WORKSHOP from 26th Nov - 30th Nov 2019 Camp at Sane Guruji Rastriya Smarak, Vadghar, Mangaon, organized by MAVA NGO
- Volunteers namely, Sapna Kharwar (SYBA), Shubham Surve (SYBSc), Nisha Humre (FYBAF), Mayur Kharavatekar (FYBA), Parmeshwar Ufade (FYBA), Nishit Vishwakarma (FYBSc IT), Dipesh Gawade

(FYBCom), Neha Tryambake (FYBCom) participated in State Level Swami Vivekananda Youth Leadership Camp organized by Swami Vivekanand Kendra at Nashik from 25th to 29th December 2019.

- Two volunteers namely, Mr Sahil Rane and Ms Bhakti Golatkar participated in university level Leadership Training Camp 2019 from 15th Sept to 19th Sep 2019 at Swand Yog Mahatma Gandhi VidyaMandir, Badlapur organised by NSS Mumbai of University.

### SEVEN DAYS SPECIAL RESIDENTIAL CAMP

Kirti College NSS Unit organized a Seven days Residential Camp from 2nd Feb, 2020 to 8th Feb, 2020 at- Umroli, Post:- Vaje, District:- Raigad, Taluka:- Panvel.

The volunteers constructed 5 soak pits, each soak pit was dug upto a depth of 6 feet, which was beneficial for the villagers for disposing off the waste water. Each day started with warm up and Exercise followed by a Yoga session. The NSS unit organized different sessions on various topics like 'Leadership' by Swati kulkarni [Vivekanand Kanya Kendra], 'Superstition' by Rajendra Koli, 'Consent in Relationship' by Altamash [MAVA NGO], 'Team Management and Team Building session' by Prof. Irshad Shaikh [Kirti College].

Volunteers also visited Shantivan – A Place for leprosy patient and Karuneshwar old age home. The Volunteers also did awareness among the villagers through street play competition on various topics like Superstition, Digital India and Gender Sensitisation, Poster making competition on various topics like Superstition, Swacch Bharat, Gender Justice, Cashless India, Plastic Free Society, Poverty Free India etc.

A rally was conducted by our volunteers to make the villagers aware about "Save trees, Save Environment" through streetplay and slogan chanting Another rally was conducted on the topic "Superstition", where not only the volunteers participated but also the children of the village.

**Prof. Mrinalini Chavan**  
**Prof. Ankush Dalvi**  
 NSS Program Officer  
 Degree College

## Physics

Various activities were conducted by Department of Physics during academic year 2019–2020. Academic activities started in the month of August 20, the lecture by Shri. Suhas Naik-Satam (Program director – Nehru Planetarium, Mumbai) was organized on the topic “Mission Mangalyan” the response of students was appreciable.

Department also conducted various competitions under program ‘JIDNYSA’ in the month of December 20 for F.Y., S.Y., T.Y. – B.Sc. Physics Students. Physics Model making competition, Physics poster making competition and Physics Aptitude Test was conducted during this event. The Competition was judged by Ex-Head of the Department Mrs. Jayashree Patankar and Ex- Physics Professor of Department Dr. A. D. Kulkarni. Students participated with large number in the Competitions. The expenses for Model Making and Poster Making were sponsor by college. In Charge for Model Making competition was Dr. J. R. Mahajan, for Poster making competition Prof. K. V. Dagadkhair and for Physics Aptitude test Prof. A. A. Nimbekar. Winners of the competitions were awarded by prizes and Certificates by Judges.

The teaching staff of the Department participated in various national, international and state level workshops, seminars and presented research papers. They were also actively involved to work on various committees at College level. They carried out their research and published research papers in reputed journal. Some of them were also appointed on various committees by University. Details of such activities are as follows.

### Dr. M. S. Jog :

- \* Worked as Gymkhana Chairman of College
- \* Was appointed by University as Subject Expert on selection panel for appointment of Assistant Professors in Various colleges.
- \* Was appointed on Panel by University for CAS placements in various Colleges.

**BOOK PUBLICATION :** A book was published “Hand Book of Practical Physics” F.Y. B.Sc. Sem I and

II by SHETH Publishers Pvt. Ltd. November 2019.

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### SEMINARS, CONFERENCES :

- 1] Presented research paper-‘ Synthesis and Characterization of Polyvinyl alcohol polypyrrole silver composite polymer films’, in International conference on Advanced Nanomaterials and Nanotechnology, organized by Sonopant Dandekar Arts, V. S. Apte Commerce & M. H. Mehta Science College, Palghar on 26-28 November 2019
- 2] Presented research paper-‘ Utilization of Fly ash in industrial applications for controlling Environmental Pollution’, in International conference on Environmental Ethics, Resource Management and Regional Development, organized by Department of P. G. Studies in Geography, Dr. Bhimrao Ambedkar Government College, Sri Ganganagar, Rajasthan on 29-30 November 2019
- 3] Presented research paper-‘ Synthesis, Photoluminescence, Optically Stimulated Luminescence and Thermoluminescence Characteristics of  $Ce^{3+}$  Doped  $ZnNaPO_4$  Phosphor’, in International conference on Advances in Physical, Chemical & Management Sciences conducted by Rashtrasant Tukdoji Maharaj Nagpur University at Nagpur on 13 to 16 Feb. 2020
- 4] Attended National level seminar on ‘Creation of MOOCS’ organized by Kirti M. Doongursee College on 27/04/2020
- 5] Attended National level webinar on ‘Pandemic COVID 19 An Overview’ organized by Thakur College of Science and Commerce, Mumbai on 06/05/2020
- 6] Attended International webinar on ‘Challenges of COVID 19 Pandemic for Indian Economy



'organized by Malini Kishore Sanghvi College of Commerce and Economics, Mumbai on 02/05/2020

- 7] Attended National level workshop on 'Nanomaterials for Human Safety and Environment' organized by K. M. E. Society's G. M. Momin Women's College, Bhivandi on 15 and 16 May 2020
- 8] Attended webinar on 'Artificial Intelligence' organized by Satish Pradhan Dyansadhana College, Thane on 1/05/2020

**Prof. K. V. Dagadkhair :**

Attended following Webinars

- 1] "Natural Resources and their Management Strategies in Post Corona Period-Global and National Challenges". It was organized by 'Departments of Mechanical and Civil Engineering, Sri Aurobindo Institute of Technology, Indore, MP in Association with ACM Indore Chapter and Indian Geotechnical Society' on May 8, 2020.
- 2] "Classroom to Webroom" organized by Kirti College, Dadar, Mumbai on May 20, 2020.
- 3] "Dhan ki Baat" organized by NMITD and Amhi Udyogini Pratishthan on May 28, 2020

**Prof. A. A. Nimbekar :**

- 1] Participated in short term course on "Research Methodology" organized by UGC-HRDC, B. A. M. U. University, Aurangabad from 24 June 2019 to 29 June 2019.
- 2] Participated in 4 days training workshop on "Laboratory Management & Internal Audit as per ISO/IEC 17025:2017" organized by Deccan Education Society, Pune and Kulkarni Lab. & Q. M. S. from 17 December 2019 to 20 December 2019.
- 3] Presented a paper entitled "Plasma grafting of polypyrrole on polyester fabric as gas sensor" in the international conference on "Advanced Functional Materials - 2020" organized by Kamla Nehru Mahavidyalaya, Nagpur.
- 4] Participated in national symposium on "Intellectual Property Rights: A Prerequisite in Higher Education & Research" organized by Kirti College, NMITD and JSKB school, Dadar,

Mumbai on 15 February 2020.

- 5] Attended online national seminar on "Creation of MOOCs" organized by DES's Kirti College, Dadar, Mumbai on 27 April 2020.
- 6] Participated in one day International Conference on "Clean Energy Conversion and Storage Technologies" organized by Shri Pancham Khemraj Mahavidyalaya, Sawantwadi, Sindhudurg on 30th April 2020.
- 7] Attended International e-Conference on "Strategies & Challenges in Higher Education during COVID-19 lockdown period in India with reference to the World" organized by Government Vidarbha Institute of Science & Humanities, Amravati, India on 15th - 17th May, 2020.
- 8] Successfully completed One Week National Online Faculty Development Program on "ICT Tools for Effective Teaching Learning" from 11th May to 16th May 2020, organized by School of Mathematical Sciences, Swami Ramanand Teerth Marathwada University, Nanded.
- 9] Participated in online short term Faculty Development Programme on "Effective Ways to develop e-content for teaching learning" of 10 days duration, conducted by K. T. H. M. College, Nashik on behalf of UGC-HRDC, SPPU, Pune, from 21st May 2020 to 30th May 2020.

**Dr. J. R. Mahajan :**

- (1) Attended National and International Seminars/ Workshops/Conferences/Webinars.
- (2) Convener of National Symposium on "Intellectual Property Right: A Prerequisite in Higher Education and Research on 15th February, 2020".
- (3) Minor research project "ZnO-Graphene Composite Thin Films: Synthesis, Structural and Optical Studies" sanctioned by Kirti College Dadar(W), Mumbai.
- (4) Participated in Selection Committee member of the various posts of Assistant Professor in Physics for university of Mumbai. Worked on different committees in the college.

**Dr. M. S. Jog,**

**Head, Dept. of Physics**

## Political Science

### Felicitations of meritorious students

The department is vibrant and dynamic in organising activities for students every year. With the maximum number of students enrolled every year. Our department has a legacy of excellent results at the University level examinations. The felicitation programme of the meritorious students was held on 31st August 2019.

### Field Visits

Field activities increase the curiosity and interest about the subject among students. In the current academic year following study visits were arranged-

1. National Museum of Indian Cinema is an excellent platform to showcase the evolution of Indian Cinema. To get an insight of Politics and Films in an elaborate way, a study visit was arranged on 30th July 2019. 38 students from TYBA visited the National Museum of Indian Cinema accompanied by Prof. Medha Dhapse.
2. A memorial of Samyukta Maharashtra Movement is situated in Shivaji Park, Dadar. To get acquainted with the details of the movement, our TYBA students visited the Samyukta Maharashtra Dalan on 23rd July 2019. Dr. Minal Mapuskar was the teacher in charge.
3. University of Mumbai, Department of Civics and Politics had organized a Film Show 'Lakeer ke iss taraf' a documentary on Narmada Bachav Andolan. It was followed by an interactive session with the film maker Ms. Shilpa Ballal. The TYBA students along with Prof. Janhavi Kolte attended this Film Show on 12th February 2020.

### Srujan- Academic Week

As part of the Srujan Academic Week held in January 2020, department organized an expert talk on 'Terrorism in Indian Celluloid'. Dr. Rashmi Bhure Vice Principal and HOD Politics, of SIES College delivered this talk on 16th January 2020. The talk was followed by film-clippings and discussion with the speaker.

### Individual Achievements

#### Harshad Bhosale

#### Individual Achievements

1. **26-05-2019** : Article published in Daily "Maharashtra Times", "भाजपचे यशस्वी 'डिजिटल मार्केटिंग'".
2. **25-09-2019** : Invited by the Department of Political Science, K.G.Joshi College of Arts & N.G.Bedekar college of Commerce, to deliver a talk on 'Gramsci's Hegemony', for TYBA Political Science students.
3. **September 2019** : Appointed as a member of the Ad-hoc Board of Studies in the subject of Political Science, by Dr Homi Bhabha State University, Mumbai.
4. **17-11-2019** : Appointed as a member of Board of Studies of Civics for paper setting of Maharashtra Talent Search Examination, by Centre of Talent Search & Excellence, Pune.
5. **26.11.2019** : Invited by the Department of Political Science, R. P. Gogate College of Arts & Science and R.V. Jogalekar college of Commerce, Ratnagiri to give a talk on "Traversing the contours of Indian constitution", on the occasion of Constitution Day.
6. **12-12-2019** : invited by the Department of Political Science, Maharashtra college of Arts, Science and Commerce to give a talk on 'Caste and Politics in Maharashtra -Changing equation'.
7. **21-12-2019** : Nominated as a judge by the Dept. of Students Development and Universities Information Bureau, for 14th Inter collegiate Avishkar Research Convention for zonal round, held at Dr. Tatyasaheb Natu College of Arts, Sc. And Comm, Margtamhane, Ratnagiri.
8. **15-02-2020** : Member of organizing committee of the national symposium on "Intellectual Property Rights: A Prerequisite in Higher Education and Research", jointly organized by IQAC & Research Promotion Committee of Kirti College in association with N. M. Institute of Tech and Developomnet and J. S. Kothari Business school.

9. **04-03-2020** : Invited by A.E.Kalsekar Degree college, Mumbra, to judge the 15th Youth Parliament competition, Zone-I -University level competitions.
10. **12.03.2020 to 16.03.2020** : Invited by the Centre of Climate Change and Sustainability Studies, School of Habitat Studies, TISS, Mumbai as a subject expert on interview panel of MA/MSc courses.
11. Successfully guided Doctorate candidate Ms. Aruna Sane, PhD student of Harshad Bhosale successfully defended her PhD for Thesis "Politics of Presence and Transformative Agenda: Women in Panchayati Raj Institutions -case study of Ratnagiri district of Maharashtra".

#### Minal Mapuskar

**Minor Research Project** - MRP for "A study of mobility challenges for Visually- Impaired students seeking Higher Education in Mumbai" has been sanctioned by the University of Mumbai.

**Board of Studies** - Appointed as a member of the Ad-Hoc Board of Studies in Development Administration (MA- D.Adm). This is a newly launched degree course for Group A and B officers during their probationary training programme.

It is jointly started by YASHADA (Govt. of Maharashtra) and University of Mumbai.

**Short Term Courses** - Attended two short term course

- (1) 'Yoga for Healthy Body and Mind' - 5th Feb to 11th Feb 2020 organized by UGC Human Resource Development Centre, University of Mumbai
- (2) Online Seven Day National Workshop on "Research Methods and Techniques" - 25th April to 1st May, 2020. Jointly organized by RA DAV College and University of Mumbai.

#### Organized following workshops/seminars

- Workshop on Resume Writing and Interview Techniques organized as Convener of Career Cell- Held on 24th Feb and 28th Feb 2020
- Advisory Committee member for National Symposium on Intellectual Property Rights held on 15th Feb 2020 organized by IQAC of Kirti College.
- Advisory Committee member for National Symposium on "Adivasi Sahitya: Swarup ani Vaishishtye" on 25th February 2020 organized by Marathi Department of Kirti College

#### Details of seminar, conference, workshops, Symposia attended by Minal Mapuskar

Seminar, Conference, workshops, Symposia	Name/Title	Name of the funding agency	Level: University/ State/National/ International
Workshop Date- 29th Aug 2019	Financial Education and Investor's Awareness	NMITD	Institute level
Workshop Date- 17th January 2020	Projection of Love, Sex and Addiction in Films and Literature	Dept of English and Psychology, Kirti College	Intercollegiate
Workshop organized on 14/15th January 2020	E-content Development	IQAC and Rambhau Mhalgi Prabodhini	Institute level
Webinar on 20th May 2020.	"Classroom to Webroom"	IQAC, Kirti College	Institute level
Webinar on 6th May 2020	"Common Errors in Academic Communication"	IQAC, Kirti College	Institute level
Webinar on 29th April 2020	Blooms Taxonomy"	IQAC, Kirti College	Institute level

Prof. Medha Dhapre  
Head, Dept. of Political Science



## Statistics

Prof. S. D. Bilgi, retired from our department on 30th September, 2019, after 32 years of dedicated service to M.V.L.U. college, Andheri and 4 years to our college in the Statistics departments.

Ms. Payal Chavan and Mr. Rahul Jadhav have joined the department in this academic year as visiting lecturers.

### Departmental Activities :

1. Under "SRUJAN 2019" Academic Festival, we have conducted the following activities:
  - A Program on 'PPT Presentation by T.Y.B.Sc. Students', Topic: "Statistical Analysis of Monthly Expenditure of Kirti college Students when enroute from Home to College & Vice Versa" was arranged on 28th August, 2019.
  - Poster making competition was conducted on 17th January 2020 for Statistics students, Topic: 'Statistical Analysis'. The program was inaugurated by our principal Dr. D. V Pawar and Ms. Medha Dhapre, H. O. D. of Politics Dept. were invited for judging. The main objective of arranging this program is giving platform to the students for expressing their ideas for the projects selected by them through statistical analysis. Over all twenty-five students had participated.
  - Parents – Students Meeting was held on 18th January 2020, for
    - (i) counseling regarding PG courses and other opportunities in the subject of Statistics
    - (ii) techniques pertaining to preparation of various entrance exams.
 Also in this program our Principal addressed to the parents as well as to the students.
  - An Institute visit was arranged on 24th January 2020, to International Institute of Population science, Govandi(E). In this visit students were motivated to go for Higher studies (M.Sc. & Ph.D.) in Population studies and they have received the information about various statistical softwares, to handle the huge database on population studies.
2. A Seminar was organized on 'Actuarial Profession and Career Opportunities" on 17th December 2019. The resource person was Ms Vichitra Malhotra from Institute of Actuaries of India(I.A.I).

3. Our three S.Y.B.Sc. and ten T.Y.B.Sc Students participated in Avishkar Research Convention 2019 conducted by University of Mumbai on 14th December 2019.

### The three projects were:

- A Statistical Analysis of Monthly Expenditure of Kirti college Students when enroute from Home to College & Vice Versa .
  - A Statistical Analysis of Impact of Fast Food Habits on Self Esteem.
  - A Statistical Analysis to Check the Satisfaction of the People with their Food Delivery App.
- In above projects Data collection is done on Kirti college campus by F.Y.B.Sc., S.Y.B.Sc. students and Data analysis by T.Y.B.Sc. students under the guidance of three teachers Dr. S. R. Patgaonkar, Prof. Pritesh Patil & Prof Sonali Thik.
- Out of three projects two projects were short listed for PPT presentation.

### Dr. S. R. PATGAONKAR:

- She has participated in Avishkar workshop on 31st July 2019 conducted by University of Mumbai in Lala college, Mumbai.
- She has guided a Research Project Titled 'A Statistical Analysis of Impact of Fast Food Habits on Self Esteem:-A case study of students studying at degree level, at UG level at the Selection Round of 14th Inter-Collegiate Avishkar Research Convention 2019.

### PROF. PRITESH PATIL

- He has guided a Research Project Titled 'A Statistical Analysis to Check the Satisfaction of the People with their Food Delivery App. at UG level at the Selection Round of 14th Inter-Collegiate Avishkar Research Convention 2019.

### Prof. Sonali Thik

- She has guided a Research Project Titled 'A Statistical Analysis of Monthly Expenditure of Kirti college Students when enroute from Home to College & Vice Versa :- A case study of students studying at degree level, at UG level at the Selection Round of 14th Inter-Collegiate Avishkar Research Convention 2019.

**Dr. S. R. Patgaonkar**  
Head, Dept. of Statistics

## Women Development Cell

- During the month of July 2019, the WDC members addressed the students of the college in their respective classrooms on WDC, its importance and its role in colleges. Students were also informed about the members in the WDC committee whom they could approach for support and guidance.
  - Informal interaction in girls' common room and formal awareness organized in classrooms have paved way for girl students to approach the teachers without any hesitation to discuss their problems.
  - WDC had arranged a program on 14th January 2020, A session on: "KNOW YOURSELF". The program was Chaired by our Principal Dr. D. V Pawar & Vice-principal Dr. Seema Purohit and guest speaker was Ms. Siddhi Vaidya, Counselling Psychologist.  
The main objective of arranging this program was :
    - (i) To create awareness about various issues faced by adolescents like Stress, Relationship issues, Peer pressure, Consciousness about self-image, lack of confidence, Mood swings, Anxiety etc.
    - (ii) To learn different techniques to deal effectively with above mentioned concerns.
    - (iii) To have an 'Interactive -Session'.
- The program was attended by eighty- six students and faculty members.
- In association with CS and IT department Women Development Cell had arranged a program on 28th February 2020, Topic: "Entrepreneurship Opportunities and Financial Awareness After Graduation". The guest speaker was Mr Amey Dhawale.
- Important achievements of the programme are:
- (i) Personal entrepreneurial-self-control and discipline, risk management, innovation, persistence, leadership, change management, network building, and strategic thinking.
  - (ii) The skills of entrepreneurship in educational institutions are fundamental because it will increase, competitiveness, the courage to take risks, and improve business profits are built in a creative and innovative way.
- The program was attended by sixty students and faculty members.

**Dr. S. R. Patgaonkar**  
In-charge, Women Development Cell

## Zoology

### Department of Zoology Activities:

1. Dr. Vanita Kamat and Dr. S. B. Donde participated in 'Teacher's Training for Green Campus Initiative' at Fergusson College, Pune organised by D. E. S's E. V. S.'s Committee and The Climate Reality Project.
2. Organised Zoology Lecture Series no 3 on 'Tuberculosis Awareness' by Dr. Lalit Kumar Anande Medical Superintendent at GTB Hospital Sewari on 30th Aug 19.
3. Organised Student Workshop on 'Self Actualisation' conducted by team of experts from Master My Life Pvt Ltd : Academic Partner of University of Mumbai's Garware Institute of Career Education & Development on 21st Sep 19.
4. Organised A Workshop of Student solar Ambassador - Global Gandhi Solar Yatra - Initiative of IIT, Mumbai where 50 students assembled Solar Lamps on 2nd Oct 2019.
5. M.Sc. Part I Students visited Tata Memorial Cancer Hospital Parel with Dr. Pravin Bhise and Prof. Jitesha Chavan on 15th Nov 19.
6. Organised Department of Zoology Lecture Series no 4 'Brain Dominance Management' by Prof Madhura Bhonde, Consulting Psychologist on 3rd Dec 19.
7. Organised Department of Zoology Lecture Series No 5 : A Dialogue with Diet by Dietician Sukesha Satavalekar on 9th Jan 20.

8. FYBSc & TYBSc Excursion at Sanjay Gandhi National Park on 28th January 2020 were conducted by Dr. Vanita Kamat & Dr. Subhash Donde.
9. SYBSc & M.Sc Marine Excursion at Palghar on 31st Jan 20 were conducted by Dr. Subhash Donde & Prof. D. D. Sangore.
10. Teach India's Initiative – A Communicative English Course for Undergraduate students for 2 and half months where in 17 students received certificates on 26th Feb 20.
11. Ankur Pratishthan's Anubhuti Initiation: Students from Dept of Zoology spent time with Orphanage Children on Sundays (Jan – Feb 2020).

#### **Individual Achievement**

##### **Prof. D. D. Sangore**

1. Participated in IQAC organised Orientation of newly admitted F.Y.B.Sc students in the college on 6th Aug 19.
2. Participated in Zoology Lecture No. 3 on 'Tuberculosis Awareness' by Dr. Lalit Kumar Anande Medical Superintendent at GTB Hospital Sewari on 30th Aug 19.
3. Worked as Presiding Officer on 21st October 19 for Legislative Assembly Elections at South Mumbai, Kalba Devi Constituency.
4. Participated in Faculty Development Programme on Green Campus Initiative organised by D.E.S. E.V.S Committee and The Climate Reality Project, New Delhi – A Lecture by climate leader Neeta Ganguly on 14th Dec 2019.
5. Worked as Discipline Committee Member on 21st Dec 2019 for Annual Prize Distribution.
6. Organised Department of Zoology Lecture Series No 5 : A Dialogue with Diet by Dietician Sukesha Satavalekar on 9th Jan 20.
7. Participated in Digital Content Making Workshop organised by Kirti College at Rambhau Mhalagi Pratishthan on 12th Jan 20.
8. Organised SYBSc & M.Sc. Marine Excursion at Palghar on 31st Jan 20.
9. Participated in IQAC and Research Promotion Committee organised National Seminar on "Intellectually Property Rights : A prerequisite for

Higher Education & Research" on 15th February 20.

10. Worked as Discipline Committee Member for Kirti College Alumni Meet on 22nd February 20.
11. Worked as a committee member for Dept of Marathi organised one day multidisciplinary National seminar on "Tribal literature: Nature and Features" at Kirti College on 25th February 20.
12. Attended nine webinars organised by various colleges and institutions from April 2020 to May 2020.

##### **Dr. Subhash Donde**

1. Participated in Principal's Conclave on Green School : Future for sustainable development & fighting climate change , organised by DES-EVS Committee at Fergusson College on 6th July 2019.
2. Participated in IQAC organised Orientation of newly admitted F.Y.B.Sc students in the college as on 6th Aug 19.
3. Participated in Zoology Lecture no 3 on 'Tuberculosis Awareness' by Dr. Lalit Kumar Anande Medical Superintendent at GTB Hospital Sewari on 30th Aug 19.
4. Participated in Student Workshop on 'Self Actualisation' conducted by team of experts from Master My Life Pvt Ltd : Academic Partner of University of Mumbai's Garware Institute of Career Education & Development on 21st Sep 19.
5. Worked as Presiding Officer on 21st October 19 for Legislative Assembly Elections at Shivadi Constituency.
6. Participated in Zoology Lecture series no 4' Brain Dominance Management' by Prof Madhura Bhonde, on 3rd Dec 19.
7. Participated in Faculty Development Programme on Green Campus Initiative as which was organised by D.E.S. E.V.S Committee and The Climate Reality Project, New Delhi – A Lecture by climate leader Neeta Ganguly on 14th Dec 2019.
8. Worked as Discipline Committee Member on 21st Dec 2019 for Annual Prize Distribution.
9. Conducted FYBSc & TYBSc Excursion at Sanjay Gandhi National Park on 28th January 2020.
10. Organised SYBSc & M.Sc. Marine Excursion at Palghar on 31st Jan 20.
11. Worked as Organizing Secretary for IQAC and



Research Promotion, Kirti College organised Intellectually Property Rights : A prerequisite for higher Education & Research on 15th February 20

12. Worked as Discipline Committee for Kirti College Alumni Meet on 22nd February 20.
13. Member of organisation for IQAC and EVS committee organised national webinar 'Implication of Covid on Education Sector and the way forward from the lens of Climate change and Sustainability', held on 16th May 20.
14. Member of Organisation committee - IQAC and Counselling cell organised UMED- The ray of hope webinar no 1- . The Psychological health in lockdown by Psychiatrist Dr. Harish Shetty on 24th May 20.
15. Member of Organisation committee - IQAC and Counselling cell organised UMED- The ray of hope webinar No. 2 - Self development and Skill development through inner transformation by Shri. Atul Vaze on 31st May 20.

#### Dr. Vanita Kamat

1. Participated in Principal's Conclave on Green School : Future for sustainable development & fighting climate change, organised by DES- EVS Committee at Fergusson College on 6th July 2019.
2. Participated in IQAC organised Orientation of newly admitted F.Y.B.Sc students in the college as on 6th Aug 19.
3. Organised and compered for Zoology Lecture no 3 on 'Tuberculosis Awareness' by Dr. Lalit Kumar Anande Medical Superintendent at GTB Hospital Sewari on 30th Aug 19.
4. Organised Student Workshop on 'Self Actualisation' conducted by team of experts from Master My Life Pvt Ltd : Academic Partner of University of Mumbai's Garware Institute of Career Education & Development on 21st Sep 19.
5. Participated as Kirti College representative in Master's Training on Green Campus : Future for sustainable development goals and fighting climate change organised by DES- EVS Committee at Fergusson College on 25th Sep 19.
6. Organised and conducted A Workshop of Student solar Ambassador - Global Gandhi Solar Yatra - Initiative of IIT, Mumbai where 50 students assembled Solar Lamps on 2nd Oct 2019.
7. Worked as Presiding Officer on 21st October 19

for Legislative Assembly Elections at Dharavi Constituency.

8. Participated in Walkathon on 30th November 2020 organised by Kirti College, NCC.
9. Organised Zoology Lecture series no 4 'Brain Dominance Management' by Prof Madhura Bhonde, on 3rd Dec 19.
10. Organised & Compered for Faculty Development Programme on Green Campus Initiative as which was organised by D.E.S. E.V.S Committee and The Climate Reality Project, New Delhi - A Lecture by climate leader Neeta Ganguly on 14th Dec 2019.
11. Worked as Discipline Committee Member on 21st Dec 2019 for Annual Prize Distribution.
12. Participated and won as 1st runner up team in Ladies Faculty Cricket Match conducted by Gymkhana of Kirti College on 23rd Dec 2019.
13. Organised Department of Zoology Lecture Series No 5 : A Dialogue with Diet by Dietician Sukesha Satavalekar on 9th Jan 20.
14. Participated in Digital Content Making Workshop organised by Kirti College at Rambhau Mhalagi Pratishthan on 12th Jan 20.
15. Conducted FYBSc & TYBSc Excursion at Sanjay Gandhi National Park on 28th January 2020.
16. Organised SYBSc & M.Sc. Marine Excursion at Palghar on 31st Jan 20.
17. Worked as Organizing Committee Member for IQAC and Research Promotion, Kirti College organised Intellectually Property Rights : A prerequisite for higher Education & Research on 15th February 20
18. Worked as Discipline Committee for Kirti College Alumni Meet on 22nd February 20.
19. Organised and Compered for the Programme of 54th Death Anniversary of Swatantraveer Vinayak Damodar Savarkar : Savarkar - Kaal Aaj, Udaya by Adv. Nitin Apte on 26th February 20.
20. Arranged Teach India's Initiative - A Communicative English Course for Undergraduate students for 2 and half months where in 17 students received certificates on 26th Feb 20.
21. Attended fourteen webinars organised by various colleges and institutions from April 2020 to May 2020.

Prof. Datta Sangore,

Head, Dept. of Zoology

## Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC)

At the outset meetings of various committee convenors were held 31st July and 6th August 2019.

The orientation programme of First Year students of Commerce, Arts and Science faculties were held on 5th, 6th and 07th August 2019 respectively. Students were introduced to DE Society and Kirti College in this programme. Students were given an in-depth understanding of the course credits and examination pattern of the CBC system. They were informed about the various extra-curricular and co-curricular activities conducted in college and were introduced to the various cells and committees beneficial to them. Similar orientation programmes were also conducted for students of each self finance department in the presence of their parents.

CAS was successfully organized on 4th October 2019 for around 8 teaching staff.

The IQAC report AQAR for the year 2018-19 was submitted to NAAC on 11th December 2019.

The college submitted itself for an Academic Audit by completing and submitting the proforma on January 2020. Due to on-going lock down the Audit has not been conducted yet.

The college has requested Mumbai University permission to start PG courses in Economics, English, Data Science and Political science.

Curriculum Feedback of students, parents and teachers, alumni were conducted online and offline.

A Faculty Development Programme on Digital Educational Content Creation was organised by Kirti College in association with Rambhau Mhalagi Prabodhini. It was a residential workshop held on 11th and 12th January 2020. The use of digital content and devices will improve teaching and learning in the new world dominated by the world wide web and the mobile phone. This workshop focussed on providing knowledge and skills to develop digital resources of teaching and learning by integrating text, graphics, animation, sound and video.

Resource persons were Bhushan Kulkarni, Pro. Trainer (Elect. and Telecomm Engg.) with a vast experience in IT Training and Film making and Eknath Kore, Personnel Technical Support (Computer

Hardware Expert). Participants were given practical training on basic video editing using android phone and apps, making Attractive PPT designing tips and techniques, Green screen base Chroma effect video, YouTube uploads, recording voice with professional quality using minimum gadgets, shooting one's own lectures (using their own smartphone) with quality audio and video.

A full day IPR workshop "IPR – A Prerequisite in Higher Education and Research" was conducted on 15th February 2020. The chief guest for the workshop was Dr. Dinesh P. Patil, Dy. Controller of Patents and Designs and Head of Office O/o CGPDTM. Other guest speakers included Dr. Bhushan L. Chaudhari, Professor, Member Secretary, IPR Cell, KBC North Maharashtra University, Jalgaon and Ms. Sandhya Kothari of CGPDTM.

There were three technical sessions

### 1. **Property Rights In India: Rules and Regulations: by Dr. Dinesh P. Patil**

He covered the laws and regulations related to Intellectual Property Rights in India. He touched most of the facets of IPR such as geographical indicators, patents, copyrights, trademarks, industrial designs, traditional knowledge and their rules and their importance globally.

### 2. **Why to File Patent? : by Dr. Bhushan Chaudhari**

In his talk he described tangible and intangible properties. The driving force behind the economic development is innovative input and innovative output of which the ratio is known as innovation index. Patents can generate wealth and bring power to the individual, organization and at large the nation and hence, one needs to think of filing patents.

### 3. **Patent Filing and Procedure in India: by Ms Sandhya Kothari**

She explained the procedure of filing a patent, requirement of patent filing and the forms to be filled during submission.

Kirti college Alumni meet was organised on 22nd February 2020. It was a proud event for our college. More than 25 retired teachers and nearly 800 alumni attended this mega meet. They shared their

memories of Kirti College. They magnanimously expressed their willingness to “give back” to their alma-mater by contributing to its growth through fund – raising for developmental activities, placement opportunities for students, mentorship and scholarships, career guidance, and providing a networking platform. This was a sign of their gratitude and bonding towards the college. The alumni visited their respective and classrooms laboratories of yore with nostalgia. A cultural programme was presented by students of Kirti College to entertain their seniors.

The evening mood was cheerful with lights decorating the campus and the college ground the venue of their rendezvous. N.C.C., N.S.S. Cultural and Sports departments displayed their accomplishments by ways of trophies to the alumni acknowledging the merit of many of who were the best in these fields.

A Workshop on “Resume Writing and Interview Techniques” was organised for TY students by Career Counselling Cell in two parts on 24th February, 2020 and 28th February 2020.

The first workshop on Resume writing on 24th February, 2020 helped them to understand significance of a good resume. The resource person for Resume Writing was Shri Shrikant Mulik. He explained the contents of an ideal resume and provided them the inputs for writing such a resume.

The second workshop on Interview Techniques was held on 28th February 2020. The resource person was College Development Committee (CDC) member Shri. Chandrashekhar Vaze who gave students an insight into the basic techniques of a good interview.

A state level seminar on Dalit literature by Marathi Department was held on 25th February. Titled “Tribal Literature literature – its nature and features ” (आदिवासी साहित्य स्वरूप आणि वैशिष्ट्ये) the main speakers were Dr. Vikram Chaudhari, Dr. Sanjay Lokhare, Dr. Vinod Kumre, and Dr. Dr. Tukaram Rongte.

MOOCs is an online resource that gives an enormous access to quality education at all levels. IQAC organized a two hour online workshop on Massive Open Online Courses (MOOCs), on April 24th by Dr. Sameer Sahasrabuddhe in which round 3000 participants all over India participated. This workshop was aimed at increasing the awareness and use of digital education and MOOCs and

empower academicians to insert this resource in their organization. They are gaining colossal importance in education, providing open access to quality education via the internet with a potential to reach a large number of learners. The primary objective of this workshop was to introduce MOOCs pedagogy and the open source MOOCs platforms to various stakeholders and blending MOOCs into the regular curriculum. They acquired a practical understanding of the existing open source MOOCs platforms like Swayam, which helps them to develop effective MOOCs for target learners and teachers.

IQAC in association with the NGO Climate Reality Project organised a National Symposium on implication of COVID on education, climate change and sustainability titled ‘Implications of COVID on education sector and the way forward from the lens of Climate change and Sustainability’ organised on 16th May 2020. The webinar provided a platform to bring different viewpoints from the sustainability and green campus portfolio, steps taken by universities and educational institutes in various parts of the country to achieve the same and at the same time, an opportunity to learn from each other, thus strengthening our education system. Reputed academicians ‘experts’, including: Honourable Mr. Sharad Kunte (Chairman, Deccan Education Society, Pune), Mr. Aditya Pundir (Country Manager, The Climate Reality Project India), Dr. Nandini Deshmukh (District Manager, The Climate Reality Project India), Dr. Vir Singh (G. B. Pant University of Agriculture and Technology, Pantnagar, Uttarakhand), Dr. I. K. Pai (Goa University, Goa), Dr. Fawzia Tarranum (TERI School Advanced Studies, New Delhi), Dr. Arul Aram (Anna University, Chennai, Tamil Nadu), shared the sustainable practice and how their institutes are tackling the situation. 118 participants across the institutes of DES and around 100 participants from other parts of the country participated in the webinar.

The Environment Committee of Kirti College has conducted a number of programmes in 2019-20 of which there is a complete report separately in this magazine.

**Prof. Mathew Samuel**  
IQAC, Co-ordinator



## Junior College Report

The academic year 2019-20 started with a meeting presided over by our Principal Dr. D. V. Pawar.

In this meeting teachers were briefed about faculty wise academic performance of our students of FYJC and SYJC in their respective exams. Teachers were given academic timetable with the objective of chalking out a teaching plan.

Faculty-wise passing percentage of HSC Board Exam of Feb - 2020 as follows

Commerce	: 93.25%
Science	: 86.20%
Arts	: 74.47%

Facultywise passing percentage of FYJC Annual Exam of April 2020 as follows.

Commerce (Aided)	: 98.68%
Commerce (Non-Aided)	: 97.50%
Science	: 97.96%
Arts	: 92.67%

Facultywise Toppers of SYJC (2020) is as follows

Faculty	Name of Student	Percentage
Arts	Ms. Parab Rajnandini S.	80.92%
	Ms. Parab Vaishnavi Anant	80.15%
	Ms. Joshi Janhavi Santosh	76.92%
Commerce	Mohammed Ahmed Munamed	89.69%
	Mr. Satre Mayur Dhananjay	86.00%
	Mr. Kulkarni Sumant Subhash	86.69%
Science	Mr. Mamluskar Vishal R.	82.00%
	Mr. Kulye Tanmay R.	81.69%
	Mr. Gorivale Manish S.	78.61%

FYJC orientation programme was arranged for FYJC students on 13.08.2019 (Arts) 14.08.2019 (Commerce) and 16.08.2019 (Science) to introduce them with college, its history, rules and regulations as well as various career opportunities.

Arts Students were addressed by Mrs. Prajakta Ajgaonkar, Mrs. Madhuri Jog, Mrs. Leena More and Mrs. Shobhana Suradkar.

Commerce Students were guided by Mrs. Manali Sawant, Mrs. Harish Pakhre, Mrs. Mrunal Ingle and Mr. S. B. Kumbhar.

Science Students were guided by Mr. Sudhir Patankar, Mr. Jayant Waghmare, Mr. Vijyendra Singham and Mr. S. B. Kumbhar.

All the students were addressed by Principal Dr. D. V. Pawar, Vide Principal Mrs. Rukhsana Syed and Supervisor Mrs. U. R. Mishra.

State Board of Secondary and Higher Secondary Education students were guided through PowerPoint presentations.

Department	Month	Name of Teacher
Physics	Nov. 2019	Mr. U. M. Deopurkar
		Mrs. Medha Salvi
Chemistry	Nov. 2019	Mr. Jayant Waghmare
		Mrs. Ujwala Mishra
Biology	Dec. 2019	Mrs. Revati Inamdar
		Mrs. N. H. Churi
Mathematics	Sept. 2019	Mr. Lawate C. G.
		Mr. V. Singham
		Mrs. Borikar Madam

(i) Ms. Madhura V. Sahani of Chemistry Dept. successfully completed MS-CIT course with distinction.

(ii) Mr. Vijyendra Singham of Maths Dept. works as Judge for 'H' Ward Science exhibitions conducted on 3rd Dec. 2019 to 5th Dec. 2019.

Workshop for Junior College Teachers

Workshop for Junior College teachers of DE Society Pune in Fergusson college Campus between 06.11.2019 to 09.11.2019.

For this workshop Jr. College teachers of Kirti College, Fergusson College, B.M.C. College Pune, Willington College, R. C. E. College (Alibag) and Chintamanrao College of Commerce (Sangli)

The focus of workshop to make aware of "New Education Policy" in this workshop teachers were train in such way to cope with new challenges emerges during classroom teaching.

In order to provide student centre education new ideas and techniques were exchanged among teachers.

This workshop was conducted in a very interactive and playful manner through several group activities which were well attended by all junior college teachers.

**Prof. U. R. Mishra,**

**Supervisor, Junior College**

(Prof. J. D. Waghmare has helped in compiling this report)

## SRUJAN 2019 - 20

The academic festival SRUJAN was organized for the second year in succession. Almost all departments participated in this event by conducting various activities like workshops, seminars, guest lectures, surveys, etc. This year it was conducted over a period of time between October and January. A complete write-up of SRUJAN has been separately attached in the magazine

No.	Department	Activity	Resource persons	Date
1.	Economics, Commerce & Accountancy Commerce and Accountancy	Guest lecture titled 'Present Economic Crisis in India'	Dr Sangeeta Pawar, HOD, Dept. of Commerce, University of Mumbai.	18/10/2020
		2. Career Seminar on "Media and Entertainment Industry (Animation, VFX Gaming, Web & Graphics Design)"	Mr. Raghvendra Patel, Vast Vocational Training Institute, Mumbai organized a Students of the department.	28/08/2019
2.	Geography	Celebration of Geography Day by exhibition of the teaching aids and study material. Main attraction of the exhibition was "Working Model of Satellite".		14/01/2020
		2. Interdisciplinary workshop on tree mapping for T.Y.B.Sc. Botany students.		22/01/2020
		3. Interdisciplinary lecture on 'Plant Community and Ecosystem' by A topic from Biogeography paper.		
3.	Rural Development	One day seminar on "Status and Prospects of Rural Development"	Nikesh Amne Patil, State Coordinator, Maharashtra Village Social Transformation Foundation, Mumbai.	18/01/2020
4.	Library	Book-Exhibition	Distributors	
5.	Statistics	'PPT Presentation "Statistical Analysis of Monthly Expenditure of Kirti college Students enroute Home and College	T.Y.B.Sc. Students	28/08/2019
		2. Poster making Competition 'Statistical Analysis'.		17/01/2020
		3. A visit to International Institute of Population Science (IIPS), Govandi (E).		24/01/2020
6.	Political science	A Talk on 'Terrorism on Indian Celluloid'. followed by film-clippings and discussion with the speaker	Politics Dept., SIES College	16/01/2020

7	Botany	Workshop on "Soil-less technology - Hydroponics" A PPT presentation, followed by demonstration cum hands on training	Dr. Sanchita Chaudhari, Dept. of Greenhouse management, Ruia College.	17/01/2020
8.	Mathematics	Lecture on Algebraic number theory	Dr. Dhvanita Rao, former faculty of Bhavan's College, Andheri	28/08/2020
9.	Psychology & Counselling Cell	5 different experiments were displayed in Two stalls which were put up in different locations. These experiments were tool to attract students and help them to open up about their concerns Activity Content: a) Memory Game b) Problem solving c) Know your emotion d) Learning Style Questionnaire e) Reach out...Speak out	Prof. Madhura Bonde	18/01/2020
10.	BAF	1. Lecture on the mechanisms of GST and notable cases of Tax Evasion 2. Lecture on Research Methodology & collection and interpretation of data for making a project.	CA. Ashish Diwadkar  Prof. Krupa Shah, Co-ordinator of BAF Dept. National College	20/01/2020  23/01/2020
11.	Chemistry	Lecture and Demonstration on "Low Temperature Experiments"	Mr. Vijay Arolkar	18/01/2020
12	CS-IT+ Women's Development Cell	Entrepreneurship Opportunities And Financial Awareness After Graduation	Mr. Amey Dhawale SAP Manager, Wipro	28/02/2020
13.	English	Workshop on "Projection of Love, Sex and Addiction in Films and Literature: Psychoanalysis of Kabir Singh	1. Dr. Aman Bhonsle, Practicing Psychologist, Mumbai. 2. A member of Alcoholic Anonymous.	17/01/2020
14.	BMS	1. A PPT competition for all students titled "Sectors of Economy & Entrepreneurial and Business Planning" FYBMS - Sectors of Economy SYBMS - Inspirational Start Ups TYBMS - B-Plan 2. Workshop on "Emotional Quotient & Motivation"	Judges: Dr. Kasturi Naik – Asst. Professor DES's NMITD Prof. Neeraj Kumar – Coordinator BMM Dept Prof. Jidyna Patil – Coordinator BAF Dept  Soniya Gawde, Alumnus BMS Dep	



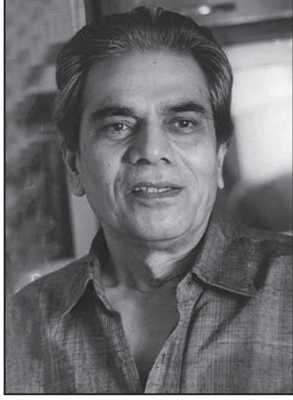
15.	BMM	Khabariya Ki Dastaan - Fictional stories based on the journey of a journalist.	Ketan Vaidya	27/08/2020
16.	Hindi	Workshop on "Hindi English Translation"	Dr. B. K. Samel	18/01/2020
17.	History and Marathi	A Lecture on "Savitribai Phule's relevance and women's questions today"	Ms. Mohini Karande, social activist	17/01/2020
18.	Marathi	Career guidance lecture	Mr. Mahesh Dagolla , Rotarian	18/01/2020
19.	Zoology	1. Tuberculosis awareness 2. Brain Dominance Management 3. Dialogue with Diet	Dr. Lalit Kumar, Medical Superintendent, GTB Hospital, Sewri Prof. Madhura Bonde, Dept of Psychology Ms. Sukesha Satavalekar, Dietician	30/08/2019 03/12/2019 09/01.2020
20.	Physics	1. Model making competition 2. Poster competition 3. Physics aptitude test (PAT) – 2019	Prof. J. M. Patankar , Former Head and Dr. A. D. Kulkarni, Retd. Faculty, Dept. of Physics, Kirti College,	

In addition IQAC also organised a few webinars during the lockdown period till May 31st 2020

Seminar/conference/ workshop/ Symposia	Date	Resource	Name/Title
ERP training	01/05/2020	Master Soft ERP Solutions Pvt. Ltd.	Introducing the new ERP software
Masterclass 1.	06/05/2020	Dr. Jyoti Mundhe	Common errors in academic communication
Masterclass 2.	18/05/2020	Prof. Srijai Srikanth	Impact of Covid 19 on world economy
Workshop on online teaching methods	20/05/2020	Prof. Priyanka Jinagouda and Prof. Dikshit Kothari	Class room to web room
Counselling workshops Umed - Ray of Hope	24/05,	Dr. Harish Shetty	Psychological health during lockdown
	31/05	Shri. Atul Vaze	Self Development and Skill development

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## Madhu Limaye Elocution Competition 2020



Fifteenth Madhu Limaye memorial intercollegiate elocution competition 2020 was organized by "Elocution and Debating Association" on 8th January 2020 in our college premises. This competition has carved out a formidable and intellectual space for itself amongst the college students. The

competition has consistently provided a broad platform for the student, to express their views on new emerging issues and challenges. To make the student community aware of the contemporary development in social, political and economic field and also to develop their oratory skills, the Debating and Elocution Association organizes several programmes and training sessions every year in our college.

As part of this activity we organize, inter collegiate elocution competition every year, in memory of great parliamentarian Shri Madhu Limaye. To commemorate his contribution to parliamentary debate, every year this competition is organized on his death anniversary i.e. on 8th January. The competition is funded by "Madhu Limaye Smriti Nyas" a trust formed by Late Smt. Champatai Limaye.

On 8th January 2020, the competition was organized in our college. Principal Dr. D. V. Pawar presided over the function and Mr. Aniruddha Limaye, son of Madhu Limaye was invited as a guest of honour. While sharing his views on the nature of this competition, he opined that the "The purpose of an elocution competition is to find out the truth about the chosen topic and inquire the burning issue from all possible angles. It is certainly not intended merely for amusement of the audience, although it may add to the interest of the listeners to enliven the proceedings and sustain their interest in an otherwise serious subject.

Several colleges in Mumbai, showed their graceful gesture, by sending their students to this competition. Around 28 students from different colleges in Mumbai participated in this competition. The topics selected for the competition were as follows.

### TOPICS

1. Pros and Cons of New Education Policy
2. Lessons from the life and teachings of Gurunanak (on occasion of his 550th birth anniversary)
3. Rejuvenating the legacy of Mahatma Gandhi on his 150th Birth anniversary.
4. India in the midst of economic slowdown

Prof. Chandramohan Joshi, from department of Economics and Mr. Viren Vesuwala ex-student of our college, were invited as the judges. The final result of the competition is as follows:-

1. First Prize : Prathameshwar Umbare – Joshi-Bedekar College, Thane
2. Second Prize : Bhakti Chavan – New Law College, Matunga.
3. Third Prize : Bhakti Sohani – Ramnarain Ruia College, Matunga
4. Consolation : Tanvi Dombé – R.A.Podar College, Matunga
5. Consolation (Jury Choice) : Samruddhi Purav - Ramnarain Ruia College, Matunga



On the basis of three criterions, i.e. content, voice-modulation and overall impression, the adjudicators decided the individual winners. The winners were presented with the medals, cash prizes and certificate. Based on the overall performance and the final scoring of judges, RAMNARAIN RUIA COLLEGE was adjudged winner of the 15th MADHU LIMAYE ROLLING TROPHY 2020.

– Harshad K. Bhosale  
Co-ordinator, Elocution and Debating Association



## Role of a Model Citizen in Indian Democracy



Democracy is the most discussed theme in both academic and popular literature. With the advent of new millenium, the ideal of democracy has undergone tremendous change and multiple interpretations. As a citizen of a

largest democracy in the world, it is crucial to paraphrase the substantive meaning of democracy within the framework of an objective reality. This article reflect my concern about today's democracy and role of citizen in today's Indian democracy.

"Democracy is not a spectator sport, it is a participatory event, if we don't participate in it, it ceases to be a democracy." These are the words of famous American Filmmaker Michael Moore which gives a great an excellent reflection on democracy. The great American President Abraham Lincoln on 19th November 1863, described Democracy as a form of government in which is roll of the people, for the people and by the people.

India, the 2nd most populous country and 7th largest country in terms of geographical area has the largest number of eligible active voters, which makes it the world's largest democracy. India is an indirect democracy wherein the people elect their own representatives to run the government. Then comes a question that what role can we citizens can play in the functioning of world's largest democracy.

Everyone of us talks about rights, freedoms etc. by

giving a reference to Articles 19-21 of the constitution. No one of us talk about the duties enshrined in Article 51A of the same constitution. We must understand that 'Freedom is nothing but power and with great power comes great responsibility. And in this case as citizen, it is our responsibility to maintain peace, harmony and integrity of the nation.

A model citizen plays an important role in democracy. There would probably be no democracy without co-operation and commitment of citizens. He/she must be aware of their rights and responsibilities as, without awareness among the citizens, a government may turn into a monarchy. A model citizen must exercise his/she rights to check the accountability of the ruler. Every citizen must be aware and critical of what the government is doing. Citizens should also check about how various government policies are implemented and how the government institutions are working and functioning. Since the model citizen is the one who is an active part in electing the government, must not lose faith in the government Govt. passes laws for the betterment of the country and its population. As model citizens it begins with us to abide by the laws. Lets take an example, "Corruption is wrong illegal and criminal offence. But seeing corruption and not making an attempt to stop it is even bigger crime."

In my view a model citizen is the one who doesn't always wait for the government to make rules for the betterment and development. In fact, he himself, on his conscience, initiates the activity that help in the above objective. I would like to conclude my article with this quote given by former associate justice of supreme court of United State of America. Thurgood Marshall, "Where you see inequality or



injustice, speak out, because it is your country. It is your democracy. Make it, preserve it and pass it on."

**Pranav P. Kand**

**T.Y.BAF**

## Soldiers Life



A soldier is one who bravely fights as part of an army. A soldier can be a conscripted or volunteer enlisted person, a non-commissioned officer or an officer.

An individual who fights on behalf of a polity which is not their own is referred to as a mercenary.

What was life for the millions of professional conscripted or a recruited soldiers, who fought in the various European and international theatres of war? The trench experience involded the terror of mud, slim and shellfire. Heavy artillery and new weapons such as poison gas threatened death from afar but hand to hand combact with clubs and knives killed many during the grisly business of trench raids. When troops were not fighting, they were locked into trench deadlock, at which point boredom also became a serious issue.

Training to be a soldier...

Every single one of the 65 million men mobilised to fight in the first world war had to be trained before being sent into battle. What was training like? It is hard to the generalise. There was no single experience of training. Different people had different experience, depending on who they were, when and where they joined up, what unit they joined, where they were sent and how easily they adopted to their new life. Look for instance, at what happened to two men who volunteered early in the war. Private tamkinson (18th Battalian Manchester Regiment) began his military career cleaning up the old amusement park which was to become his a battalian's barracks and did not receive a uniform and boots for month. This was typical of the shortages that confronted recruits to Kitchener's army as peter simkins discusses here. Nonetheless by the time his unit went to prance in October 1915 it had

a received 13 months good sound training In contrast Herbert Sulzbach. Who joined the german army in August 1914 found himself in the front line just four weeks later, after only the most rudimentary training. Still some common themes emerge, and this training system had settled into a groove.

After a few weeks of this, training to get more advanced soldier's began to learn the basics of movement in the field and were introduced to night operations and route marching. Later would come weapons handling, marksmanship and digging trenches.

### Moving on

The next stage might well included several weeks or even months of specialist training, for instance to be a machine gunner, a signaller or a cock. In particular, British men under 19 and so not yet eligible to be sent overseas would often have their training tapper up in this way unto they were old enough to go abroad.

German infantrymen would be shipped to large recruit depots at places like Beverloo in northern Belgium where their fitness and skill were checked and brought up to local standards. Training related more directly to the situations they were likely to face in the line and included field exercises and hand to hand combat, as well as route marching and more Drill... The length of time they spent in the places like beverloo varied with how quickly the men learnt and how urgently replacements were needed at the front. In times of crisis, they might be there no more than two three weeks. The british equivalent was a series of large depots at places like etaples.

From the transit camps at beverloo or etaples, soldiers were sent on to a corps or divisional depot. They normally waited here until the next time the unit they were to join was pulled back in to reserve, when they would be sent up to them. There would normally be a few days for new replacement to train with, and be integrated into, their units, practising simple tactical drills and manoeuvres, before returning to the trenches.

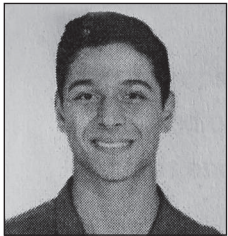
I AM A SOLDIER I FIGHT WHERE I AM TOLD  
I WIN WHERE I FIGHT

The soldier above all others prays for peace, for

it the soldier who must suffer and bear the deepest wounds and scars of war...

**Meenakshi Shashikant Naik**  
S.Y.B.A.

## FARMERS' SUICIDE IN INDIA



It is very unfortunate to see a nation that comes together when someone commits a heinous crime and demands justice instantly is the same nation that does not even consider checking on the person who feeds it. I am talking about

the farmers. Where do the parades of human rights, NGO's, social service camps go, when we hear about a farmer giving up on life just because he fails to feed his innocent family? Where we consider a mother's hand most precious for curating her family's hunger needs. I think we should also consider the same for the farmer's hand, as he hopes, prays and works hard on cultivating the crop needed to curate the nation's hunger let alone his family's. I think we should give more importance to our farmers than we are actually providing it right now. Because, a few hundred bucks can mean the difference between life and death situation for a farmer.

India is agrarian country with around 70% of its people directly or indirectly depends on these farmers. India has the best suitable climate for crops like wheat, nice tea coffee etc. It also produces large amount of spices which are exported to foreign countries like United States of America, Germany, etc. which is only possible by farmers and technology. Due to the export, the nation's GDP increases and benefits the whole country in many ways. On the other hand, the crop which is cultivated in the country should be supplied efficiently and at fair prices which does not happen in case of India. Corrupt middle men, to feed their corporate egos buy crops from farmers at extremely low prices and resale it at sky rocketing prices. These price gaps, as most of you

might think do not help farmers feed their families but help corporate 'gentlemen' by their fifth vacation home. This affects the nation as a whole. For example, farmers who get fooled by educated men thinking that their crops are not that valuable and the ultimate consumers pay extra for something they could have got for comparatively lesser price.

The inevitable climate change due to various reasons have also caused lot farmers to give up their land and shift to other places in search to satisfy their needs. As climate changes, natural water supply required for the crops to grow reduces, causing water scarcity and forcing the government to supply water from far away places. Farmers use pesticides to prevent them from insects in order to grow the crops in a healthier way, People usually avoid these crops and buy foreign crops which are imported and very are expensive. This leads to farmers' produce being unsold and unfortunately leading them incapable of paying off these debts taken from landlords and banks which charge high rate of interest.

Government takes initiative to reduce the rates of interest to a certain extent but we citizens should also help in improving the condition of the farmers. We can do that by buying the crops of the farmers as they are organic and relatively cheap cancelling out the riddle men who rob from us as well as from farmers. We should also make sure that the water supply provided by the government to the farmers reaches them without private water tanker companies robbing that water from their pipelines. We can also provide great help to the famers by donating unwanted farmland to them so that the drought affected would get a fresh start. There are a numerous ways to help these people, only if we people take it seriously, there would no longer be problems like we are facing right now.

I hope the ones' reading this understands the seriousness of this situation and I hope that you will help our famers at least once in your lifetime for a better future towards the next generation and for our mother earth, because, our farmer's life are as precious as our beloved money.

**Varun Borgaonkar**  
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## Journey of My Victory



"The future belongs to those who believe in the beauty of their dreams and passion."

Everyone is unique in its own way, what you have to do is to tell the things about yourself which you enjoy the most.

It feels so good and I'm so excited to share with you all "Journey of my victory."

Being from educated family background I always taught by my parents the Importance of education, my family always supported me in all my endeavors. I'm very much passionate about dance from my childhood. I was always fascinated towards glamour, fashion and mostly a big diamond crown. I always dreamed of walking on the Ramp with a big diamond crown on my head. And this dream always brought a big smile on my face. But I always surprised how it can be possible? How my dream will come true? But I didn't find any answer. And one day I got a good news about My cousin Sister Pallavi Lavesh Mumbarkar, that she won Mrs. Maharashtra Beauty contest 2017-18. I was stunned by this news, and it triggered all kinds of emotions in me. The moment sparked a luminous breeze of excitement in me. I was so excited to meet my sister as I wanted to see her with her crown. When I met her, she surmised very happily reciprocated her feelings and excitement. I congratulated her. It was a magical moment for me. I didn't take my eyes from her, as she was looking so elegant and beautiful. I was so eager to know her story, her journey, and her whole experience. She took lot of efforts to win this contest. After hearing her story, I realized that it is not easy to achieve this success but also not impossible. And that moment I decided to do the same thing to make my dream come true.

It is rightly said, "Miracles start to happen when you give as much energy to your dreams as you do to your fears."

I started spending more time with my sister

Pallavi to learn so many things from her. I saw people started inviting her as a guest of Honour or Judge in various events, fashion shows etc. During our routine conversation, I told her that I want to participate in Beauty contest to make my dream come true.

She replied "Prepare yourself now for who you want to be whether you see that goal or "chance" now or later."

And then my journey, Began.....

Pallavi Dii scheduled my day routine properly, which she strictly asked me to follow, which include exercise, self love, healthy food, positive attitude, confidence, humble, polite, nice presence, graceful positive minded, patience, effective body language, good communication skills... etc. It took lot of time and hard work to acquire the qualities. Pallavi Dii took painstaking efforts to build confidence and helped me to develop positive attitude and broad perspective.

Initially, the training was so tough for me, that sometimes I felt I should give up, but my strict Pallavi dii was on my head and she didn't allowed me to give up.

After few months I saw few positive changes in me and I was pretty confident and comfortable with my daily practice and routine.

One fine day Pallavi Dii told me about an upcoming beauty contest event. And that Beauty contest was "Queen of South Mumbai 2019" by Glitterz pageant. I was jumping, dancing like anything as I was waiting for this day for such long time. So I discussed it with my parents, and with their permission and support I finally registered my name for the audition.

I was been told that, for Audition you will go through from 3 steps. Introduction, performance and question answers. So accordingly I started preparing myself for the audition, ofcourse with the help of Pallavi dii...

Finally the day of audition arrived... I wore nice dress and with light makeup, full of confidence, I went for audition....

The atmosphere at the audition venue was so



energetic with beauties from every nook and corner of city. Co-ordinator welcomed me politely and completed all the registration formalities and I met Mrs. Prachi Mhatre, the founder of Glitterz pageant who organized this beauty contest, 'Queen of South Mumbai! A very beautiful, sweet with cheerful attitude, Prachi mam made me very comfortable and that first meeting with her, had very positive impact on me.

In the beginning, I was really nervous, I was worried. I have not always been the most comfortable person in front of big crowd. I was nervous, but I pushed back all the nervousness and confidently I went through all three stages and ended up having the best time in audition.

Pallavi Dii and my whole family was excited to know what exactly happened in Audition and I explained each bite of my experience to them and every one was expecting a call from them...

And our wait got over...finally after 3 days I got a call from them, that I got selected for this contest. Wow... that moment was so special for me, I was so happy that I got selected, I'm a proud finalist of Queen of South Mumbai. There was three days' grooming session including photoshoot and talent round and the 4th day was grand finale.

Throughout the grooming session Prachi Mhatre mam (founder of Glitterz pageant) gave valuable tips on different aspects of beauty pageant. Once she said, "you all have the qualities to become a model, we are here to just polish those qualities".

Then began the photoshoot session by professional photographers team. We got many important tips for facing camera and photoshoot from the team.

Next we had makeup session from professional a makeup artist from them we got very important tips and we had a great experience with the expertise. Then we had a session on image consultant and skin care session, which was again a very important session, we learned so many important things through these sessions. And next...

"Dancing with the feet is one thing, but Dancing

with the heart is another..." yess...In talent round, I rocked the stage by my dance performance.

Later on we got important tips on question and answer round.

After a long wait the finale day arrived...

I was to dazzle the finale show one last time, Before going on stage I saw myself in mirror, It was a whole new look for me pretty, feminine, almost angelic.

Entering on the stage with a dream sparkling in my eyes, A great sense of pride in my heart for making it to the finale, little nervousness glances exchange with excitement...

Front of me the hall was filled with familiar and unfamiliar faces and judges, VIP guests...It was a awesome feeling I must say.

Finale began with ramp walk, then Introduction round followed by a subtitle crowning round, and then question and answer round, then Traditional and western round. Step by step I passed all rounds with rich experience. Walking on the ramp, I lived my dream and I was so happy and confident about getting shortlisted for the final round.

Finally I got selected for the final round and now that very important and special moment the final round arrived. The last ramp walk on the stage made my heartbeats go faster and I heard my heartbeat which was the most beautiful music I ever heard in my life. That time judges, VIP guests arrived on stage to announce final three winners. Suddenly that big silence all around me was broken with the result. The first runner up winner is Miss. Dipika Mahajan.... and that moment, happiness overflowed from my eyes with sweet tears. Time was stopped for me...as my dream came true.

It was unbelievable... probably the crowning moment, I loved the most when I got to wear my winning crown and stand on the stage with headup with proud feeling. I began to walk on the ramp as a 1st runnerup winner of 'Queen of South Mumbai'.... And I bowed down with gratitude in my heart and again posed to give that look.... Yes, I did it, finally I won this precious crown and I'm a proud 1st

runnerup winner of 'Queen of South Mumbai.' Every one was clapping for me...specially my parents, my friends were so happy and they were congratulating me by shouting like anything and finally A Queen behind my success my Pallavi Dii came up on stage, she hugged me tight and said I'm proud of you my girl, you did it...

My winning moment had an impact in the sense that it boosted my confidence by a few degrees.

It was my own life stopping movement were I felt and my heart said to me okay Beauty is me.....!!

First I thanks to my rock and pillar of strength my parents, my family, they believed in me, they supported me that's why I reached at this stage. Again thanks to Glitterz Pageant, whole team of 'Queen of South Mumbai' and Prachi for offering Best Grooming Sessions and whole Beautiful experience...I'm totally greatful for everything.

And now, A very special thanks to my Pallavi dii who changed my life and I can't imagine what things would be like if & hadn't met you. So full of gratitude, I would like to thank you for being open minded, constructive and helpful with all of the mountains of advice you're given to me Pallavi Dii.

So finally after winning this crown, we all went back to home and surprised was waiting for me. A delicious, beautiful cake was waiting for me which Pallavi dii brought for me in advance, as she was pretty much sure that I will bring crown at home. And that evening we all had a wonderful success party of mine at my home.

Above all, I can only say, Infuse your life with action. Don't wait for it to happen. Make it happen. Make your own future. Make your own hope. Make your own love. And whatever you believe, honour your creator, not by passively waiting for grace to come down from high, but by doing what you can, to make grace happen... yourself, right now, right down here on earth.

**Dipika Mahajan**

**F.Y.B.com**

## The violence of language : A misogynistic culture of abuse



We stay in a multi-cultural society and there are infinite number of people around us from different culture, religion, caste and many more. The thought which forced me to pick this topic was 'Ethical'. I intend to judge our public life especially its linguistic culture with a yardstick of moral ethical standard. I personally have seen Hindus, Sindhis, Buddhist, Muslims etc. every one have their own rituals, norms, cuisine, attire and beliefs and the most important element language. It is said that in India after every 7 miles language changes.

"Violence of language" in short means the abusive words of different languages used by every person. Amongst teenagers, this type of language is used very frequently. They think that it is a type of prestige. But they don't understand that it may or will definitely hurt that particular religious people or community or anyone. People use those words very easily and fearlessly in their day to day conversation. Infact abusive language has become part of their routine vocabulary. From where do these words come? What is the reason which triggers people to talk in such language? According to me they come from Stereotypes, Aggression, Prejudices Discrimination or Economic deprivation etc. Each and every group has a person who is always crying to make a contribution. In this case everyone give a tag to that person with some words, I won't mention that word but from example you would have got to know what exactly I mean to say. From this we can understand how it has become our habit to use these words.

As I mentioned that such language founts from Aggression, Prejudices, Stereotypes etc. It is important to discuss the meaning of prejudice. What is Prejudice?

It is a feeling of our reaction towards a person or a particular Group. Stereotypes, are beliefs about what type of person or a member of a particular group you are. In short Stereotypes means we always see people whose mindset is fixed with some particular view point.

In our society, there is a tendency to lay out a gender specific work distribution. It is unfortunately accepted in all societies that women are restricted to work in private sphere and men are eligible to work in public domain. Men are ridiculed, if they are engaged in any household work, while woman is questioned. When she enters a private domain, an obscurantist will always hinder a woman's prayers and lash out abusive language to discourage her. Abuse, hate, taunt and violence are the highlights of this male chauvinistic society which is highly intolerant to women's prayers.

Most of the time in our day to day life, the origin of abusive words are directly or indirectly associated with a woman. This can be described as violently misogynist in nature. This verbal violence against a woman is reflection of distorting consciousness of our societal ethics. In trains or buses, or on streets, at public toilets or public water tabs, the abusing language i.e. gaalis... demonstrates a tendency to subjugate, insult, humiliate and victimise the women.

If a lady's work is done by her husband then that men gets tagged with names like काय बाईल वेडी कामं करतोस. This is actually violence of language.

But what triggers people to utter such words. Aggression is the reason where people lose their mind and without thinking they speak anything which is responsible for this abusive language.

**Siddhi Kalbhor**

**S. Y. B. A.**

## "A Rendezvous with the Translator"

**An Interview of Ms Veena Gavankar 27th August, 2019.**



*Under the project "Meet the Translator" of paper VI of TYBA, a well-known writer and translator Ms Veena Gavankar was interviewed to discuss the process and throw light on the problems of translation.*



Department of English conducted unique, innovative and never before programme titled, "A Rendezvous with the Translator" on August 27, 2019 in our college. Vasai based author-translator, Veena Gavankar was interviewed by Dr. Jyoti Mundhe. Veena Gavankar is an established biographer and translator who has more than ten biographies and a translated book, *Intimate Death*, to her credit. It was well attended by the students of Kirti M. Doongursee College, and M. D. College, Parel. Professors across the streams, in and out of Kirti College too witnessed and enjoyed the interaction which went on almost for 90 minutes. The interview was divided into two segments wherein a wide variety of questions were asked covering the topics like the process of translation, problems of translation on linguistic and cultural level and her experience of process of writing. Eventually, the audience got involved in the interaction asking her numerous questions about her biographies and the translated books. As translation is an operation performed on two languages (Source Language and Target Language) the interaction was bilingual (Marathi-English).

**Dr. Jyoti Mundhe :** Introduction.

Everybody has the ability to enjoy, but only a gifted has an ability to create, to critique and to translate! Dear friends, our guest today possesses all these abilities and I feel extremely privileged to interact with such a great personality on - what is the process, problems and her experiences of translation.

**Dr. Jyoti :** Madam, your magnum opus, *Ek Hota Carver* is translated in many languages and you are also a translator, so please tell us about the process of translation.

**Veena Gavankar :** Well, translation is a process and what you get as a final product has already gone through many drafts. For this the translator should be proficient in both the languages. When *Carver* was to be translated in Tamil, the translator first translated in English and then in Tamil. English worked as a mediator. This process is time consuming and the translator needs to have patience. S/He has to love

that work of art and only then one can enjoy the process. Target reader has to be kept in mind. Or the translator has to study/research, understand the TL's intricacies and subtleties of meaning. For instance, in America, the parliament is called congress and in our country it is a political party. When I was translating Nadine Gordimer's (a Nobel Laureate) short stories, I had to understand the difference between American Blacks, African Blacks, apartheid etc. Therefore, Translations is said to be a process of metamorphosis.

**Dr. Jyoti :** On a linguistic level what precautions need to be taken in terms of a process of translation?

**Veena Gavankar :** The translator's role is very crucial here. Like a creative writer, translator also should not be an arm-chair translator. He should be aware of the pulse of the society; should be well aware of the references, to understand the shades of the meaning of words, phrases, idioms he should be conversant with the target language's culture. When I translate, I adjust the sequence of sentences, if the sentence is too long I take the liberty to break it yet I remain faithful to the original text. Your "Youness" has to be set aside.

**Dr. Jyoti :** There are many problems of translation. How did you tackle them while translating "*Intimate Death*"?

**Veena Gavankar :** I selected this book titled "*Intimate Death*" because I found it conversant with my style of writing. I translated it because it gave a new insight, novel approach of looking at death, the only inevitable fact of life. Problems of translation are on two levels: Linguistic and Cultural. The more you are proficient, master, versed, expert, word-wizard, virtuoso in your linguistic abilities the more near-perfect your translation is going to be. Moreover, language is deeply rooted in culture hence transferring the exact meaning in target language/culture is a herculean task. Hence, if the translator is well-informed of the Source language and the culture, the translation would be beautiful and faithful.

**Dr. Jyoti :** Can you shed some light on the responsibilities of the translator?

**Veena Gavankar :** To quote eminent writer Durga Bhagwat: "Translation is like a lens through which the translator see the source text. This lens can be clear, colored or fragmented." Translator should be impartial. His perspective should not reflect in the translation. It's a sort of new creation. So it is a transcreation. Thus it is not a secondary act. Unless the translator is dedicated it will not be a new creation.

**Dr. Jyoti :** Madam, you are not only a translator but also a prolific biographer. If my students want to be a writer like you, would you share your what is your top secret or what is advice to them?

**Veena Gavankar :** Extensive reading is the only remedy. I was a voracious reader as student. I loved books. When I graduated, I became a librarian and the ocean of books was available to me. It was like a treasure unfolded for me. My comprehension my understanding of writing, all came from my reading. Dear students, if you mix with the people, observe them carefully, try to understand human nature in real life and through your reading of literary and non-literary texts, even you can be a writer. Of course, I select very meticulously the biographies I wrote. I selected only those personalities which were genuine, useful to the humanity and who impressed me too. Ultimately, it's the experience which THE teacher in any field you choose to tread.

I am very happy to tell you that I am a former student of Fergusson College, Pune which too is managed by D.E. Society like your Kirti College. I thank profusely the Principal of Kirti College, you budding writers of next generation and Jyoti madam for inviting me here to have a chat with you.

**Dr. Jyoti :** Thank you very much madam.

*Compilation: Dr. Jyoti Mundhe.  
Dept. of English*

## The unexpected turning point



"Pandemic's don't change people they just make them a sundried version of themselves."

Speed has become the most distinguish feature of globalised world in 21st century. But now COVID-19 has hit humanity like a huge speed breaker. The pandemic has easily broken the nature of global economy as well as of country individual. Today the whole world is suffering from the crisis of corona virus. The COVID-19 has many more unknowns than known. We don't know for sure how far we are from an anti viral. As we have already emerged in the COVID-19 tunnel, we are still unable to see the end light of this tunnel. Since we know from the history of world wars and pandemic that such sudden disasters can turn nation upside down.

In this context one has to see India's remarkable role as the global community faces the COVID-19 challenge. As India was quick to close its international borders and enforce on immediate lockdown, there are less number of COVID-19 patient. Though we remain under a lockdown it is vital that all Indians display cooperation to show the world that we can defeat the COVID-19 pandemic. Because of the success full lockdown would not have called for an extension of the lockdown and also the expert may tell us that the virus may not be so easily tamed, it will stay with all for quite some time. Yet, it is important for us to think about the future scenarios and the unnecessarily suffering to common people.

Not many would realize today, much less agree that the lockdown will prove to be most dangerous experiment in our democracy. It would be tough

task for India to come out of the mental intellectual lockdown that it has willingly accepted. The economic and social consequences of the lockdown have been severe. A large proportion of the self employed, casual workers on daily wages have lost their livelihood. Healthcare of patient, expect those with COVID-19 has diminished in term of access and quality. In every sphere the short term effect of lockdown will have a long term consequences as future outcomes would be shaped by its past. Beside all of these outcomes the main problems that the society now faces is the mental illness. The lockdown to prevent the spread of COVID-19 has led to the hike of mental health issues. At least one in five Indians suffering from some form of anxiety or depression the main issues of people are psychological- fear, panic and anxiety over this situation. People now fear that either they will be infected or they will infect their close one. Those

living with family have their own problems. Conflict has increased. Suddenly everyone is in each other's space. People are also worried about the economic backlash. The government is telling us 30hrs to wash hand frequently, avoid close contact with other, the more we are worried about infecting the virus. The most horrible are the fake message that everyone is receiving through the whatsapp group, the more we heard about it the more are we worried about the consequence and the virus.

Whatever gets through these days is what we need to do. The more we relentlessly talk with your parents even if they don't listen is the best way to survive in the lockdown. Vigilance, kindness, solidarity, responsibility and love are the only way that can try to beat this pandemic.

**DHARNI DIVEKAR**  
**SYBA**



# Antarang









# NSS - Junior



Beach Cleaning Activity



Celebration of National Education Day



Awareness about Organ Donation



Kirti Kiran Programme with street children



Oral Cancer Awareness Drive



Valentine Celebration with Supporting Staff



Street play performed by our students to spread awareness on Oral Cancer



Celebration of National Youth Day



# NSS - Degree



Our unit secured 1st Prize at Intercollegiate fest 'Sankalp' organised by Lala College



Semicentennial celebration of NSS Day on 24th Sept, 2019



Opening of Library by Kirti College at adopted Village Umroli on occasion of Gandhi Jayanti



Tree plantation at Dhasai, Murbad



Swachhata Abhiyan at adopted Village Umroli during Seven Days' Camp



Nirmalaya Composting Project during Ganesh Festival 2019



Our students participated at International Yoga Day Celebration at University of Mumbai



Tree Plantation at Umroli



# Unity & Discipline



Beach Cleaning



Joy of Giving



Seed Ball Making



Navy Day Activity



Tree Plantation of seed ball



Tree Plantation



# NCC Girls



CSUO Shivani Pandey  
Best Parade Commander



CSUO Jagruti Patil  
Cadet of the Year



CJUO Ankita Upade  
Best Drill in 3rd Year



CJUO Manali Palshetkar  
Best Turnout in 3rd Year



CQMS Bhavna Dhuri



CQMS Maitriyi Sapne  
Best Cultural in 3rd Year



SGT Simran Shedge  
Best Cadet in 2nd Year



SGT Diksha Baswat  
Best Drill in 2nd Year



SGT Shubhnagi Helode  
Best Turnout  
in 2nd Year



SGT Zaisa Khan  
Best Performance  
in 2nd Year



CDT Sonali Varma  
Best Cultural In 2nd  
Year



CDT Bhakti Rambade  
Best Cross Country  
in 1st Year



CDT Sonali Renuse  
Pilot of the Year  
2019-20



CDT Sakshi Mahalim  
Best Drill in 1st Year



CDT Prachi Gawde  
Best Cadet in 1st  
Year



CDT Neha Yadav  
Best Obstacles in 1st  
Year



CDT Vaishanvi Sawant  
Best Cultural in 1st  
Year



CDT Sejal Chaugule  
Pilot of the Year  
2019-20



# NCC BOYS



**CSUO**  
**Shubham Mane**  
Amarkantak Tracking



**CJUO**  
**Ratnesh Maurya**  
OTA Capsule



**CJUO**  
**Amit Gade**  
Best Under Officer  
of the Year



**CJUO**  
**Siddesh Pimparkar**  
Shivaji Tracking



**CSM**  
**Divyanshushekhhar Pathak**  
Narmada Tracking



**SGT**  
**Aniket Harugade**  
Narmada Tracking



**SGT**  
**Atish Koli**  
RDC-IGC



**SGT**  
**Siddesh Kadam**  
Best SGT in 3rd Year



**SGT**  
**Samir Shaikh**  
Best Pilot in 3rd Year



**CDT**  
**Omkar Pardhiye**  
TSC-IGC



**SGT**  
**Vineet Gaikwad**  
Best Turnout  
in 2nd Year



**SGT**  
**Amit Yadav**  
G. V. Maviankar IGC



**CDT**  
**Ganesh Kekan**  
G. V. Maviankar IGC  
TSC-IGC



**CDT**  
**Jai Shetty**  
Best Drill in 2nd Year



**SGT**  
**Deepak Parte**  
Best Pilot in 2nd Year



**L/CPL**  
**Ritik Gurav**  
Best Turnout  
in 1st Year



**L/CPL**  
**Sachin Tayde**  
Best Drill  
in 1st Year



**L/CPL**  
**Harshraj Kharat**  
Best Cross Country  
in 1st Year



**CDT**  
**Rohit Gadge**  
Best Cadet  
in 1st Year



**CDT**  
**Jayesh Mishra**  
Best Obstacles  
in 1st Year



**CDT**  
**Gaurav Patil**  
Best Performance  
in 1st Year



## Precious Moments



Shri Sharadji Kunte, Chairman, D.E.S. Governing Body being welcomed by Prin. Dr. D. V. Pawar during Alumni meet



Magazine is being presented to Shri. Pratap Chandra Sarangi, Hon. Minister of State, GOI during his courtesy visit to Kirti College



Renowned Actor Mr. Prithvik Pratap being welcomed by our Principal on occasion of 'Antarang- 2019-20'



Professor Mrudul Nile, University of Mumbai being welcomed by Principal Dr. D. V. Pawar

## Retirements



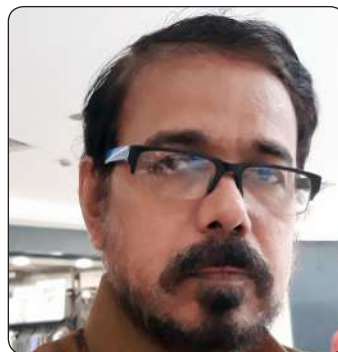
**Smt. Syed Rukhsana Mohd. Miskeen**  
Jr. College Vice Principal  
Chemistry Junior College

Date of Retirement  
29.02.2020



**Prof. Chitra P. Paranjpe**  
Dept. of Mathematics  
Degree College

Date of Retirement  
30.04.2020



**Dr. Awadhut D. Kulkarni**  
Dept. of Physics  
Degree College

Date of Retirement  
30.06.2019



**Prof. Shobha D. Bilgi**  
Dept. of Statistics  
Degree College

Date of Retirement  
30.09.2019



**Shri. Tanaji R. Kamble**  
Laboratory Attendant

Date of Retirement  
31.05.2020



**Shri. Kesarsingh L. Bohra**  
Laboratory Attendant

Date of Retirement  
30.06.2019



# Departmental Programmes



Felicitation of meritorious students of  
TYBA Political Science



Master's Training on Green Campus organised by  
DES EVS Committee at Fergusson College



Dr. Rashmi Bhure, S.I.E.S. College, being welcomed by  
Dr. Seema Purohit on occasion of 'Srujan'



Prof. Subhash Adawatkar introducing the theme of  
National Conference organised by Marathi Dept.



Bhate Hoskot Memorial lecture  
organised by English Dept.



Student participants of Statistics Dept.  
at Avishkar Research Fest.



Students of BMS at a Sports award function at MIG Club  
where they interacted with many industry stalwarts



Mr. Shrikant Mulik welcomed by our Principal on occasion of  
Resume writing workshop organised by Career Counselling Cell





Students of Kirti College spent time with Orphanage Children at Ankur Pratishthan's Anubhuti Initiative



Vice Admiral (Retd.) Abhay Karve giving a talk on occasion of 'Constitution Day'



Visit of Statistics Dept. to IIPS



Students & Teachers of Dept. of Bio-Tech at Fergusson College, Pune



Book Exhibition in the Library on occasion of 54th Death Anniversary of Swatantraveer Vinayak Damodar Savarkar



Gururaj Korgaonkar was invited as Chief Guest at BMS organised 'Ekyam Festival 2019'



Organizing Committee of IQAC organized National Symposium Intellectual Property Rights – A pre-requisite of Higher Education & Research



FYBSc and TYBSc Excursion at Sanjay Gandhi National Park on 28th January 2020





Students of Rural Development  
at Mani Bhawan



Mr. Amey Dhawale guiding our students on Entrepreneurship  
opportunities in a programme organised by WDC & IT-CS



Workshop of Student Solar Ambassador – Global Gandhi Solar  
Yatra–Initiative of IIT, Mumbai–Students' Assembled Solar Lamps



Winner of Women's Cricket Championship  
organised by Gymkhana, Kirti College



Mr. Vikas Paranjpe (Jyotsna Prakashan) delivering a talk  
on Lokmanya Tilak & National Education



Students of Extention Activity at Oldage Home  
(Kustharog Nivaran Samiti, Shantivan at Panvel)



BMS students during outdoor management  
training games



Zoology Lecture Series No. 5 'A Dialogue with Diet'  
by Dietician Sukesha Satavalekar





Prize Winners & Jury at P. L. Deshpande Centenary Celebration event organised by Govt. of Maharashtra and Kirti College



Teachers, Students and Organisers of Teach India Programme Communicative English Course, an Initiative of Times of India



Department of Lifelong Learning & Extension, Dr. Dilip Patil being welcomed by Principal Dr. D. V. Pawar



(Non-Teaching Staff) First Runner-up of Men's Cricket Championship organised by Gymkhana of Kirti College



Principal's Conclave on Green School Programme organised by DES – EVS Committee at Fergusson College



Dept. of Statistics organised a Seminar on 'Actuarial Profession & Career Opportunities'



Teaching Staff Members organised Pound Party on occasion of Makar Sankranti



Degree College staff members participated in IQAC organised by Digital Content Creation Workshop at Rambhau Mhalagi Prabodhini, Uttan





Marine Excursion of SYB.Sc. & M.Sc. Students of Zoology Dept. at Palghar



Inauguration of HOSKOTE-BHATE Memorial lecture organised by English Dept.



Dr. Sangeeta Pawar, Dept. of Commerce, University of Mumbai being welcomed by M. G. Kamble Sir



Shri Dinesh Patil was invited as Resource Person for IQAC organised IPR workshop



Prize Distribution Function of A. D. Shroff Elocution Competition organised by Economics Dept.



Devroop Sharma at 'Irshaad-A-Mushaira' organised by Faculty Club



Prize winners of Interclass Elocution Competition on voters' awareness organised by Library Dept. & Election Commission of India



CDC member Shri. C. P. Vaze addressing non-teaching staff during a motivational lecture





Model-making competition 'Jidnyasa' organised by Physics Dept.



Chief Guest Mr. Devendra Sawant reviewing the Horizon IT festival events



Mahesh Dagola, Lions Club, delivering a lecture at an Educational workshop organised by Marathi Dept.



Resource Person Dr. Aman Bhosale being welcomed by Dr. Jyoti Mundhe



Prize Winners of Madhu Limaye Inter-Collegiate Elocution Competition - 2020



Dr. Aruna Khamkar during her Ph.D viva alongwith the external referee and supervisor



Dr. Jyoti Mundhe introducing the theme of 'Voicing the Voices' programme



Psychologist Siddhi Vaidya at WDC's Programme on 'Know Yourself'





Prof. Y. S. Bhorkade addressing the students at the Induction Programme of Commerce Dept.



Renowned Journalist Mr. Ketan Vaidya presenting 'Khabariya Ki Dastaan' at SRUJAN



Industrial Visit of BAF Dept. at Amritsar



Political Science students' visit to Samyukta Maharashtra Smruti Dalan, Dadar



TY-BAMMC Journalism students prepared magazines and newspapers for their internal exam



Students of BAMMC won several prizes at inter-collegiate events



Lecture on 'Green Campus Initiative' by speaker, educator, author, climate reality mentor – Nita Ganguly



BAF Department's 'NIVESH' 2019 Festival





Lecture on ethical hacking was organized by IT – Computer Science Dept.



Social Activist Ms. Mohini Karande was invited to give a talk on occasion of Savitribai Phule Jayanti



Prin. Dr. D. V. Pawar inaugurated the Geography Exhibition



'THASKA', our one act play, bagged Second Prize at prestigious inter-collegiate INT Competition



Winner of Men's Cricket Championship organised by Gymkhana of Kirti College



Our Group Dance bagged 1st Prize at Prarambh Cultural fest of Hinduja College (we also won Overall Championship)



Students of Geography Dept. visited Space Exhibition organised by ISRO

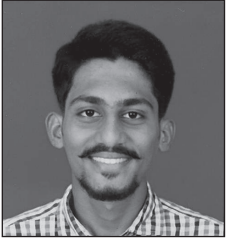


Mr. Vijay Arolkar, TIFR, being welcomed by Dr. Seema Sapale. He delivered a speech on low temperature experiments



# Marathi Section

## तोरणेचा दिवाळी पाडवा



आयुष्यातील तो आजपर्यंतचा सर्वात आनंददायी असा दिपावली पाडवा होता. दिवाळीची ३ दिवस सुट्टी होती. २७ आणि २८ ऑक्टोबरला तोरणा गडावर जाण्याचं ठरलं. खरं तर तोरणा गडावर जाण्याची ती माझी पहिलीच वेळ होती. मन आनंदाच्या पुनवेत भिजत होते. आनंद याचा की छत्रपती शिवाजी महाराजांनी स्वराज्य स्थापनेसाठी बांधलेला हा गड. ह्याच गडाच्या माध्यमातून महाराजांनी स्वराज्य स्थापनेचं तोरणं बांधलं होतं. आणि त्याचं दर्शन मला घेता येणार होतं. निमित्त ठरलं रायगडाची, तोरणा गड (कापुर लेणी संवर्धन आणि दिपोत्सव) मोहिम. ठरल्याप्रमाणे २७ ऑक्टोबरला दुपारी मी आणि सोबतीला भेटलेली संतोषी (संतोषीसुद्धा मोहीमेला आली होती. तशी माझी आणि संतोषीची ओळख जुनी नाही, तोरणा गड, कापुर लेणी संवर्धनाच्या निमित्ताने आमची भेट झालीच होती) आम्ही दोघेही मुंबईहून पुण्यासाठी रवाना झालो. पण अचानक ट्रेन उशीरा असल्याचं कळलं. मग शेवटी ट्रेन्व्हल्सची गाडी करून ४ तासांच्या प्रवासानंतर स्वारगेटला पोहोचलो. स्वारगेटहून नसरापूरला जाणारी गाडी काही मिळेना, १ तास गाडी शोधण्यातच गेला. स्वारगेटहून नसरापूरला जाणारी एकच गाडी होती. ती पण रात्री ९.१५ची होती. पण गाडी खूपच उशीरा असल्याने आम्ही रिक्षा करून कात्रजला पोहोचलो. पुढे कात्रजवरून जीपने थेट चेलाडी फाटा गाठला. तेथे अजून दोन सदस्यांची भेट झाली प्रिती आणि अमोल. अमोल तळेकर @mountain\_madness आणि माझी भेट तब्बल एक वर्षानंतर झाली. दोघेही सहभाटके. (@mountain\_madness याचा प्रोफाइल नक्की बघा) एकमेकांची ओळख झाली आणि आम्ही चौघेही भटकंती करणारे असल्याने चर्चा बरीच रंगली. हळूहळू सगळे चेलाडी फाट्याला जमलो. प्रत्येकाने बाईक आणलेली असल्याने काळजी नव्हती. रात्री ११.०० वाजता वेल्हेसाठी रवाना झालो. थंडी खूप असल्याने वेल्हेला पोहोचेपर्यंत थंडीने आम्ही पूर्णपणे गारठून गेलो होतो. रात्री १२.४० वाजता वेल्हेला पोहोचलो. सोबत आणलेले कुदळे, फावडे, टिकाव, घमेले इ.

सामान घेऊन १२.५० वाजता गड चढण्यास सुरुवात केली. सोबत मिळाली ती आकाशात चमकणाऱ्या चांदण्यांची. मध्यरात्री गडावरील मॅगाईदेवीच्या मंदिरात पोहोचलो. सर्वांनी मॅगाई देवीच्या मंदिरात रात्र काढली. पण थंडी खूप असल्याने झोप काही लागली नाही.

दुसऱ्या दिवशी दिवाळी पहाट असल्याने अंगाला बोचणारी थंडी होती. तरीसुद्धा पहाटे हनुमान बुरुजावर गेलो. राजगडाच्या मागून उदयाला आलेला सूर्यनारायण चहुबाजूंनी न्याहाळलेला गडाचा परिसर, दरीत अडकलेले ढग त्यामुळे वातावरण अगदी मंत्रमुग्ध करणारे होते. सोबतच झुंझार माळ माचीचे साजेसे असं रूप बघावयास मिळालं. इंद्रव्रजानेसुद्धा दर्शन दिलं. समोरच आपल्या बुलंद आणि बळकटपणाची साक्ष देत उभ्या असलेल्या आणि अनेक महत्वांच्या घटनांचा साक्षीदार असणारा मुरुंबदेवाच्या डोंगरावरील राजगडाचं दर्शन झालं. सोबतच शिवतीर्थ दुर्गदुर्गेश्वर रायगड आणि स्वराज्याचं कारागृह लिंगाणा यांचंही दर्शन झालं. सूर्यदेवाला वंदन करून मॅगाई देवीच्या मंदिरात परत आलो. रात्रीच गडावर गेल्याने सकाळीच गडदर्शन करून सर्वांनी आणलेल्या दिवाळी फराळांचा आस्वाद घेऊन कापूर लेणीकडे निघालो.

तोरण्याच्या पोटात असलेली कापूर लेणी दुर्गम आहेत. डोईपर्यंत वाढलेलं गवत अन् कारवीची दाट झाडी यातून कापूर लेणीकडे पोहोचणे म्हणजे जिकरीचे काम. तरीपण मार्ग काढत आम्ही कापूर लेण्यांपर्यंत पोहोचलो. पूर्णपणे झाडाझुडपांनी आच्छादलेली कापूर लेणी झाडीमुक्त करण्यात आली. पूर्णपणे पाण्याने भरलेल्या कापूरलेण्यांच्या वरील मातीचा ढिगारा काढण्याचे काम सुरू झाले. पाळी-पाळीने प्रत्येकाने आपापली जागा बदलून कामे केली. सोबत आलेल्या दोन रणरागिणी फुलांचा हार आणि तोरण बनवण्याच्या कामाला लागल्या. थोडा वेळ थांबून सर्वांनी भोजनाहार केले. भोजन आटोपून झाल्यावर पुन्हा सगळे कामाला लागले. ४ वाजेपर्यंत काम आटोपून सर्वजण दिपोत्सवासाठी मॅगाईदेवीच्या मंदिराकडे निघालो. दिवसभर साथ दिलेल्या वरुणराजांनी सायंकाळी दिपोत्सवासाठी आपली उपस्थिती दर्शविली.



सर्वजण मॅगाईदेवीच्या मंदिरात पोहोचलो. सूर्यनारायणही शिवतीर्थ रायगडाला निर्वाणीचा मुजरा घालून अस्ताला गेला. दीपोत्सवाच्या तयारीला लागलो. मॅगाई देवीच्या मंदिरात रांगोळी काढण्याचं काम सुरू झालं. फुलांनी बनवलेले तोरण महादरवाजाला लावण्यात आले. दिवे लावून पूजा केली. इकडे मॅगाई देवीच्या मंदिरातसुद्धा लगबग सुरू होती. काहीजण तोरण, हार आणि दिवे घेऊन महादेवाच्या मंदिरात गेले. तिथे मंदिराला तोरण, महादेवाला फुलं घातली, दिवे लावण्याचं काम सुरू झालं. महादेवाच्या मंदिरात आणि मॅगाई देवीच्या मंदिरात दिवे लावून झाले. देवीला फराळाचं नैवेद्य दाखवलं. नमस्कार केला. दिव्यांच्या लख्ख प्रकाशात मॅगाई देवीचं मंदिर आणि महादेवाचं मंदिर न्याहाळून निघालं. सर्वांनी दिवाळी पाडव्याच्या शुभेच्छा दिल्या. मुख्य प्रवेशद्वाराला तोरण बांधून महादेवाच्या देवळात आणि आई मॅगाईच्या देवळात दीपोत्सव मोठ्या उत्साहात साजरा झाला.

सर्वांचा निरोप घेत गडउतार करायला सुरुवात केली. गड उतार करताना मन मात्र गडावरचं होतं. पुन्हा तोरणा गडावर जाण्याचा योग कधी येणार हाच विचार मनात चालला होता. गड उतार करून १०.४५ ला आम्ही चेलाडी फाट्याला पोहोचलो. सर्व पुणेकरांचा निरोप घेत आणि संवर्धनाच्या व दीपोत्सवाच्या गोड आठवणी सोबत घेऊन मुंबईसाठी रवाना झालो. मुंबईला परत जात असताना सहज मनातील विचार ओठांपर्यंत पुढील शब्दांत नाचू लागले,

मातीचं उटणं, पावसाचं पाणी...

पाडव्याचं स्नान तोरण्यावरी...

संवर्धनाच्या प्रतिक्षेत कापूरलेणी...

दिवा संवर्धनाचा आई मॅगाईच्या दारी...

हा ऐतिहासिक ठेवा प्रकाशात आणण्यासाठी खुप हातांची गरज लागणार आहे, तेव्हा पुढील मोहिमेत जास्तीत जास्त संख्येने सहभागी व्हा, असे माझे सर्व तरुणांना आवाहन आहे.

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## अल्पवयीन मुलांचे शोषण



अल्पवयीन मुलांचे शोषण ही भारतातील अत्यंत गंभीर समस्या आहे. त्यांच्यावर खूप अत्याचार होतात. खरेतर लहान मुलांचे शोषण वेगवेगळ्या प्रकाराने होत असते आणि ते आपल्याला कळतसुद्धा नाही. मुलांच्या शोषणाचे विविध प्रकार आहेत, उदा. शारीरिक व मानसिक अत्याचार व त्यांना सारखे हिणवणे, जबरदस्तीने काम करवून घेणे किंवा त्यांच्याबरोबर अनैसर्गिक कृत्य करणे इ.

भारतातील मुलांच्या शोषणाची संख्या खूप वाढली आहे. कारण भारत हा प्रचंड लोकसंख्या असलेला देश आहे. कुटुंबनियोजनाचा अभाव असल्याने एका घरात दोन किंवा त्यापेक्षा अधिक मुले असतात. त्यामुळे पालक सगळ्यांकडे सारखे लक्ष देऊ शकत नाही. त्यामुळे मुले पळवून नेली जातात व त्यांच्याकडून गैरकाम करवून घेतली जातात. हे प्रामुख्याने शहरी भागात व जिथे दाट लोकसंख्या असते तिथे घडले जातात.

मुलांचे अपहरण करून त्यांच्याकडून मोलमजुरी करवून घेतली जाते व अनेक वेळा त्यांच्याकडून गैरकृत्य देखील करवून घेतले जाते. कधी कधी तर त्यांचे अपहरण करून त्यांना दूर देशातही पाठवले जाते. फटाके बनवण्यासाठी, अवैधरित्या खाणकाम करण्यासाठी मुलांना पळवून नेले जाते व कधी कधी त्यांचा शारीरिक व मानसिक छळ केला जातो.

काही घटनांमध्ये तर घरातील सदस्य हेदेखील अल्पवयीन मुलांचे शोषण करताना दिसतात. सख्खा-सावत्र या गोष्टींमुळेदेखील कुटुंबातील एखाद्या मुलाला शोषणाचा किंवा अत्याचाराचा बळी व्हावा लागतो. यामध्ये जास्तीत जास्त अंधश्रद्धा या कारणामुळेदेखील मुलांचे शोषण होते.

आताच्या काळात जर आपण बघितलं तर मुलींवरच जास्त अत्याचार (शारीरिक व मानसिक) होताना दिसतात. अगदी एक वर्षाच्या मुलीपासून सोळा वर्षांच्या मुलींवरदेखील अत्याचार होताना दिसतात. कधी कधी लहान मुलींना स्वप्ने दाखवून किंवा कशाचे आमिष दाखवून पळवून नेण्यात येते आणि त्यांना वेश्या वस्तीत विकले जाते. अशा ठिकाणी त्या मुलींचे मोठ्या प्रमाणात लैंगिक शोषण होते. दहा ते पंधरा वर्षांच्या वयोगटातील मुलींना पळवून नेऊन त्यांना हार्मोन्सचे इंजेक्शनस दिले जातात. काही क्रूर व विचित्र माणसं तर पैशांसाठी अशा लहानग्यांचे अवयव शरीरापासून वेगळं करून, त्यांना अपंग करून भिक मागायला लावतात. मुलांनी जर भिक मागितली नाही किंवा भिक मागून जास्त पैसे आणले नाहीत, तर त्यांना उपाशी ठेवले जाते, मारझोड होते, मानसिक छळ होतो म्हणजेच काय तर आयुष्यभर त्या मुलांची वाटचाल शोषणाकडेच होते, त्यांच्या वाट्याला छळच असणार आणि शेवटी या सगळ्यातून त्यांना कायदा नाही तर फक्त मृत्यूच बाहेर काढणार.

आपल्या देशात अजूनही काही राज्ये आहेत जिथे मुलांना पूर्ण शिक्षण दिले जात नाही. मुलींना शिक्षण व आधुनिक आरोग्य पद्धती पुरवल्या जात नाहीत. मुलांचे शोषण ही भारतातील अत्यंत गंभीर समस्या असून सरकारने याविरुद्ध लक्ष देण्यासाठी Child Protection Act अस्तित्वात आणला आहे. यामध्ये मुलांना प्राथमिक शिक्षण देणे, धोकादायक ठिकाणी कामावर ठेवू नये व १४ वर्ष वय पूर्ण झाल्याशिवाय कोणतेही काम देऊ नये इत्यादी तरतुदी तयार केल्या आहेत. तसेच आपल्या भारतात एन.जी.ओ.सुद्धा आहेत जे लहान मुलांना सगळ्या गोष्टी पुरवतात.

आपला भारत तरुण व्यक्तींचा देश म्हणून ओळखला जातो.

भारतात खूप मोठ्या प्रमाणात तरुण वर्ग आहे. परंतु आताची तरुण पिढी मोबाईलच्या विळख्यात सापडली आहे. त्यांना माहित असते की आपल्या अवतीभोवती, आपल्या आजुबाजूला, आपल्यासमोर खूप अत्याचार होत आहेत. परंतु त्यांचे म्हणणे काय आहे, “ज्या मुलावर किंवा मुलीवर अत्याचार होत आहे ती माझी तर कुणी नाही आहे तर मी का मदत करू,” अशी त्यांची धारणा आहे, पण ते हा विचार करत नाही की, “जर तिच्याजागी/त्याच्याजागी माझा कोण नातेवाईक असता तर?” पण नाही ते लोक हा विचार करणारच नाही. फक्त बोलणार की, “कुणीतरी ह्यांना मदत करायला हवी रे,” पण स्वतः नाही जाणार.

आपल्या मराठी भाषेत एक म्हणणं आहे की, “शिवबा जन्माला यावा पण तो शेजारच्या घरात,” म्हणजे काय तर जर काही घटना आपल्या डोळ्यांसमोर घडत आहेत पण फक्त त्यावर बोलायचं, करायचं काहीच नाही. जेव्हा दुसरा व्यक्ती मदत करायला जाईल तेव्हा जायचं तोपर्यंत वाट बघायची कोण पहिलं जात ते त्यांच्यात तेव्हा मी “पणा” येतो. परंतु काही तरुण असे आहेत की जे हे अत्याचार थांबवण्याचा प्रयत्न करत आहेत व समाजात जनजागृती करत आहेत.

जर प्रत्येक तरुणाने हे लहान मुलांवर होणारे अत्याचार थांबवले तर आपल्याला उद्याचा एक नवीन भारत बघायला मिळेल व लहान मुलांवरचे अत्याचार थांबतील. अशी माझी आशा आहे.

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२०२० हे डॉ. ए. पी. जे. अब्दुल कलाम यांचं स्वप्नपूर्तिचं वर्ष आहे. डॉ. कलामांनी काही वर्षांपूर्वी भारतासाठी स्वप्न पाहिलं. भारत हा विकसनशील नव्हे तर विकसित झालेला कलामांना पाहायचा होता. डॉ. कलामांनी सुरुवातीला भारत विकसित कसा होईल किंवा आपण काय करायला हवे? यावर एक डॉ. क्युमेंट तयार केले होते. पुढे याच डॉ. क्युमेंटचे डॉ. कलामांनी पुस्तकात रूपांतर केले. त्याचे नाव “इंडिया व्हिजन २०२० : A vision for the New Millenium.

“इंडिया व्हिजन २०२०” विषयी सविस्तर माहिती डॉ. कलाम यांनी IIT टेक ह्या कार्यक्रमात उद्घाटनाच्या वेळी हैदराबाद येथे सांगितली. कलाम म्हणतात - मी भारतासाठी पुढील तीन स्वप्ने पाहिली आहेत. जर आपण आपला इतिहास पाहिला तर जगातील विविध

कानाकोपऱ्यातून लोक भारतात आले आणि आपली जमीन काबीज केली. आपल्या बुद्धिमतेच्या जोरावर भारतीयांना त्यांनी गुलाम बनविले. अगदी अलेक्झांडर पासून ग्रीक, तुर्क, मुघल, पोर्तुगीज, ब्रिटीश, फ्रेंच, डच सर्वांनी देशाला लुटले. पण आपल्या भारताने कधीच कोणत्याही देशाला गुलाम तर सोडाच पण त्यांची जमीन काबीज करून, त्यांची संस्कृती, जीवनपद्धती बदलण्याचादेखील प्रयत्न केला नाही. कारण भारताने काय दुसऱ्या देशाच्या स्वातंत्र्याचा आदर केला आहे.

यामुळे माझे पहिले स्वप्न स्वातंत्र्य आहे. माझ्या मते भारताने स्वातंत्र्याचे पहिले स्वप्न १८५७ मध्येच पाहिले होते. जेव्हा भारताने स्वातंत्र्याची लढाई सुरू केली.

दुसरे स्वप्न म्हणजे भारताच्या विकासाचे आहे. देशाला स्वातंत्र्य तर मिळाले पण तरीही आपला देश विकसनशील देश आहे. ही वेळ देशाला विकसित बनविण्याची आहे. G.D.P. च्या दरानुसार पाहिल्यास आपण जगात सर्वोच्च पाच देशांमध्ये एक आहोत. बहुतेक क्षेत्रांमध्ये विकास दर १०% आहे. आपल्याकडे गरिबीचा स्तर दिवसेंदिवस कमी होत आहे. आज आपल्या देशाची उपलब्धता विश्व स्तावर मोजली जाते. परंतु तरीसुद्धा आपल्या देशाला एका विकसित देशाच्या रूपात पाहिले जात नाही आणि याचे कारण म्हणजे आत्मविश्वास, आत्मनिर्भरता आणि स्वनिश्चिततेमध्ये कमी असणे होय.

तिसरे स्वप्न म्हणजे भारत जगात सर्वोच्च पदावर असावा. जोपर्यंत भारत सर्वोच्च पदावर जात नाही तोपर्यंत भारताचा कोणी सन्मान करणार नाही. कारण सामर्थ्य हेच सामर्थ्याचा आदर करते. केवळ सैन्य शक्तीने नाही तर आर्थिक शक्तीनेही सक्षम होण्याची आवश्यकता आहे.

भारताच्या प्रतिज्ञेत आपण म्हणतो की, ‘भारत माझा देश आहे,’ पण आमच्याच देशाच्या यशस्वीतेच्या कथा माहिती करून घेण्याचा प्रयत्नसुद्धा आपण करत नाही.

आज दुधाच्या उत्पादनात आपला देश पहिला आहे. रिमोट सेलिंग सॉल्यूटमध्ये आपण पहिले आहोत. गव्हाच्या, तांदुळाच्या उत्पादनात देश दुसऱ्या क्रमांकावर आहे.

डॉ. सुदर्शन यांनी एका जनजातीय गावाला आत्मनिर्भर, स्वचलित, गावामध्ये परावर्तित केले आहे. अशा बऱ्याच उपलब्धी, यश देशाने मिळवलेले आहे. पण मिडिया आपल्या देशातील वाईट गोष्टी, आपत्ती, अपयश आणि अस्वच्छताच प्रकाशीत करतात. आपण रोज वर्तमानपत्रे वाचतो आणि वाचतानादेखील फक्त मृत्यू, दुःख, आतंकवाद, क्राईम याविषयीच वाचतो. आपण एवढे नकारात्मक का?

हैदराबादध्ये जेव्हा डॉ. कलाम व्याख्यान देत होते. तेव्हा एका १४ वर्षीय मुलीने त्यांना ऑटोग्राफसाठी विचारले. तेव्हा कलामांनी तिला विचारले, जीवनात तुझे ध्येय काय? तिने सांगितले की, “मी विकसित भारतात राहू इच्छिते,” त्यासाठी तुम्ही आणि मी मिळून एक विकसित भारत



का निर्माण करू शकत नाही. भारताचा उल्लेख करताना प्रत्येकाने भारत हा विकसनशील नाही तर पूर्णतः विकसित देश आहे असे म्हटले पाहिजे.

साल २०२० मध्ये भारत महासत्ता होणार हे बरेचसे तत्वज्ञ म्हणत आहेत. महासत्ता होण्याच्या दिशेने वाटचाल सुरू असलेल्या भारतातील आजची परिस्थिती कशी आहे. जगभरामध्ये मंदी चालू असतानाही भारतावर मात्र त्याचा विशेष परिणाम दिसून आला नाही. भारतातील उद्योग क्षेत्राला काही प्रमाणात धक्के बसूनही आजच्या तारखेला भारतीय उद्योग भरघोस प्रगती करीत आहेत. काही भारतीय उद्योग तर परदेशी कंपनींना विकत घेत आहेत. शेअर मार्केट ही उंचावत आहेत. भारताचा विकास दर ही चांगला राहिला असून मोठ्या प्रमाणावर रोजगार निर्मिती होत आहे. मोठ्या प्रमाणावर परदेशी गुंतवणूक होत असून आता तर भारताची दारे जागतिक शिक्षणाकरिता खुली होत आहेत. आज भारताने औद्योगिक शिक्षण क्षेत्रात जरी प्रगती केलेली असली तरी २०२० मध्ये भारत हा पूर्णपणे विकसित झालेला नाही याचं कारण आपण स्वतः आहोत. भारतात सगळ्या क्षेत्रासंबंधी शिक्षण उपलब्ध आहे. हे उपयोगी शिक्षण घेऊन भारतीय परदेशी जातात. परदेशात नोकरी करून आयकर भरून आपल्या बुद्धिकौशल्याचा तिकडे उपयोग करतात. त्यामुळे भारतीय भारताचेच मोठ्या प्रमाणावर नुकसान करतात हे म्हणणे वावगं ठरणार नाही.

त्यामुळे डॉ. अब्दुल कलामाच 'व्हिजन २०२०' चं वर्ष जरी सुरू झालेले असले तरी भारत अजूनही महासत्ता होण्यासाठी आणि विकसित देश म्हणून पूर्णतः तयार झालेला नाही. भारताने विकसनशील ते विकसित भारत याकडे वाटचाल तर सुरू केलेली आहे पण 'विकसित भारत' ह्या ध्येयाकडे अजूनही पोहोचलेलो नाही. भारतात आजही भाषा, धर्म, जात यावरून वाद होतात. भारतात अजूनही बऱ्याच ठिकाणी लोकांना मुलभूत गरजा उपलब्ध झालेल्या नाहीत आणि म्हणूनच डॉ. ए. पी. जे. अब्दुल कलामांच 'व्हिजन २०२०' स्वप्न पूर्ण झालेले नाही असे म्हणता येईल.

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आत्ताच्या या काळात आपल्या आजुबाजूला अनेक प्रकारचे गुन्हे घडत आहेत. चोरी, खून या प्रकारचे गुन्हे होत आहेत व त्या बाबत आपल्याला माहितही आहे. कारण आपण ऐकतो, वाचतो, प्रसारमाध्यमांद्वारे ते आपल्यापर्यंत पोहचत असते. अलीकडच्या

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दहशतवाद' या संदर्भात खूप मोठ्या प्रमाणावर बातम्या वाचायला मिळतात. सायबर क्राईम इंटरनेटवर केला जाणारा गुन्हा आहे. नेहमीच आपल्या आजुबाजूला घडणाऱ्या गुन्ह्यांबद्दल आपल्याला कल्पना असते तसे सायबर विश्वाच्या बाबतीत नसते. म्हणजेच एका टोळीने गुन्हा करणे. बँकेत चोरी करणे अशा प्रकारच्या घटना व माहिती सर्वसामान्य लोकांना असते. पण इंटरनेटचा वापर करून सायबर गुन्हे नक्की होतात तरी कसे हे समजावून घेणे हे अनेकांच्या कुवतीबाहेरचे असते. याचे मुख्य कारण म्हणजे हा सर्व प्रकार इतका गुंतागुंतीचा व क्लिष्ट प्रकार असतो की लवकर समजून येत नाही. प्रथम आपण सायबर गुन्हेगारी विषयी बोलू. सायबर गुन्हेगारीचा फटका अगदी सर्वसामान्यांपासून ते एखाद्या मोठ्या उद्योजकालाही बसतो. गुन्हेगार आपली खाजगी माहिती मिळवून सामान्य लोकांचे खुप मोठे नुकसान करतात.

परंतु तुमच्या आमच्या मनात एकदा तरी विचार आला असेल की, नक्की सायबर क्राईम हा काय प्रकार आहे? तो कसा करतात? जर असा प्रकार आपल्या सोबत घडला तर आपण काय केले पाहिजे? कोणत्या प्रकारची काळजी घेतली पाहिजे? तर आपण याबाबत अजून माहिती जाणून घेऊयात. सायबर क्राईम हा इंटरनेटद्वारे केला जाणारा गुन्हा आहे. यामध्ये हॅकर आपल्याला ई-मेल पाठवतात, त्यामध्ये नमूद केलेले असते की तुमच्या इंटरनेट बँकेचा पासवर्ड हल्लेखोरांना मिळाला आहे, तुमचे खाते हॅक झालेले आहे व तुमची सर्व वैयक्तिक माहिती मिळालेली आहे. त्यामुळे निर्माण होणारा धोका टाळण्यासाठी लगेच तुमचा पासवर्ड बदला असे लिहिलेले असते. त्यासाठी त्या ई-मेलमध्ये एक लिंक असते. आपण पटकन त्या लिंकवर जाऊन क्लिक करतो व आलेली सर्व माहिती खरी की खोटी हेदेखील आपण तपासून पाहत नाही व सर्व माहिती भरल्यानंतर आपल्याला थोडेसे हायसे वाटते. परंतु संपूर्ण घोळ इकडेच झालेला असतो. भामट्याने हा मेल स्वतःच्या खात्यातून पाठवलेला असतो व तो ई-मेल बँकेतून आलेला आहे असे आपल्याला वाटते व आपण मेलबरोबर आलेल्या लिंकवर क्लिक करून आपण भरलेली सर्व माहिती भामट्यांना देतो व आपल्या खात्यातून पैसे जातात किंवा आपल्याला एक संदेश पाठवतात. त्यामध्ये असे नमूद करतात की ट्रस्टने लकी डॉ. काढलेला आहे व आम्ही त्यामध्ये भारतातील काही लोकांची नावे निवडली आहेत, त्यामध्ये आपले नाव आलेले आहे व आपणास १,००,००० रु. चा जॅकपॉट लागलेला आहे. हा संदेश एकदम सुवाच्या भाषेत टाईप करून आपल्याला पाठवतात व तो खरा वाटतो. आपल्याकडून कोणत्या ना कोणत्या प्रकारे पैसे काढून घेतात. उदा. (फॉरेन बँकेतून रक्कम आपल्या खात्यात वळवण्यासाठी ७५,००० ट्रान्सफर फी मागतात किंवा काही

पैसे मागतात) आपण जॅकपॉटच्या आमिषाला बळी पडून आपण पैसे भरतो व अडकले जातो. यात प्रामुख्याने शिकलेली लोक बळी पडतात. त्याचे कारणदेखील तसेच आहे. आपल्यासारखी लोकं खूप पैशांच्या आमिषाला बळी पडून आपण आपली सर्व माहिती इंटरनेटद्वारे सायबर गुन्हेगारास पाठवतात. सायबरच्या जगात या गुन्हाला प्रामुख्याने फिशिंग असे म्हणतात. कारण सायबर गुन्हेगार आपल्यासाठी एक जाळे टाकतात त्यात खूप पैशांचे आमिष दाखवतात व आपण त्यास बळी पडतो. आपण कोणत्याही प्रकारचा विचार करत नाही व त्या टाकलेल्या जाळ्यात अडकतो आणि त्यातून बाहेर निघणेदेखील कठीण असते. आपण या सर्व प्रकाराबाबत तक्रार करूनसुद्धा काही फायदा नसतो. आणि दुसरा प्रकार म्हणजे बँकेच्या नावाने खोटे फोन करून आपल्याकडून सायबर गुन्हेगार आपली माहिती घेतात व आपल्या मबाईलवर आलेला ओ.टी.पी. नंबर आपल्या कडून ते लोक मागतात. तो नंबर देताच आपल्या खात्यातून पैसे काढले जातात. अशाप्रकारे हा सर्व प्रकार घडतो.

सायबर क्राईमसारखे गुन्हे आपल्यासोबत घडू नये म्हणून आपण पुढील काळजी घेतली पाहिजे.

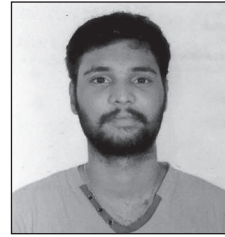
सर्वप्रथम कोणत्याही बँकेच्या एटीएम मध्ये पैसे काढण्यासाठी गेल्यावर तेथे काही सूक्ष्म कॅमेरा लावला आहे का हे तपासा. एटीएमच्या की बोर्डवर काही संशयास्पद वस्तू आहे का किंवा कोणती चिकट वस्तू आहे का हे बघून घ्यावे व प्रामुख्याने आपला पिन नंबर टाकताना हात कवर करून घेणे. अनेकदा आपल्या एटीएमच्या रांगेत काही बदमाश असतात ते आपली बोटे टाईप करताना बघतात व पिन नंबर काय टाकतोय हे ओळखतात. एटीएम मधून पैसे काढल्यानंतर जी पावती येते ती अशीच फेकून न देता व्यवस्थित फाडून मग फेकून द्यावी. त्याचे कारण असे की त्या पावतीवर आपल्या कार्डचा शेवटचा नंबर व व्यवहार नंबर असतो. ही माहिती एका हॅकरसाठी उपयुक्त असते. आत्ताच्या काळात आपण सर्वजण डेबिट किंवा क्रेडिट कार्ड वापरतो. आपण कार्ड वापरताना कोणत्या प्रकारची काळजी प्रामुख्याने घ्यायला हवी. सर्वप्रथम कार्डमागील तीन अंकी नंबर ज्याला आपण सी.वी.वी. म्हणतो तो कोठेतरी लिहून ठेवावा किंवा लक्षात ठेवावा परंतु तो कार्डवर नसला पाहिजे. तो कायमस्वरूपी कार्डवरून नष्ट करावा. त्याचं प्रामुख्याने कारण म्हणजे आपण अनेकदा कार्ड व्यवहारासाठी वापरतो. 'स्वाईप' मारतो तेव्हा आपण आपले कार्ड दुसऱ्या व्यक्तीस देतो. जर ते कार्ड चुकीच्या व्यक्तीच्या हातात पडले तर ती व्यक्ती फक्त कार्डपुढील १६ अंकी नंबर व मागचा सी.वी.वी. नंबरच लक्षात ठेवतात व नंतर त्याचा गैरवापर करू शकतात व ते आपल्याला कळूनसुद्धा येत नाही.

कोणत्याही प्रकारचा ऑनलाईन व्यवहार करताना बँकेची साइट नीट आहे का ते तपासून घेणे व ऑनलाईन व्यवहार करताना दरवेळी नवीन व्यवहार करणे गरजेचे आहे. त्याचे कारण म्हणजे अनेकदा सायबर गुन्हेगार आपल्याला मागील व्यवहाराबद्दल आठवण करून देतात व आपला पासवर्ड जतन करायला सांगतात, तर तसे करू नये.

कारण या सायबर क्राईमच्या अनेक घटना घडल्या आहेत. हा गुन्हा केव्हाही, कोणासोबतही घडू शकतो. तर सावधान रहा, सतर्क रहा अशा प्रकारचा गुन्हा घडणार नाही याची काळजी घ्या व कोणत्याही खोट्या आमिषांना बळी पडू नका.

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Every black cloud has silver lining अशी इंग्रजीत एक म्हण आहे. तेच जागतिक मंदीबाबत म्हणता येते. मंदीनंतर तेजी येणारच असते पण कधी' कशी' हे प्रश्न पडताच आणि 'दी जेव्हा मोठ्या प्रमाणात, सर्वदूर एकाच वेळी येते तेव्हा ती लाट ठरते आणि जगभरात सर्व ठिकाणी आलेली मंदी ही 'जागतिक मंदीची लाट' ठरते. कधी-कधी ती रौद्ररूप धारण करून त्सुनामीही बनते आणि अनेक प्रकारचे दुष्परिणाम होतात. काहीही केले तरी यश मिळतच नाही असे वाटू लागते. मोठमोठे उद्योग-व्यवसाय, कारखानदारी सारेच मंदावले, रोजगार मंदावतो, चुली थंड पडतात आणि भुकेने पोटातील आग मात्र वणव्यासाठी भडकते. व्यापारी-उदीम म्हटला की, तेजी-मंदी आलीच. 'कभी खुशी कभी गम' असणारच; परंतु काही काळ किंवा काही भाग या वातावरणाने गडुळले तर फारसे बिघडत नाही. मात्र जेव्हा सर्वत्र मंदीचे वातावरण पसरते तेव्हा प्रगतीला खीळ बसल्याचे आढळते.

१९-२० व्या शतकात संपूर्ण जग अशाच मंदीच्या ग्रहणाने अंधारले होते. उद्योग व्यवसाय चालत नव्हते, साहजिकच व्यापार-उदीम थंडावला होता. कारखान्यांची यंत्रे थांबली होती. यंत्रे चालविणारे हात बंद झाले होते. ही जागतिक मंदी बघता बघता पसरते. 'आ' वासून राक्षसी रूप धारण करते आणि सारे चैतन्य, सारे उत्साहाचे वातावरण एकदम थंडावते आणि जन्म देते अनेक दुष्परिणामांना.

मंदीची झळ सर्वसामान्य जनतेला खूप मोठ्या प्रमाणात बसले. कारखान्यात नोकर कपात होते. इतर आंतरराष्ट्रीय व बहुराष्ट्रीय कंपन्यांमध्ये



‘कामगिरी दाखवू शकत नसाल तर घरी बसा’ असा नियमच तयार होतो. त्या नियमाखाली कोणाचीही कामगिरी असमाधानकारक ठरू शकते व तो बेकार बनतो. नवी नोकरभरती बंद होते, कंपन्या तोट्यात चालतात, उत्पादन कमी होते, दैनंदिन जीवनोपयोगी वस्तूंना मागणी तेवढीच असते पण उत्पादन कमी आणि त्यामुळे पुरवठा कमी म्हणून किमती भरमसाठ वाढतात.

प्रचंड महागाई होते. बँकांचे व्यवहार कमी होतात. आंतरराष्ट्रीय व्यवहार मंदावतात. त्यामुळे प्रगतिशील देशांचा विकास खुंटतो. शासन नवीन योजना आखून परिस्थिती काबूत ठेवण्याचा प्रयत्न करत असते. मात्र ते प्रयत्न कमी ठरण्याची शक्यताच जास्त असते. विज्ञान-तंत्रज्ञानातील प्रगतीमुळे माणसाने जवळजवळ सारी क्षेत्रे पादाक्रांत केली आहेत. जग जणू एक खेडे बनले आहे. संपर्कमाध्यमे प्रगत, विकसित झाल्यामुळे मंदीदेखील जगातल्या कानाकोपऱ्यात तेवढ्याच वेगाने पसरताना दिसते. पूर्वी आलेल्या मंदीच्या लाटेपेक्षा आजच्या काळातील मंदीचा तडाखा जोरात बसत असल्याचे दिसते.

किंमत वाढ अनिवार्य ठरते. शासन आणि सामान्य जनता दोहोंवरील ते फार मोठे संकट असते. दोहोंच्या अर्थसंकल्पाचे नियोजन बिघडते सर्वप्रकारच्या शासकीय योजना, प्रकल्प, कार्यप्रणाली यांच्यावरील खर्च बेशुमार वाढतो. अर्थातच त्याचा बोजा शेवटी सामान्य माणसालाच सोसावे लागते. जनतेवर या ना त्या रुपातील करांमध्ये वाढकेली जाते. काही वेळा पैशांची गरज भागविण्यासाठी जास्त चलनी नोटा छपाव्या लागतात. मग चलन फुगवटा होतो. सर्वसामान्य माणूस बेकारी आणि चलनवाद या कात्रीत सापडूनच जगत राहतो. अशा प्रकारच्या जीवनशैलीमुळे अनेकविध सामाजिक समस्या निर्माण होतात. मानसिक ताणतणावांची परिसीमा होते आणि ‘कसे जगायचे’ या खूप मोठ्या समस्येवर आत्महत्येचा तोडगा काढला जातो. तरुण पिढी बेकार झाल्यामुळे दुःख पचवू शकत नाही आणि व्यसनांचा आधार घेऊन ते दुःख थोडे हलके करण्याचा प्रयत्न करू लागते. लहान बालके, गरोदर माता, सर्वसामान्य जनता यांच्या कुपोषणाची समस्या निर्माण होते. पडेल ते काम करून तेवढे मिळेल तेवढाच कुटुंबाला हातभार असा विचार करून गरीब घरातील मुलांना कामासाठी पाठविले जाते. ‘बालमजुरी’च्या प्रमाणात वाढ होते.

जागतिक मंदी ही जगभरात सर्वत्र एकाच वेळी पसरलेली मंदीची लाट असते. मिळेत तो उद्योग/व्यवसाय मिळेल ते काम करायची तरुणवर्गाला मानसतिक तयारी करावी लागते. जगण्यापुरते तरी कमवणे भाग असते. मग कामाच्या शोधात तरुण धावत सुटतो. कधी दमतो कधी भरकटतो. कधी एकाकी पडून नैराश्याच्या गर्तेत बुडतो. त्यातून सावरणे कठीण होऊन बसते. बेकारी आणि चलनवाद ही दोन्ही पाती धारदार बनतात आणि तरुण वर्ग त्या कात्रीत इतका अडकतो की त्यातून

बाहेर कसे पडावे हा मार्ग शोधण्याची धडपड करताना कासावीस होतो. दररोज उद्याची आशा मनी बाळगून आजचा दिवस जगतो. जागतिक मंदी समाजातल्या सर्व थरांना कोणत्या ना कोणत्या स्वरूपाची झळ पोहोचवते. काहीना ते चटके जास्त बसतात तर काहींची तीव्रता कमी असते इतकेच. जगभरात उसळलेली मंदीची लाट सुमारे तीन वर्षे टिकून राहू शकते. आंतरराष्ट्रीय घडामोडी, व्यापार, व्यवसायाला बसतो. आंतरराष्ट्रीय नाणे विधीला खोट येते. लवकरात लवकर मंदीचे वातावरण निवळून पुन्हा तेजीच्या दिशेने आपली वाटचाल केव्हा सुरू होईल याची सारे जग वाट पाहते आणि त्यासाठी प्रत्येक देश, प्रत्येक राष्ट्राची अर्थव्यवस्था योग्य ती पावले उचलण्यासाठी प्रयत्नशील राहते. Every black cloud has a silver lining ही उक्ती सत्य मानून हा अंधार लवकर दूर व्हावा आणि जागतिक मंदीच्या दुष्परिणामांपासून मुक्तता मिळावी अशी आशा सर्वसामान्य माणूस कसा राहतो.

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मागच्या वर्षी मी सुधा मूर्ती यांचं ‘स्वर्गाच्या वाटेवर काहीतरी घडलं’ हे पुस्तक वाचलं त्या पुस्तकात सत्य अनुभव कथांच्या स्वरूपात कथन केले होते. त्यांपैकी एक कथा माझ्या मनाला चटका लावून गेली होती त्या कथेचं नाव होतं, ‘ॲसिड’.

या कथेतील मुलीची सोशल साईटवरून एका तरुणाशी ओळख होते त्या मुलीला त्या तरुणाबद्दल प्रेम वाटायला लागतं मात्र त्या तरुणाला केवळ शारीरिक जवळीकीतच रस असतो. त्यामुळे कथेतील मुलगी त्या तरुणाला नकार देते. याचा राग मनात ठेवून तो तरुण तिच्या चेहऱ्यावर ॲसिड फेकतो. कथेतील हा प्रसंग कोणत्याही संवेदनशील मनाला हादरवून टाकणारा होता.

काही वर्षांपूर्वी या संदर्भात घडलेली एक घटना आपल्याला आठवत असेल. प्रीती राठी या तरुणीवर एकतर्फी प्रेमातून ॲसिड हल्ला झाला होता. दुर्दैवाने या हल्ल्यात त्या तरुणीचा अंत झाला. लक्ष्मी अगरवाल या तरुणीची कथाही बरीचशी याच अंगाने जाणारी तिच्यावरही तिच्यापेक्षा वयाने मोठ्या असलेल्या पुरुषाने ॲसिड हल्ला केला आणि दुर्दैवाने गोष्ट अशी की लक्ष्मीवर हल्ला केलेल्या त्या पुरुषाला त्यासाठी मदत करणारा व्यक्ती एक स्त्रीच होती.

या घटना खरोखर मनाला विचार करण्यास प्रवृत्त करतात. एकतर्फी प्रेमातून किंवा लग्नाला नकार दिल्यामुळे होणारे अॅसिड हल्ले हे काही नवीन नाहीत. 'तुम अगर मुझको न चाहो, तो कोई बात नहीं, तुम किसी और को चाहोगी तो मुश्किल होगी' ही वृत्ती जोपर्यंत गाण्यापुरतीच मर्यादित आहे तोपर्यंत ठीक आहे. मात्र जर ही वृत्ती प्रत्यक्ष कृतीत उतरली की तिचे परिणाम हे भयंकर होतात.

फक्त मुलं च मुलींवर अॅसिड हल्ले करत नाहीत, तर काही मुलीसुद्धा मुलांवर अॅसिड हल्ला करत असल्याच्या बातम्या पण वाचत असतो. मला एकच गोष्ट कळत नाही की, ज्या व्यक्तीवर तुम्ही प्रेम असल्याचा दावा करता, त्याच व्यक्तीवर अॅसिड फेकून तुम्ही तिचं आयुष्य बरबाद कसं काय करू शकता ?

अॅसिड हल्ला झालेल्या व्यक्तीच्या चेहऱ्यावर वाईट परिणाम तर होतोच पण त्याहीपेक्षा जास्त आघात होतो, तो त्या व्यक्तीच्या मनावर अॅसिड हल्ला झालेल्या व्यक्तीचं आयुष्य अक्षरशः उद्ध्वस्त होतं. पण आज जेव्हा अॅसिड हल्ला पीडित व्यक्ती पुन्हा नव्याने जगण्याचा प्रयत्न करताना आपण बघतो, तेव्हा आपल्याही नकळत आपल्यामध्ये एक नवी उमेद निर्माण होते.

गरज आहे ती या व्यक्तींना समाजाच्या मुख्य प्रवाहात आणण्याची त्यांच्यात आत्मविश्वास निर्माण करण्याची आणि समाजातील विकृत मनोवृत्ती मुळातूनच उखडून काढण्याची एक जबाबदार नागरिक, या नात्याने हे आपलं कर्तव्य आहे असं मला वाटतं, तुमचं काय मत आहे ?

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## प्लॅस्टिक बंदी किती अनिवार्य किती अतिरेकी

प्लॅस्टिक कुजत नाही, त्याच्या विघटनास ४०० ते ५०० वर्षे लागतात. त्यामुळे प्लॅस्टिकचे संकट मोठे बनत चालले आहे. यावर उपाय म्हणून महाराष्ट्र सरकारने राज्यात टप्प्याटप्प्याने प्लॅस्टिक बंदी करण्याचा निर्णय घेतला आहे. हा निर्णय स्वागतार्ह आहे. प्लॅस्टिक पिशव्यांना कापडी पिशवी हा पर्याय उपलब्ध आहे. मात्र, त्या वापरणे गावंढळपणाचे वाटत असल्याने कॅरीबॅग मागितल्या जातात. प्लॅस्टिकचा वापर टाळणे हा गावंढळपणा नसून, तो एक पर्यावरणपूरक आणि कालसुसंगत विचार आहे.

पर्यावरणाच्या सुरक्षिततेचा विचार करून राज्याच्या पर्यावरण विभागाने राज्यात टप्प्याटप्प्याने प्लॅस्टिकवर बंदी आणण्याचा अत्यंत

महत्त्वपूर्ण आणि दूरगामी परिणाम करणारा निर्णय घेतला आहे. सर्वात पहिलं म्हणजे सर्व प्रकारच्या प्लॅस्टिक पिशव्यांवर बंदी घालण्यात येणार आहे. त्यानंतर प्लॅस्टिक बाटल्यांवर बंदी घालण्यात येणार आहे. हा निर्णय स्वागतार्ह आहे. पूर्वीच्या काळी प्लॅस्टिकच्या कॅरी बॅगचा वापर केला जात नव्हता. त्या काळात कापडी पिशवी, कागदी पिशव्या लोक वापरत होते. परंतु कालांतराने प्लॅस्टिकचा वापर खूप वाढू लागला, हे दिसल्यानंतर त्याच्या वापरापेक्षाही त्याचा जास्त गैरवापर होऊ लागला.

प्लॅस्टिकच्या कॅरीबॅगचा फार मोठा धोका पर्यावरणाला आहे. आपण एक कागदी पिशवी वापरली तर हा कागद नैसर्गिक पद्धतीने नष्ट होण्यासाठी कुजण्याची प्रक्रिया तत्काळ होते आणि त्यामुळे पर्यावरणाला त्यापासून हानी होत नाही. कापडी पिशव्यांचे कापड नष्ट होण्यासाठी पाच महिने लागतात. ते कापड जमिनीखाली गाडून ठेवले तर पाच महिन्यांनी ते पूर्णपणे कुजते. त्यामुळे पर्यावरणाला त्यापासून नुकसान होत नाही. प्लॅस्टिक पिशव्यांचे मात्र तसे नाही. सध्या ज्यापासून प्लॅस्टिकच्या कॅरीबॅग बनवल्या जातात. ते प्लॅस्टिक नैसर्गिकपणे नष्ट होण्यासाठी निसर्गाला ५०० वर्षांपेक्षा जास्त कालावधी लागतो. त्यामुळे ते नैसर्गिकपणे नष्टच होत नाही.

प्लॅस्टिकच्या गैरवापरामुळे निसर्गाचे मोठे नुकसान होत आहे. आज प्लॅस्टिक कॅरीबॅगचा वापर ही गरज कमी आणि स्टाईल अधिक बनली आहे. साध्या औषधाच्या गोळ्या घेतल्या तरीसुद्धा लोक दुकानदाराकडे कॅरीबॅग मागतात आणि ती दिली नाही तर जोरजोरात भांडतात देखील. घरी जाईपर्यंत तर काहीवेळा त्या फाटतात आणि दुसऱ्यादिवशी त्या कचऱ्यासोबत उकीरड्यावर जातात. याचा परिणाम किती मोठ्या प्रमाणावर होतो याचा विचार ना दुकानदार करतात, ना ग्राहक. त्यामुळे पर्यावरण खात्याने प्लॅस्टिक पिशव्यांवरील बंदीचा जो निर्णय घेतला आहे तो अत्यंत योग्य आहे.

या निर्णयाची अमलबजावणी चांगल्याप्रकारे होण्यासाठी आपल्याला आणखी एक गोष्ट करण्याची गरज आहे. सरकारमार्फत किंवा स्वयंसेवी संस्थामार्फत प्रबोधन केले जाणे आवश्यक आहे. तसेच माणूस म्हणून नागरिक म्हणून आपलेदेखील याबाबत काही कर्तव्य आहे, हे प्रत्येकाने समजून घ्यायला हवे. आज खेड्यातही प्लॅस्टिक कचऱ्यामुळे ओढे, नाले, गटारी तुंबलेल्या आढळतात हे नियंत्रणात आणायचे असेल, तर जनतेने प्राधान्याने प्लॅस्टिकच्या वापराबाबत विचार करायला हवा.

आज मुंबईसारख्या ठिकाणी किंवा समुद्रकिनारी असणाऱ्या गावांमध्ये, शहरांमध्ये समुद्राच्या पाण्याचा तळ प्लॅस्टिकने झाकलेला आहे. इतका प्लॅस्टिकचा वापर वाढला आहे. ही एक भीषण धोक्याला आमंत्रण देणारी समस्या आहे. याचा जीवसृष्टीवर, जलसृष्टीवर अतिशय प्रतिकूल परिणाम होतो.



प्लॅस्टिकच्या सर्वप्रकारच्या वापरावर बंदी घालणे हे तसे आव्हानात्मक आहे. याचे कारण आज प्लॅस्टिकचा वापर असंख्य वस्तूंमध्ये होत आहे. पेनामधील रिफिलचे उदाहरण घेतले तर पूर्वी आठ आण्याला सुट्टी रिफिल मिळत होती. आता ती प्लॅस्टिकच्या वेस्टनात मिळते. त्यामुळे तिचे आकर्षणपण वाढले, किंमत वाढली पण पर्यावरणाचे नुकसानही वाढले.

पिशव्यांवर प्रक्रिया करून त्यापासून पेट्रोल बनवण्याच्या पर्यायाचाही विचार व्हायला हवा. यासाठी प्लॅस्टिकचे विघटन करावे लागते; पण त्यासाठी अधिक ऊर्जा खर्च होते. त्यामुळे हा पर्याय व्यावहारिक आहे का ? हे ही विचारात घेणे गरजेचे आहे.

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## शेतकऱ्याची आत्मकथा

शेतकरी म्हटलं की आपल्या डोळ्यांसमोर येते ती गरिबी, दुष्काळ, कर्जबाजारी, अनुदानासाठी सरकारवर अवलंबून असणारा, आत्महत्या करणारा. हो, पण ही परिस्थिती का व कशी निर्माण झाली ? ह्याला कोण जबाबदार ? ह्याची कारणे व उपाय ह्यांचा शोध घेण्याचा कुणी प्रयत्न केला आहे का ? शेती हा व्यवसाय पावसावर मुख्यतः हवामानावर अवलंबून असलेला व्यवसाय आहे. भारतात साधारणपणे ६० ते ७० टक्के शेती पावसावर अवलंबून आहे व ३० ते ४० टक्के शेती ही बागायती आहे. त्यामुळे पाऊस कमी किंवा जास्त झाल्यास त्याचा परिणाम शेतीवर होतो तसेच पाऊस वेळेवर न आल्याससुद्धा होतो अशा वेळी शेतकऱ्याची अपेक्षा सरकारकडून अनुदान कर्जमाफी मिळवण्याची असते व तीन मिळाल्यास तो कर्जबाजारी होतो व मग त्यातून नैराश्य येते व मग त्यातून भलत्याच मार्गाला जातो. मी स्वतः एक शेतकरी आहे. मी पण ह्याच चक्रातून गेलो आहे. अगदी आत्महत्या करण्याच्या निर्णयाप्रत येऊन ठेवलो. एवढ्यात मला एक समाजसेवक भेटला.

त्याने माझी कहाणी मन लावून ऐकून घेतली आणि सांगितले की, आता परिस्थिती बदलू लागली आहे. आता शेतीची मशागत करण्यासाठी ट्रॅक्टर व इतर यंत्र आली आहेत. त्यामुळे मानवी श्रम खूप कमी प्रमाणात लागतात. पाण्यासाठी सरकारने व स्वयंसेवी संस्थांनी मोठ्या प्रमाणात ठिबक सिंचनाचा वापर करीत आहे. तसेच पाण्याचे नियोजन ही करत आहेत म्हणजेच 'पाणी अडवा - पाणी जिरवा' ह्यामुळे पावसावर असलेले अवलंबित्व हळूहळू कमी होत आहे. ही सर्व परिस्थिती स्वतःलाच बदलावी लागेल, ह्यातून मार्ग काढावा लागेल असे तो मला म्हणाला. मी पण मनाशी ठरवले मी रडत बसणार नाही, आत्महत्या करणार नाही.

सर्व प्रथम मी शेतीला पूरक असा जोड धंदा सुरू केला, त्यासाठी मी दोन गाई व दोन म्हशी घेतल्या. त्यामुळे मला दिवसाला वीस लिटर म्हशीचे व पंधरा लिटर गाईचे दूध मिळण्यास सुरुवात झाली. त्यातून मला रोज १५०० ते २००० रुपये नफा मिळू लागला. त्यामुळे मला शेतीसाठी लागणारे भांडवल उभे राहू लागले. तसेच गाईच्या, म्हशीच्या शेणापासून मला खत मिळू लागले. त्यामुळे मला येणारा रासायनिक खताचा खर्च कमी झाला व सेंद्रिय खतामुळे उत्पादनाला बाजारात भाव चांगला मिळतो. अशा प्रकारे मी माझ्या कुटुंबाच्या रोजच्या जेवणा-खाण्याची सोय केली व शेतीसाठी भांडवलही उभे केले. नंतर मी एक छोटा ट्रॅक्टर विकत घेतला. त्यामुळे मला शेतीसाठी लागणाऱ्या मजुरीचा खर्च बऱ्याच प्रमाणात कमी झाला. तसेच मी विहीर खणून ठिबक सिंचनही करून घेतला. त्यामुळे मला आता वर्षातून दोन पिके घेता येऊ लागली. त्यामुळे माझी वार्षिक मिळकत दुप्पट झाली. मी मागच्या व ह्या वर्षाचा विचार केला असता माझ्या असे लक्षात आले की -

- (१) जोडधंद्यामुळे माझ्या कुटुंबाची आर्थिक अडचण झाली नाही.
- (२) जोडधंद्यातून मिळणाऱ्या उत्पन्नातून मला शेतीसाठी लागणारे भांडवल उभे राहिले.
- (३) भांडवल असल्यामुळे मला यांत्रिकीकरण (विहीर खणणे, ट्रॅक्टर, ठिबक सिंचन) वगैरे करता आले.
- (४) यांत्रिकीकरणामुळे होणाऱ्या मजुरीच्या खर्चात जवळपास ५०% बचत झाली.
- (५) सेंद्रिय खतामुळे रासायनिक खताचा खर्च पूर्णपणे वाचला.
- (६) सेंद्रिय खतामुळे मला सेंद्रिय धान्य मिळाले त्याचा भाव जवळपास दुप्पट मिळाला.
- (७) तसेच विहीर खणल्यामुळे व ठिबक सिंचन केल्यामुळे दोन पिके घेता आली.

त्यामुळे माझे आर्थिक उत्पन्न दुप्पट झाले व रोज लागणाऱ्या खर्चाची व भांडवलाची व्यवस्था झाली. तसेच मुलांच्या शिक्षणासाठी लागणाऱ्या पैशाची सोय झाली.

आता मी मागील वर्षी आलेल्या अडचणीचा विचार केला असता माझ्या लक्षात आले.

- (१) पाण्याचे योग्य नियोजन करावे लागणार.
- (२) शेतमालाला योग्य भाव मिळाला पाहिजे.
- (३) अवकाळी पावसापासून बचाव.
- (४) योग्य पिकाची निवड करणे.

पाण्याचे योग्य नियोजन करण्यासाठी मला पुढील वर्षी योग्य पीक घ्यावे लागेल. ज्याला कमी प्रमाणात पाणी लागेल. ठिबक सिंचनामुळे ते

होईल ह्याची मला खात्री आहे. शेतीमालाला योग्य तो भाव मिळवण्यासाठी पारंपरिक धान्य न घेता दुसरे काही पीक म्हणजेच फळभाजी, पालेभाजी, फुलशेती वगैरे काही घेता येईल का ह्याचा विचार करणे. अवकाळी पावसामुळे होणारे नुकसान टाळणे, तसेच शेडनेट किंवा ग्रीन नेट किंवा पॉलीहाऊस असे काही करता येईल का ह्याचा विचार करणे. तसेच धान्याची साठवणूक करणे म्हणजे योग्य भाव आल्यास विकता येईल ह्याचा विचार करणे. पहिल्यांदा ही सर्व परिस्थिती मलाच बदलावी लागेल. ह्या गोष्टी बदलल्यास सरकार व अनेक स्वयंसेवी संस्था मदत करीत आहेत. तसेच आता ह्या व्यवसायात अनेक उच्चशिक्षित तरुणसुद्धा मोठ्या प्रमाणात येत आहेत. सरकारसुद्धा ठिबकसिंचन, विहीर, ग्रीननेट, पॉलीहाऊसने ह्या करता ५०% सबसिडी देत आहे. बँक ४% दराने कर्ज देत आहे.

ह्या सगळ्या गोष्टींचा फायदा घेऊन योग्य ते नियोजन करून मी पुढील वर्षी आणखीन चांगल्या रीतीने शेती करून परिस्थिती बदलून दाखवीन ह्याची मला खात्री आहे. शेवटी आपले माजी पंतप्रधान लालबहादूर शास्त्री म्हणाले आहेत, 'जय जवान, जय किसान'.

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'मला एक असा तरुण मिळवून द्या की जो शरीराने तंदुरुस्त आहे. त्याच्या इच्छा व विकार त्याच्या ताब्यात आहेत. त्याचे मन आरशासारखे पारदर्शक व स्वच्छ आहे तर मी जगात कोणताही चमत्कार करून दाखवेन.'

खरं आहे, आजच्या जगाला विकसित करणारा एकमेव सक्षम घटक म्हणून तरुणांकडे पाहिले जाते. सामाजिक उत्थानाची जबाबदारी असलेल्या या तरुणापुढे काय आदर्श व आव्हाने आहेत? हा प्रश्न एखाद्या वयस्कर माणसाला विचारला तर त्याचे उत्तर कदाचित असे असेल. आजच्या तरुणांना आदर्श बघवत नाहीत आणि आव्हाने पेलवत नाहीत. खरीच अशी परिस्थिती आहे का? आजची तरुण पिढी ही उद्याची मार्गदर्शक पिढी असेल. त्यामुळे या तरुणांनी दूरदृष्टीने विचार करून काही मुलभूत आव्हाने पेलणे आवश्यक आहेत.

तरुण वर्गाविषयी विचार व त्यांना देण्यात येत असलेले महत्त्व वेगळ्या प्रकारचे आहे. समाजाचा विचार करताना वर्गानुसार, जातीनुसार गट पाहून विश्लेषण केले जाते. वयानुसार समाजाची विभागणी करून युवक हा वेगळा सामाजिक गट निर्माण करण्याची प्रवृत्ती नवीन आहे. त्याचप्रमाणे तरुण माणसांनाही आपण युवक म्हणून कोणीतरी वेगळे आहोत, वेगळी

सामाजिक जबाबदारी आपल्यावर आहे व समान परिवर्तनाच्या कामात आपल्याला विशेष स्थान आहे. ही जाणीव होत आहे. मात्र ही जबाबदारी पार पाडत असतानाच काही गोष्टींचे भान तरुण वर्गाने ठेवले पाहिजे यामध्ये प्रमुख म्हणजे नैतिकता, विचारसरणी व आदर्शवाद. आपण जसे वागणार आहोत, जे काय करणार आहोत ते इतर कुणाला लक्षात ठेवाविशी वाटली नाहीत तरी काळ व इतिहासला याची मात्र निश्चितच नोंद घ्यावी लागेल. इतिहास हा संदर्भासाठी असतो जेव्हा नवीन पिढी गतकाळाची पाने उलगडून बघेल त्यावेळेस आताचा इतिहास त्यांच्या सामोर येईल. माणूस अनुकरणप्रिय जरूर आहे. मात्र याचवेळेस वाईट गोष्टींचेच अनुकरण तो जास्त करतो. उदा. एखाद्या चुकीच्या प्रथेचा पायंडा पडू नये याची खबरदारी घेणे हे प्रत्येक पिढीसमोरील प्रथम आव्हान आहे. त्यामुळे आज ज्या वाटेवर आपण चालतोय ती नैतिक की अनैतिक हे बघणे गरजेचे आहे.

बरं हे निकष लावताना कशाचा आधार घ्यावयाचा याबाबत सुनिता देशपांडेचे विचार पहा - "कशाला वाईट म्हणावे व कशाला चांगले? कशापेक्षा काय तर अगर कशापेक्षा काय वाईट? आपल्या हाती समांतर आयुष्य थोडंच आहे, शिवाय आपली मतदेखील बदलत असतात. विशेषतः परतीचे वारे वाहू लागले, की त्यांची चाहूल संवेदनशील माणसांना लगेच लागते आणि मग सिंहावलोकन सुरू झालं की सगळं उलट्याच पालटं दिसू लागतं. त्यावेळी उपयोगी पडतात ते आदर्श." जगातील प्रत्येक माणूस नियतीने नेमलेली कामे करत असतो. तो आदर्श आहे का नाही हे त्याने केलेल्या कामाच्या यशावर अवलंबून असतं. आदर्शवादनेच बघायला गेलं तर प्रत्येक माणूस हा आपल्यातच एक आदर्श बनत असतो.

एका प्रसिद्ध वाक्यामध्ये सांगायचे म्हटले तर We don't need followers, we need ideals, पण तरीसुद्धा मान्यता पावलेले आदर्श व्यक्तिमत्व नेहमीच आपल्याला उपयुक्त ठरेल. भारतीय युवकाच्या दृष्टीने स्वामी विवेकानंद, महात्मा गांधी व अगदीच अलीकडल्या काळातील म्हटले तर ए. पी. जे. अब्दुल कलाम यांचा उल्लेख होईल, यांनाच आदर्श का म्हणावे यामागील काही महत्त्वाची कारणे विषद करणे मला महत्त्वाचे वाटते. त्यांचे नैतिकता नुसते ज्ञानच प्रचंड आहे. एवढेच नाही तर त्यांची नैतिकता व सखोल विचार करण्याची प्रवृत्ती गौतम बुद्धानी केलेल्या. "मी सांगतो आहे म्हणून माझ्यावर विश्वास ठेवू नका धर्मग्रंथात आहे म्हणून आंधळेपणाने स्विकार करू नका, तर सर्व विचार तुमच्या बुद्धीवर तपासून पाह्या आणि योग्य अयोग्य काय ते ठरवा." या उपदेशाचे तंतोतंत त्यांनी पालन केले. साधे जीवन जगत उच्च विचारसरणी जोपासली, त्यांची काम करण्याची पद्धत, सचोटी, जगाकडे व जीवनाकडे पहाण्याचा दृष्टीकोन, काहीतरी बनून दाखवण्याची मनीषा व आपण जगाला काहीतरी देणे लागतो ही भावना हे त्यांच्या व्यक्तीमत्त्वाच्या अनेक पैलुंपैकी काही आहेत.



ही आदर्श व्यक्तिमत्व घराघरात नुसरी पोहोचवणेच नव्हे तर ती तिथे रुजवणे व निर्माण करणे युवकांपुढे प्राथमिक आहे. हे घडवताना काही जोड आव्हाने, उदाहरणार्थ प्रबोधन, शिक्षण, बेरोजगारी सारखी युवा वर्गासमोरील मोठी समस्या आदर्शवाद व वैचारीक जडणघडण इत्यादी विचारात घेणे आवश्यक आहे. आजची पिढी रुळ सोडून धारते आहे, असे स्वर कानी पडतात. अशा या द्रुतगतीने धावणाऱ्या गाडीला एका चालकाची गरज आहे व ती चालक म्हणून आपल्याला युवा प्रबोधनाकडे पाहता येईल. १९ व्या शतकातील ज्या प्रकारची युरोपची उन्नती झालेली दिसते त्यामध्ये युवा प्रबोधनामुळे झालेली चमत्कार ठळकपणे दिसून येतात. भारतामध्येही असे प्रबोधन गेल्या काही वर्षांत वेगाने झाले. पण यास परंपरागत पार्श्वभूमीची सांगड होती. त्यामुळे हे प्रबोधन वरचेवर राहिले व त्याची सामान्य तरुणांवर तितकेशी पकड बसली नाही. तेव्हा खेड्यापाड्यातील तरुणांना प्रबोधित करणे हे एक महत्वाचे व आकाराने मोठे असे आव्हान म्हणता येईल.

या प्रबोधनाचे फलीत म्हणून आपणास युवक चळवळीकडे बघता येईल. स्वातंत्र्य चळवळीनंतर देशव्यापी स्वरूपानंतर फक्त संपन्न दिसतात. युवकांना राजकारणी लोक केवळ मतदार म्हणून पहातात व राजतीय फायद्यांसाठी त्यांचा उपयोग बरेचदा करून घेतात. त्यांच्या समस्यांकडे खऱ्या अर्थाने पाहिलेच जात नाही. युवा संघटना मग ती कुठलीही असो. अभावित वा इंदिरा युवक काँग्रेस, विद्यापिठांच्या वा विधानसभा निवडणुकीपर्यंत त्यांचे कार्यक्षेत्र मर्यादीत रहाते. युवकांचे सामाजिक प्रबोधन, रोजगार उपलब्धता, व्यक्तिमत्व विकास यांकडे कानाडोळा केला जातो. ही परिस्थिती पाहताबेहतर जाण्याआधीच युवकांना जागृत करणं व त्यांच्या इच्छाशक्तीला प्रबळ याचलना देणे नैमित्तिक आहे. तरुण पिढीला ध्येयवादी व आदर्शवादी बनविण्याची ताकद त्यांच्या इच्छाशक्तीच्या विकासात आहे.

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वार तुझ्या प्रत्येक क्षणास होऊ दे

अशक्य सुद्धा म्हणून शक्य आहे

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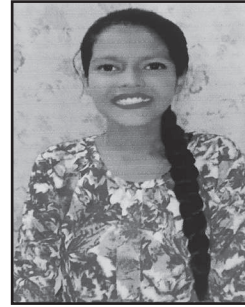
जेव्हा या तरुणांना ध्येयाने पछाडले जाईल, संकटांना सामोरे जाण्यासाठी निधडी छाती निर्माण होईल. आकाशाला गवसणी घालण्याचे सामर्थ्य अंगी येईल त्यावेळेस उज्ज्वल भारतवर्षाची निर्मिती होऊ शकेल. ही जबाबदारी पेलणे हे जबरदस्त आव्हाने नियतीने तरुणांसमोर ठेवले आहे. या आव्हानाला सामोरे जाताना दुसरे पुढे ठाकणारे आव्हान म्हणजे समाजकारण व राजकारणात युवा शक्तीचा सहवास. ढोबळमानाने युवा समाजाचा विकास हाच उद्याच्या समाजाचा विकास आहे. फायद्याच्या राजकारणापासून स्वतःला दुर ठेवणे व समाजाच्या फायद्यासाठी काम

करणे हेच हितावह ठरेल. पाश्चात्य युवक चळवळींपासून एकांगी व असमज धडा घेणारे मुठभर विद्यार्थी, मॉड तरुण, तथाकथित संतप्त तरुण साहित्यिक व राजकीय पक्षांच्या अधीन असलेल्या गटांच्या मोहजालातून सुटणे व या घटकांना सरळ करणे कालप्राप्त ठरेल.

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भारतीय संस्कृतीत पाण्याला आपण तिर्थ मानतो. एखाद्या तहानलेल्याला पाणी देणे म्हणजे खूप पुण्य गाठीशी मिळावे असं आपण मानतो. कारण गर्भावस्थेपासून ते मृत्यूनंतरही मानवाचा शेवट पाणी देऊनच होतो. मानवी शरीराचा ९०% भाग पाण्याने व्याप्त आहे. वैज्ञानिकदृष्ट्या हे सिद्ध झालंय की ५०% भाग पाण्याशिवाय असेल तर मानवी शरीर जीवंत राहू शकत नाही. यावरून लक्षात येते की मानवी जीवनात पाण्याचे महत्त्व अनन्य साधारण आहे.

मानवी जीवन समृद्ध होण्यासाठी प्रत्येक देशाला उपलब्ध साधनसंपत्तीच्या आधारावर विकासाचा मार्ग निश्चित करावा लागतो. सुदैवाने भारतात स्वदेशी पाणीस्रोताचा विचार फार पूर्वीपासून झालेला दिसतो. अगदी पेशव्यांच्या काळापासून पुण्यात प्रयोग राबवला गेलेला आहे तसा दाखला आपल्याला पहावयास मिळतो. त्याचप्रमाणे कोल्हापूर संस्थानात राजर्षी शाहू महाराज यांनी बांधलेले राधानगरी धरण आणि म्हैसूर संस्थानात श्री. एस्. विश्वेश्वरैया यांनी बांधलेले, कृष्णराज सागर धरण हे भारतीयांच्या जलसाक्षरतेची साक्ष देतात. तसेच भारतीय स्वातंत्र्योत्तर काळात डॉ. बाबासाहेब आंबेडकरांनी दूरदृष्टीने नद्यांच्या संपूर्ण खोऱ्यांच्या सर्वांगीण एकात्मिक विकासासाठी बहुउद्देशीय योजनांची आखणी करण्यास प्रारंभ केला. दामोदर व्हॅली कॉर्पोरेशन हे उत्तम उदाहरण आहे.

भारतातदेखील सार्वजनिक पाणीपुरवठा योजनांचे जाळे विस्तृतरीत्या पसरलेले आहे अगदी पूर्वीच्या काळात देखील आपल्याकडे

गावांमध्ये पाणवठे (पानोठे) गाई-गुरांसाठी वेगळे बांधले जात असतं. तसेच माणसांसाठी असतं.

५० व्या दशकातही काळात मोठमोठ्या आकाराच्या व्याप्तीचे जलसिंचन प्रकल्प, पाणी पुरवठा प्रकल्प आणि भूजल स्रोतांचा शोध विकास व उपयोग करणारे प्रकल्प योजनाबद्ध रितीने उभारले गेले होते. १९७० च्या दशकात नद्यांपासून दूर अंतरावर असलेल्या उंच-सखल भागात धरण व कालवे, नळयोजना इ. मार्गांनी आवश्यक पाणीपुरवठा होऊ शकेल अशा योजना कार्यान्वित होऊन त्या-त्या ग्रामीण भागातील लोकांचा प्रत्यक्ष सहभाग या योजनेत दिसून येतो व त्याचे सुपरिणामही दिसून येतो.

शेतीसाठी जलसिंचन योजना आणि शहरी वा ग्रामीण जनतेच्या उपयोगासाठी पाणीपुरवठा योजना, धरणे, कालवे, पाईपलाईन इ. योजना कार्यरत आहेत. भाक्रा-नानगल योजनेच्या जलसिंचनामुळे ग्रामीण भागाचा झालेला सर्वांगीण विकास, कोयना जलविद्युत प्रकल्पामुळे औद्योगिक विकासाला प्रचंड चालना मिळाली. राजस्थानातील 'तरुण भारत संघ' या संघटनेने स्थानिक जनतेच्या सक्रीय सहभागातून जलसिंचनाचे स्वप्न प्रत्यक्ष राबविले. परंतु अद्यापही सांडपाण्याचा सुयोग्य व सुरक्षित विल्हेवाटीची व्यवस्था आणि विविध वापरांसाठी पुरविण्यात येणाऱ्या पाण्याचा दर्जा या दोन महत्वाच्या विषयांकडे दुर्लक्ष झालेले दिसते. या सर्व सांडपाण्याचे जर शुद्धीकरण करून पुनर्वापरायोग्य पाणी तयार करण्याची आधुनिक योजना राबविणे अत्यावश्यक ठरले आहे. त्यामुळे हे पुनर्वापरायोग्य पाणी अनेक ठिकाणी वापरात येऊ शकते. उदा. सांडासमधील फ्लशचे पाणी, गाडी धुण्यासाठी, रेल्वेरूळ, मंदिरे, रस्ते, शाळा इ. सार्वजनिक ठिकाणी स्वच्छता राखण्यासाठी तसेच फळबागांसाठी पाण्याचा पुरवठा झाला. पाण्याचे अनेक प्रश्न सुटण्यास मदत होऊ शकेल. निश्चितच अशा उपाययोजनांची सुरुवात या २१ व्या शतकाची निकड बनली आहे.

जलसंपत्तीच्या सुयोग्य वापरासाठी कार्यक्षम व्यवस्थापन या संदर्भात एक देश या नात्याने आपण एक आव्हान देणाऱ्या कालखंडाच्या उंबरठ्यावर आहोत. भविष्यात जर तिसरे महायुद्ध झाले तर ते पाण्यासाठी होईल असे जगभरातील संशोधकांचं म्हणणे आहे. कारण दिवसेंदिवस पाणी टंचाई समस्या उग्र रूप धारण करत आहे. त्याचे दुष्परिणाम जगभरात जाणवू लागले आहेत. पृथ्वीचे वाढणारे तापमान, निसर्गाचे बदलते ऋतुचक्र, जलप्रदूषणाचा अतिरेक, वाढती लोकसंख्या, पर्जन्याचे कमी होणारे प्रमाण, वारंवार पडणारा दुष्काळ, वाढते औद्योगिकरण इत्यादी अनेक कारणे, पाण्याचा मर्यादित साठा परंतु भरमसाठ पाण्याचा अपव्यय यामुळेच केवळ मानवजातच नव्हे तर पृथ्वीवरील एकूण जीवसृष्टीच धोक्यात येऊ घातली आहे. त्यामुळे वेळीच सावध होऊन समस्त मानव जातीने अत्यंत जागरूक

होऊन स्वच्छ व पिण्यास योग्य पाण्याच्या संवर्धनासाठी योग्य उपाययोजना करणे ही काळाची गरज आहे आणि त्याची सुरुवात आपण आपल्या घरापासूनच करणे आवश्यक आहे. तसेच पाणी पुरवठा, कामाची जबाबदारी असणाऱ्या सार्वजनिक संस्था, खाजगी संस्था, एनजीओ, नवनवीन शोध घेण्यासाठी सदैव कार्यमग्न असणारे संशोधक, चिकित्सक, शास्त्र, तंत्रज्ञ, उत्साही, कल्पक, स्थानिक नेतृत्वाच्या मार्गदर्शनाखालील जागृत समाज या विविध घटकांमध्ये प्रत्यक्ष परस्पर सहकार्याची वृत्ती जोपासणे, तशी भावना जागवणे इ. ची नितांत आवश्यकता आहे त्यातूनच आपण आपल्या भावी पिढ्यांसाठी सुरक्षित, पुरेशा पाणीपुरवठ्याचे उद्दीष्ट साध्य करू शकू. देशातील उपलब्ध जलसंपत्तीचे प्रतिबिंब आपल्या समाजाच्या समृद्धीमध्ये, सुखामध्ये पाहू शकू.

सहज बोललो वावरातल्या पिकासवे  
पाने, फांद्या, मुळे म्हणाली, पाणी हवे...  
मी म्हणालो, गजलही गातो, अन् गातो गाणे  
उपहासाने हसू लागली इवली इवली पाने...  
वांझोटे हे शब्द तुझे तर, कळतच नाही  
तुझी कविता मुळात, मुळांना कळतच नाही.  
मी खेदाने कबूल केल्या, आरोपांच्या फैरी...  
माझी कविता वाटत गेली मलाच तेव्हा वैरी...  
काय करू मी असली कविता पाऊस आणत नाही...  
आजपासुनी मी कवितेला अपुले मानत नाही...  
हा बिनकामी शब्द पसारा फेकून द्यावा वाटे...  
डोळ्यांदेखत जर पिकांना फास द्यावा वाटे...  
हतबल झालो वावरात मी काही, सुचले नाही...  
या कवितेने साधे, पिकाचे अश्रू पुस्ले नाही...

नितीन देशमुख यांनी रचिलेल्या या कवितेच्या माध्यमातून अत्यंत समग्रपणे समर्पित शब्दांत पाण्याविषयी वेदना व्यक्त केली आहे. पिकांची वेदना अन् भावना वास्तव सत्य शब्दांनी पोट भरत नाही, अन् पोटात अन्न नसेल तर डोळ्यांत पाणी येत नाही. स्वतः पिकांच्या जागी असल्यासारखं पिकांचं दुःख मांडलच...

"Thousands lived without love, but not without water. "So SAVE WATER" if you Don't want mental hydration then think about water conservation." "A drop of water is worth more than a sack of gold to a thirsty man."

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## ‘मी’ पण गळून जाण्याचा सोहळा ‘वारी’



संत शिरोमणी तुकाराम महाराज म्हणतात,  
‘पंढरीची वारी जयाचीये कुळी।  
त्याची पाय धुळी लागो मज।’  
ज्यांच्या कुळात घराण्यात पंढरपूरची नियमित  
वारी केली जाते ते कुळ धन्य मानले जाते.

“पंढरीचा, वास चंद्रभागे स्नान। आणि दर्शन विठोबाचे।  
हेची मज घडो जन्मोजन्मांतरी। मागणे श्रीहरी नाही दुजे।।”

वारीला जाते म्हणून कुणी जाऊ शकत नाही. भाव, निश्चय, ओढ,  
निर्धार आणि महत्त्वाचे म्हणजे भाग्य असेल तर वारी घडतेच.

पायी केल्या जाणाऱ्या पंढरीच्या वारीची परंपरा बरीच जुनी आहे.  
१३ व्या शतकात ही परंपरा असल्याचे उल्लेख सापडतात. संतश्रेष्ठ  
ज्ञानेश्वर महाराजांचे वडील वारीला जात असल्याचा उल्लेख आढळतो.  
ज्ञानदेवांनी भागवत धर्माची पताका खांद्यावर घेऊन सर्व जातीपातीच्या  
समाजाला एकत्रितपणे या सोहळ्यात सामिल करून घेतले व हेच  
व्यापक स्वरूप पुढे जपत एकनाथ, तुकाराम महाराज, मल्लप्पा औसेकर  
यांसारख्या संतांनी वारीची परंपरा पुढे चालवली.

पंढरपूरला जाणारी वारी ही एका मुक्कामावरून दुसऱ्या मुक्कामाकडे  
निघते तेव्हा अवघं शहर एका ठिकाणाहून दुसरीकडे स्थलांतरीत होत असते.  
आषाढ मेघांना सोबत घेऊन संतांच्या पालख्या निघतात तेव्हा गावोगावच्या  
दिंड्या त्यांच्याबरोबर पंढरीकडे मार्गस्थ होतात. दिंडी गावागावातून जात  
असताना माणसामाणसातील प्रेम वाढवतात. मनामनात संस्कारबीजे  
पेरतात. त्यामुळे दिंडी हे जन प्रबोधनाचे चालते फिरते विद्यापीठच ठरते.

नाशिकला लहानपणी आजीबरोबर आम्ही सर्व भावंडे त्र्यंबकेश्वरच्या  
यात्रेला जात असू. कडाक्याच्या थंडीतही अनेक मठांमध्ये वारकऱ्यांची लगबग  
पहाटेपासून असे आणि सर्व प्रकारची अध्यात्मिक कामांची रेलचेल सुरू  
होत असे, तिथेच नाशिकच्या आजूबाजूच्या परिसरातील अनेक पालख्यांचे  
आगमन होत असे आणि पंढरपूरप्रमाणे छोट्या स्वरूपातील रिंगण सोहळा  
व्हायचा. पण त्या कोवळ्या वयात फार काही समजत नसे. परंतु त्र्यंबकेश्वर  
यात्रेतून मात्र वारीचा संस्कार नकळतपणे मनावर ठसला आणि मग जसजसं  
आषाढी एकादशीचे वर्णनपर लेख विविध वर्तमानपत्रातून वाचायला लागले,  
तेव्हा मनात कायम यायचं की आपणही एकदा वारी अनुभवावी. एका जर्मन  
स्त्रीची माहिती वाचली होती की गेली बत्तीस वर्षे ती न चुकता पंढरपूरच्या  
वारीला येते. जर परदेशी स्त्रीला ही वारी इतकी समाधान देऊन जाते तर  
आपणही एकदा करून पाहवी आणि मग २०१३ मध्ये तो सुवर्णयोग जुळून  
आला. माझी मोठी भगिनी सौ. रोहिणी लोकुरे आणि तिचे सहकारी अभियंता

भुजबळ व मुंडे आणि त्यांच्या सौभाग्यवती असे सहाजण आम्ही पंढरपूरच्या  
वारीला गेलो. वाखरी ते पंढरपूर अशीच छोटीशी वारी केली आणि त्यातील  
दिंडीत सहभागी झालो, त्याचा अनुभव खूपच आश्चर्यकारक होता. सामान्यांत  
जाऊन सामान्य होणं आणि कमीत कमी गरजा कशा भागवता येतील. हे  
आम्ही त्यातून शिकलो. वारीत सर्वसमानतेची भावना जोपासतांना आपोआपच  
सर्व प्रकारचे अहंम् गळून पडले फक्त एकच ध्यास विठ्ठल दर्शनाचा, त्यामुळे  
विठ्ठलाच्या नाम गजरात पहाटे उठून तयारी करून वारीत ‘वाऱ्यासारखं धावणं’  
जणू पहिल्यांदा अनुभवाला येत होतं. पंढरपूरात औसेकर महाराजांच्या मठात  
मुक्कामाला उतरताच चंद्रभागेत स्नान केलं आणि विशेष म्हणजे अंगाला खाज  
वगैरे काही सुटली नाही. कारण वृत्तपत्रांतून कायम चित्र रंगवलं जायचं. पंढरपूर  
वारीच्या काळात पंढरपूर म्हणजे अध्यात्माऐवजी घाणीचं क्षेत्रं परंतु शासनाने  
घेतलेली योग्य जबाबदारी, व्यवस्थापन आणि पंढरपूर मंदिर, समितीकडून  
केल्या जाणाऱ्या सुधारणा यामुळे दरवर्षी वारी नियोजनात आमुलाग्र बदल  
होताना दिसताहेत आणि गर्दीचे व्यवस्थापन करण्यात पोलीस प्रशासनासोबत,  
स्थानिक संस्था आणि शासकीय कर्मचारी मोठ्या प्रमाणात यशस्वी झालेत  
असं म्हणायला हवं. कारण जवळ जवळ आठ वर्षांपासून मी वारीत सहभागी  
होतेय आणि दरवर्षी आम्हास तो सुखद सोहळा वारकऱ्यांबरोबर देहभान  
विसरून ‘ग्यानबा तुकारामाच्या’ नाम गजरात दिंड्यांमधून ध्वज हातात घेऊन  
किंवा तुळशी वृंदावन डोक्यावर घेऊन नाचणं असो वा फुगड्या खेळणं असो  
या सर्व अध्यात्मिक सोहळ्यात स्वतःला विसरणं अनुभवणं आणि खऱ्या  
अर्थानं विठ्ठलाच्या जवळ जाणं अनुभवलं. खरं तर २०१८ मध्ये मी तर  
ठरवलं की आता सात वर्षे वारी केल्यानंतर अनुभव संपन्नता मिळाल्यावर  
वारीला जाणं थांबवावं परंतु विठ्ठल माऊलीला ते मान्यच नाही. आषाढी  
एकादशीला मनातध्यानात नसताना अगदी माजी मुख्यमंत्री देवेंद्रजी फडणवीस  
यांच्याबरोबर पुजेच्या वेळी मंदिरात प्रवेश मिळाला तो उल्हासदादा पवार  
यांच्या सोबत आणि जणू विठ्ठलाने ठणकावून सांगितले, “तू जरी माझ्याकडे  
येणार नसलीस तर मीच तुझ्याकडे येतो” आणि खरंच आपल्या भक्तांना  
बांधून ठेवण्यात ही विठ्ठमाऊली यशस्वी होते. आता काय बिशाद की वारी बंद  
करण्याची. अशा अनेक अनुभवांच्या शिंदोरीवर पंढरपूरची वारी ही अनेकांना  
घडत असते जे खरोखर भाग्यावान असतात. त्यांच्या नशिबी या वारीचं पुण्य  
मिळते. वारी हा अध्यात्मिक सुखाचा प्रवाह आहे. वारी हे एक व्रत आहे.  
संस्कार आहे, अट्टाहासाने जोडलेला सदगुण आहे, एकात्मची गंगोत्री आहे.  
वारी हा भगवत भक्तीचा नुसता अविष्कार असून मुक्तीतील आनंद आणि  
भक्तीतील प्रेमसुखचा अनुभव आहे. कारण वारकरी हे भागवत संप्रदायातील  
आहे. भागवत संप्रदायाची शिकवण साधी सोपी आहे. प्रत्येकाने आपला  
व्यवसाय करावा. कुटुंब आणि निती धर्माचे पालन करावे आणि त्याबरोबरच  
पांडुरंगाचे स्मरण करावे हीच भक्ती. त्यात कोणी उच्च-नीच नाही. कोण्या  
एका जातीचे संत नाहीत.

सेना 'न्हावी', सावता 'माळी', नाथा 'शिंपी', गोरा 'कुंभार', नरहरी 'सोनार', कान्होपात्रा एकनाथ 'ब्राह्मण' तर चोखामेळा 'महार' ! अशी एकात्मतेची शिकवण. विठ्ठलाच्या गावा जावे। विठ्ठलरूप व्हावे हेच सत्य। विठ्ठलाला माऊली मानणाऱ्या या संतांच्या मनात विठ्ठल ही प्रेम वात्सल्याची मूर्ती आहे. ज्याप्रमाणे सासुरवाशीण माहेराला जाते त्याप्रमाणे प्रेमसुखाच्या माहेराला जाण्यासाठी संकल संतांची मांदियाळी वैष्णवांसह पंढरपूरच्या वारीला जायला निघते. जागोजाग मुक्काम करीत पायी पंढरपूरस पोहचते. यात चर्चा होतात, अनुभवी अभ्यासू वारकऱ्यांची कीर्तने होतात. त्यातून टाळकऱ्यांचेही शिक्षण होते. आपण एखादी सहल काढायची तर किती तयारी करावी लागते, विचार करावा लागतो, जेव्हाही संख्या जास्त तेव्हा तणाव वाढतो. पण वारीचं तसं नाही ठराविक तिथीला निघते, आषाढी एकादशीला पंढरपुरात पोहोचते. कोणाला निमंत्रण नाही, वर्गणी नाही, सक्ती नाही, पण विणेकऱ्यांच्या भोवती दिंडीचा आराखडा, रांगा किती, महिला किती, वारकरी किती कुठं सगळं काही ठरल्यासारखं. गोपाळकाळ्यात सर्वांच्या शिंदेच्या एकत्र करून वाटून घेतात. नकळत एकमेकांची प्रापंचिक दुःखेही वाटून घेतात.

अशा या 'मी' पण गळून जाण्याच्या सोहळ्यालाच वारी म्हणतात. असं मला तरी जाणवतं.

अशा रितीने तेराव्या शतकाची महाराष्ट्राला मिळालेली अनमोल भेट म्हणजे वारकरी संतमंडळ आणि या संतांनी तर्कशुद्ध विचारातून वारकरी संप्रदायाच्या विठ्ठलभक्तीची पताका हाती घेऊन। आम्हा सापडले वर्म। करू भागवत धर्म अशी घोषणा करून चंद्रभागेच्या वाळवंटात एकत्र येऊन फड परंपरा रुजवली आणि २० व्या शतकातही त्याची धुरा समर्थपणे वाहिली जातेय हा अनुभव खूपच उर्जादायी व स्पृहणीय आहे.

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इंग्रजी विभाग, कीर्ती वार्षिकांक समिती व फॅकल्टी क्लब यांच्या संयुक्त विद्यमाने २८ जानेवारी २०२० रोजी एका अनोख्या कार्यक्रमाचे आयोजन आपल्या महाविद्यालयात करण्यात आले. 'Voicing the Voiceless' असे समर्पक शीर्षक असलेल्या या कार्यक्रमात महाविद्यालयातील शिक्षकांनी स्त्रियांनी

लिहिलेल्या काही आत्मचरित्रांचा परिचय उपस्थितांना करून दिला. भाषा/साहित्य या विषयांच्या शिक्षकांबरोबरच अन्य विषयांच्या शिक्षकांनाही यात सहभाग घेऊन कार्यक्रमाला वेगळ्याच उंचीवर नेले. प्रामुख्याने मराठी भाषेतील १३ स्त्री आत्मचरित्रांचा परिचय या कार्यक्रमाद्वारे श्रोत्यांना झाला. याचबरोबर इंग्रजीत लिहिलेल्या व इंग्रजीत अनुवादित २ स्त्री आत्मचरित्रांचाही समावेश या कार्यक्रमात केला होता. या कार्यक्रमानिमित्ताने हा लेख -

आत्मचरित्रे हा विविध भाषांतील साहित्यातील एक लक्षवेधी प्रकार म्हणावा लागेल. समाजजीवनात कर्तृत्वाची ऊंची गाठलेल्या व्यक्तींच्या खाजगी आयुष्यात डोकावण्याची पर्वणी वाचकांना आत्मचरित्रांमुळे मिळत आली आहे. आत्मचरित्रे म्हणजे साहित्याचा एक खास जौनर आहे. विविध भाषांमध्ये असलेल्या साहित्यप्रकारात संख्यात्मकदृष्ट्या आत्मचरित्रे कमी आहेत. त्यातही स्त्रियांनी लिहिलेली आत्मचरित्रे तर अगदीच मोजकी आहेत. याचे स्वाभाविक कारण म्हणजे पितृसत्ताक व्यवस्थेमध्ये स्त्रियांचे स्थान हे नेहमी गौण राहिले. मात्र संख्येने कमी असली तरी स्त्रियांची आत्मचरित्रे ही सर्वभाषिक साहित्यांमध्ये लक्षवेधी ठरली आहेत. याची काही स्वाभाविक कारणे वाटतात. एक तर पुरुषसत्ताक पद्धतीमध्ये स्वतःच्या खाजगी आयुष्याबद्दल लिहिणारी स्त्री समाजाचा रोष, हेटाळणी, टीका यांची धनी होते. चार भिंतीआडचं कौटुंबिक जग हेच जिने सर्वस्व मानणे अपेक्षित होते तिथे स्त्रीने सांगण्यासारखे असणारच काय असा प्रश्न समाजमनात असतो. पुरुषांनी लिहिलेल्या आत्मचरित्रांमध्ये त्यांनी केलेले कष्ट, शिक्षण, नोकरी - व्यवसायांमध्ये खाल्लेल्या खस्ता, त्यांची जिद्द, त्यांचे शौर्य वा कर्तृत्व व त्यातून निर्माण झालेला पुरुषी अहंकार डोकावत असतो. मात्र स्त्रियांचे पारंपारिक कार्यक्षेत्र कौटुंबिक असल्याचे मानल्याने त्यांच्या आत्मचरित्रात असा कर्तबगारपणा दिसावा तरी कसा असा प्रश्न उद्भवतो. याशिवाय नवरा किंवा कुटुंबातील व्यक्तीविषयी काही लिहिणे म्हणजे कुटुंबाच्या रोषालाही बळी पडण्याचे संकट स्त्री आत्मचरित्रकारांपुढे नेहमीच असते.

अशा पार्श्वभूमीवर मराठी साहित्यातील स्त्री आत्मचरित्रांकडे पहावे लागते. ही स्त्री आत्मचरित्रे स्त्री जीवनाचा ऐतिहासिक आणि सामाजिक मागोवा घेतात, त्यातील स्थित्यंतरे उलगडत नेतात असे म्हटले तर वावगे होणार नाही. मराठीमध्ये आजवर स्त्री आत्मचरित्रांची संख्या साधारणतः १७५ इतकी आहे. या सर्वच लेखनातून स्त्री मनाचे विविध पदर उलगडतात. १९ व्या शतकाच्या उत्तरार्धात व विसाव्या शतकाच्या पूर्वार्धात केवळ चूल व मूल' एवढंच विश्व असणारी, नवऱ्याच्या सावलीआड असलेली, त्याच्या अस्तित्वातच आपले अस्तित्व मानणारी, अनेक रूढी - परंपरांच्या कठोर बंधनात अडकलेली स्त्री आपल्याला



तत्कालीन स्त्री आत्मचरित्रांमधून दिसत राहते. यात रमाबाई रानडे यांचे आमच्या आयुष्यातील काही आठवणी, लक्ष्मीबाई टिळकांचे 'स्मृतिचित्रे', लीलाबाई पटवर्धनांचे 'आमची अकरा वर्षे' ही त्यातील काही उदाहरणे. या काही आत्मचरित्रांतून या स्त्रियांचे कर्तृत्वही जाणवत असले तरी या आत्मचरित्रांतून त्यांच्या नवऱ्याचे जीवनपट, त्या दोघांचे सहजीवन, सासरच्या मंडळींकडून झालेली कुचेष्टा आणि छळ, त्यातून घडलेली सोशिकता, नवऱ्याचे मोठेपण व त्याचे आदररूपी दडपण अशा कित्येक छटा दिसत राहतात.

विसाव्या शतकाच्या उत्तरार्धात स्वातंत्र्योत्तर काळात साहित्यात अनेक बदल झाले. स्त्री शिक्षणाचा प्रसार होऊ लागला होताच. जगभरातील स्त्रीवादी चळवळ वैधानिक/कायदेशीर हक्कांच्या समानतेपलीकडे जाऊन प्रतिकात्मक (Notional) समानतेपेक्षा अर्थपूर्ण (substantial) समानतेचा आग्रह धरत पितृसत्ताक समाजव्यवस्थेला हादरवत होती. या सर्वांचे प्रतिबिंब स्त्री लेखिकांच्या लेखनात उमटू लागले आणि स्त्री आत्मचरित्रांतही ते उमटू लागले. पती आणि कुटूंब यांपेक्षा स्वतःचे वेगळे अस्तित्व शोधणाऱ्या काही स्त्री आत्मचरित्रकार म्हणूनच लक्षवेधी ठरल्या. आधीची आत्मचरित्रे मुख्यत्वे ब्राम्हण किंवा उच्च जातींमधील स्त्रियांनी लिहिली होती आता मात्र विविध जातींमधील तसेच व्यवसायांतील स्त्रिया लिहित्या झाल्या. उदा. 'सांगत्ये ऐका' हे चित्रपटक्षेत्रातील नावाजलेल्या कलाकार स्त्रीचे आत्मचरित्र. स्त्रीकडे केवळ भोगवस्तू म्हणून पाहणाऱ्या पुरुषी वृत्तीचे विदारक वास्तव त्यांनी मांडले. हाच धागा पुढे शांता हुबळीकरांच्या 'कशाला उद्याची बात' मध्ये दिसून येतो. चित्रपटसृष्टी गाजवणाऱ्या अन्य काही स्त्रियांची आत्मचरित्रेही ठाशीवपणे पुढे आली आहेत. यात उषा किरण यांचे 'उषः काल', कांचन घाणेकर यांचे 'नाथ हा माझा', ललिता चिटणीस यांचे 'चंदेरी दुनियेत', लालन सारंग यांचे 'जगले अशी', जयश्री गडकर यांचे 'अशी मी जयश्री' इत्यादी उदाहरणे सांगता येतील. संगीतक्षेत्रातील कलावंत म्हणून उत्तम कारकीर्द केलेल्या ज्योत्सना भोळे यांचं 'स्वरवंदना' प्रभाताई अत्रे यांचं 'स्वरमयी', माणिक वर्मा यांचे 'किती रंगला डाव', मालती पांडे यांचं 'माझ्या संगीत जीवनाची वाटचाल' अशी ठळक आत्मचरित्रे मराठी साहित्य विश्वाला संगीतमय करून गेली आहेत.

स्त्री आत्मचरित्रांच्या या प्रवाहात दलित स्त्रियांची आत्मचरित्रे किंबहुना आत्मकथने हा मराठी साहित्य विश्वाला हादरवून टाकणारा प्रवाह म्हणावा लागेल. वर्ग, जात आणि लिंग व्यवस्थेच्या तिहेरी शोषणाला सामोरे गेलेल्या या स्त्रिया त्यांच्या आत्मकथानाने वाचकाला अंतर्मुख करतात. उर्मिला पवारांचे 'आयदान' असो की मुक्ता सर्वगौड यांचे 'बदलत्या खुणा' मल्लिका अमरशेखर - ढसाळ यांचे 'मला उध्वस्त व्हायचय' असो की बेबी कांबळे यांचं 'जिनं आमचं', या सर्व दलित स्त्री आत्मकथानांतून वाचक आतून हेलावून जातो.

या आत्मचरित्रांबरोबरच इतर भाषांतून मराठीमध्ये अनुवादीत झालेल्या काही आत्मचरित्रांमुळेही मराठी साहित्य विश्वात मोलाची भर पडली आहे. यात ज्ञानपीठ विजेत्या पंजाबी भाषिक लेखिका अमृता प्रीतम यांचे 'रसीदी टिकट' किंवा इंग्रजीत लिहिणाऱ्या शोभा डे यांचे 'सेलेक्टिव्ह मेमरी' इत्यादी आत्मचरित्रांचा समावेश करता येईल. स्त्री आत्मचरित्रकारांनी मराठी साहित्य विश्व समृद्ध केले आहे हे निश्चित.

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## पुन्हा ओळख सांगताना...



“ओळख आपली पुन्हा आज नव्याने होणार आहे, सुख - दुःखाचे क्षण माझ्या ओठी पुन्हा येणार आहे. कलेचा पुजारी मी, आज कलेविषयी सांगायला आलो, कलेसाठी जन्म माझा, मी कलाकार म्हणून कलेतच रुजू झालो.”

नमस्कार मित्रांनो, मी सुजय सुहास बागवे, कीर्ती महाविद्यालयात इयत्ता १२ (अ), (कलाशाखेत) मी शिकत आहे. मी तुमच्यातलाच एक आहे. वरच्या माझ्या चारोळीवरून तुम्हाला अंदाज आला असेलच, की 'मी एक छोटा कलाकार आहे'. प्रत्येक मनुष्याच्या अंगी काही न काही कला असतेच, तशी कला माझ्या अंगी सुद्धा आहे. सर्वात प्रथम मी एक गायक आहे, एक डान्सर आहे, एक अभिनेता आहे, उत्तम नाही म्हणता येणार, पण एक चांगला निवेदक आहे. आणि कोरोनामुळे जे लॉकडाऊन झाले, त्यात अनेकांना काही न काही बनायची, शिकायची संधी मिळाली, तशीच संधी मला सुद्धा मिळाली म्हणून मी आता एक चांगला कवी सुद्धा आहे. कविता तर मी ११ वी पासूनच करायचो. पण कोरोना काळात वेळचं वेळ मिळाल्यामुळे मला माझ्या अनेक कविता करता आल्या.



(बडी दूर से आये हो टीमबरोबर सुजय)

तुमच्यातील अनेक जण मला ओळखत असतील, काही नावाने तर काही चेहऱ्याने, तर काही माझ्या कामाने. मी ३ वर्षांचा असल्यापासून साईगीतांची आवड मला लागली आणि तेव्हापासूनच मी साईभजनं गायला सुरुवात केली. हळू हळू बऱ्याच कार्यक्रमात मी गायला लागलो. मुंबई, विरार, वसई, ठाणे, पुणे, कोकण अश्या अनेक ठिकाणी मी साईगीतांचे कार्यक्रम केले. आजवर माझे साईगीतांचे ८०० ते ९०० स्टेज शो झाले आहेत आणि अजूनही करतोय आणि पुढेही करत राहीन. साईभजनाची आवड मला ज्या ठिकाणापासून लागली, ते ठिकाण माझे माहेरघर म्हणजे 'भांडुप'. भांडुपमधील मानाच्या पालख्यांपैकी एक प्रमुख साईनाथांची पालखी निघते.

‘भांडुप ते शिर्डी’

‘श्री साईभजन’ हे त्या पालखीचं नाव, ह्या पालखीतला पहिला लहान वयातला पदयात्री. मी वयाच्या ७ व्या वर्षापासून पालखीला चालत जातो ते अजूनपर्यंत थोड्याच काही दिवसांनी माझा कल डान्सकडे वळला, आणि नृत्य ह्या क्षेत्रात मी अनेक पारितोषिके पटकावली. पुढे काही न काही शिकत होतो काही न काही बनत होतो माझी कला मला कलाकार बनायला भाग पाडत होती.

ह्यात जेवढी मेहनत माझी आहे त्याहून अधिक माझ्या आई - वडिलांची सुद्धा आहे. ‘सुहास बागवे’ आणि ‘स्वप्ना बागवे’ ह्या माझ्या आयुष्यातील दोन दैवतांनी माझ्या कलेला वाव दिला नसता किंवा माझी कला मला जोपासायची संधी दिली नसती, तर कदाचित हा सुजय बागवे नावाचा कलाकार तुमच्यासमोर दिसला नसता. साईगीतांनी माझी कारकीर्द हळूहळू सुरू असताना एकदा मला चित्रपटाच्या ऑडिशनसाठी आलं. ज्या चित्रपटासाठी मला बोलावलं गेलं होतं, तो चित्रपट आजतागात आला नाही. पण त्या चित्रपटामधील क्रिएटिव्ह हेड ‘नमिता बांदेकर’ ह्यांनी मला त्यांच्या नवीनच येणाऱ्या मराठी मालिकेसाठी बोलावलं.

‘आपलं बुवा असं आहे’ हे त्या मालिकेचं नाव. माझ्या पहिल्या मालिकेचा, पहिला सीन माझ्यापासूनचं ओपन झाला ह्यांचा आनंद आम्हिला क्रिकेटच्या मॅचमध्ये पहिल्या बॉलवर सिक्स मारल्यावर जो आनंद होतो त्याहून तिप्पट झाला होता. त्या नंतर मग ‘एक संधी अजूनही’ ह्या दोन मराठी मालिका मी केल्या. तोपर्यंत माझ्या मित्रांसाठी मी V.I.P झालो होतो पण माझ्यासाठी मी त्यांच्यातलाच एक होतो.

एकदा घरी असताना एक फोन आला आणि त्या फोनेने माझ्या आयुष्यात झगझगीत प्रकाश पडला. तो फोन ‘कट्यार काळजात घुसली’ ह्या चित्रपटासाठी आला होता. ज्या चित्रपटाने शास्त्रीय संगीताला एक वेगळं स्थान मिळवून दिलं आणि संगीत प्रेमींच्या मनात पुन्हा गाण्याचं वेड लावलं, त्या चित्रपटात मी चक्क सुबोध भावेच्या बालपणीची भूमिका साकारली.

‘शंकरजी महादेवन, सचिनजी पिळगांवकर, सुबोध भावे, पुष्कर श्रोत्री, अमृता खानविलकर, मृण्मयी देशपांडे अशा दिग्गज कलाकारांसोबत मला काम करायची संधी मिळाली आणि मी त्या संधीचं सोनं केलं.

‘कट्यार’ हा चित्रपट माझ्या आयुष्यात आला आणि माझा आयुष्यचं बदलून गेलं. अनेक ॲवॉर्ड फंक्शन, मोठमोठे इव्हेंट, मोठे बक्षीस समारंभ अशा अनेक कार्यक्रमात मला बोलवायला सुरुवात झाली.

आणि तेव्हा मला हिंदी “बड़ी दूर से आये है” ह्या मालिकेसाठी बोलावलं तिथे अनेक मुलं ऑडिशन द्यायला आली होती, पण त्या सर्वांमध्ये माझाच नंबर कला लागला तिच गंमत समजिल नाही. ‘आंधाल मागतो एक डोळा आणि देव देतो दोन.’ तशी तेव्हा गत झाली होती त्या मालिकेत मला अनेक चांगल्या कलाकारांसोबत काम करायला मिळालं.

सुमित राघवन आणि रुपाली भोसले ह्यांनी माझ्या त्या मालिकेतील आई-वडिलांची भूमिका साकारली. ‘बड़ी दूर से आये है’ ह्या मालिकेने मला घराघरात पोहोचवलं, एक वेगळी ओळख निर्माण करून दिली. ह्या मालिकेमुळे SAB TV वरील अनेक ॲवॉर्ड फंक्शन, डान्स इव्हेंट करायला मिळाले. बाहेर फिरायला कधी जायचो तर बरेच जण मला नावासहित ओळखायचे.

आई-वडिलांना, नातेवाईकांना, मित्र-मंडळींना आणि भांडूपकरांना माझा अभिमान वाटू लागला. ‘बड़ी दूर से आये है’ ह्याचे १००० एपिसोड्स झाले आणि मालिका समाप्त झाली.

हिंदीतील पहिली मालिका संपत - संपत, हिंदिमधील दुसरी मालिका माझ्या वाटचाला आली. ‘पेशवा बाजीराव’ ह्या मालिकेत मला सेकंड लीड भूमिका करायला मिळाली. ह्या मालिकेने मला पुन्हा नव्याने प्रेक्षकांना हसवण्याची संधी दिली. माझी भूमिका फार विनोदी होती. आणि ती भूमिका प्रेक्षकांच्या मनात घर करून गेली. वर्षभर ही मालिका सुरू होती मग समाप्त झाली. तेव्हा आई - वडिलांनी सांगितलं की ‘आता थोडा अभ्यासाच्या दृष्टीने विचार करूयात, म्हणून आता १२ वी पर्यंत कोणताच प्रोजेक्ट घ्यायचा नाही. मी सुद्धा होकार दिला. आणि थोड्याच दिवसांनी सुबोध दादांची भेट झाली असतांना की’ माझा ‘पुष्पक विमान’ हा चित्रपट येत आहे, त्यात मला तुला कुठेतरी पहायचं आहे आणि ही माझी इच्छा आहे. त्यांचा शब्द राखत मी ‘पुष्पक विमान’ मध्ये काम केलं आणि मग अभ्यासाला लागलो.

१० वी नंतर मला कॉलेज ही शोभेल असं मिळालं. मूर्ती लहान पण कीर्ती महान’, असं सारेच म्हणायचे आणि आता त्यात कॉलेजसुद्धा कीर्ती. ‘वा हे तर भारीच आहे’ असं म्हणत कॉलेजला प्रवेश घेतला आणि मग कीर्तीच्या नाट्य विभागाला जोडलो गेलो. हळू हळू



सांस्कृतिक विभागामध्ये आलो अनेक शिक्षकांची ओळख झाली. बरेच मित्र आपल्यासारखे मिळाले. 'कलाप्रेमी, कलाकार'. त्यांच्याच साह्याने आम्ही अनेक कॉलेजेसच्या इव्हेंट जिंकत गेलो आणि मग कीर्तीच्या सांस्कृतिक विभागाचा इव्हेंट 'अंतरंग' ह्यांच्या निवेदनाचं काम माझ्याकडे आलं आणि ते मी उत्तमरीत्या पार पाडलं असं माझं नाही अनेकांचं म्हणणं आहे.

मित्रांनो, ही आपली छोटीशी ओळख तुम्हाला आवडली असेलच. 'आपल्या आयुष्यात आपण काहीही होऊ शकतो, पण आधी प्रत्येकाने चांगला माणूस बनायला हवं' हे माझ्या वडिलांनी मला सांगितलं आहे.

आजवर माझ्यावर माझ्या

आई - वडिलांनी, शिक्षकांनी, मित्र परिवारांनी आणि अनेकांनी कायम चांगले संस्कार केले, म्हणूनच आज हात आभाळाला टेकले आहेत पण पाय घट्टा जमिनीत रोवून आहेत आणि कायम राहतील. म्हणून तुम्हाला जी कला आवडते, ती जोपासा आणि त्या कलेचा सन्मान करा, अभिमान बाळगा पण गर्व करू नका.

'निरोप घेतो आता पुन्हा भेट होईल,

तुम्हा साऱ्यांची अनेकदा आठवण येईल.

मोठेपणा नाही माझ्याविषयी सांगायला आलो होतो,

तुमच्याशी बोलून धन्य मी झालो होतो.

सुजय सुहास बागवे

बारावी, कला

## सांस्कृतिक विभागाची ऐतिहासिक यशोगाथा



“अगर किसी चीज को तुम शिद्धत से चाहो तो पूरी कायनात उसे तुमसे मिलाने की कोशिश में लग जाती है”, हे तुम्ही बऱ्याचदा ऐकले असेल परंतु याचा खरा अर्थ सांगितला तो म्हणजे कीर्ती महाविद्यालयाच्या सांस्कृतिक विभागाने. खरं तर आपल्या कॉलेजच्या सांस्कृतिक विभागाची नवीन सुरुवात ही

२०१८ मध्ये झाली. सांस्कृतिक मंडळाचे प्रमुख (Cultural head) प्रोफेसर डॉ. बी. आर. कांबळे हे २०१८ साली प्रमुख होते. निखिल जाधव, आकांक्षा जाधव, मंगेश निशाद, प्रज्ञा खाडे आमची टीम होती. २०१९-२० हे वर्ष सांस्कृतिक विभागासाठी सुवर्ण वर्ष ठरले आहे. या वर्षी (Cultural head) म्हणून प्रोफेसर सी. एम. जोशी सर यांची

निवड झाली. त्यांच्यामुळे सांस्कृतिक मंडळाला मोठा आधार लाभला व इतर बऱ्याच गोष्टी शक्य झाल्या, नवीन (Core committee) म्हणून आकांक्षा जाधव, समृद्धी नागवेकर, समिधा महाडिक, जॉय रुमडे, चेतन धुगे असे कर्तृत्ववान कलाकार लाभले. २०१९-२० या वर्षाच्या कंटीजंट लिडरचे पद मला व असिस्टंट कंटीजंट लिडरचे पद समृद्धी नागवेकर यांना सोपवण्यात आले होते. दोन्ही वर्षांत आपल्या विभागाने लजपतराय महाविद्यालय (सिटाऊन - २०१९, २०२०; सद्गाद्री - २०२०), एलफिन्स्टन महाविद्यालय (महाराष्ट्रौत्सव - २०१९, २०२०), एस. आय. ए. महाविद्यालय (स्पर्कलर्स - २०१९), हिंदुजा महाविद्यालय (प्रारंभ - २०२०) अशा एकूण ७ आंतर महाविद्यालयीन स्पर्धेत सहभाग घेतला होता व सर्व ठिकाणी प्रथम विजेते पदाचे बक्षीस जिंकले. आपल्या सांस्कृतिक विभागाचे नाव एका वेगळ्याच उंचीवर आम्ही नेऊन ठेवले आहे. प्रत्येक महाविद्यालयात आपली छाप पाडून एका मागोमाग एक असे सलग ७ ओवर ऑल चषक आपण मिळवले. कदाचित कीर्ती सांस्कृतिक विभागालाच शक्य ठरले असेल परंतु या सर्व गोष्टींचे श्रेय जात ते म्हणजे सांस्कृतिक विभागातील प्रत्येक सदस्यांना ज्यांनी कशाचीही तमा न बाळगता आपल्या पटांगणात असलेल्या पाण्याच्या टाकीवर सतत रियाज करून, दिवस-रात्र मेहनत घेऊन हे सर्व शक्य करून दाखविले आहे. प्राचार्य, प्रोसेसर, नॉन टिचींग स्टाफ यांच्या सहकार्यामुळे मुलांना नेहमीच आपुलकी व एक वेगळाच आत्मविश्वास मिळायचा व त्याच आत्मविश्वासावर प्रत्येक महाविद्यालयात 'कीर्ती बाप' या विजयी घोषणेने किर्ती सांस्कृतिक मंडळ हे खरंच इतरांपेक्षा बाप ठरले आहे. फक्त इतर आंतर महाविद्यालयीन स्पर्धाच नाही तर कीर्ती सांस्कृतिक मंडळाने स्वतःची आंतर महाविद्यालयीन स्पर्धा म्हणजेच 'कीर्ती अंतरंग' या स्पर्धेची नव्याने सुरुवात केली, ९-१० डिसेंबर २०२० या दोन दिवसात ही स्पर्धा यशस्वीपणे पार पडली. यामध्ये प्रायोजक, प्रेक्षक, स्पर्धक व प्रशिक्षक या सर्वांनीच आपली जबाबदारी उत्तमरीत्या पार पाडली.

या सर्व गोष्टी करत असताना, किर्ती महाविद्यालयातून भरपूर काही शिकताना मला खूप छान अनुभव मिळाला, मला अभिमान आहे मी किर्तीकर असल्याचा. मी सांस्कृतिक मंडळाचा कंटीजंट लिडर असल्याचा, मला अभिमान आहे. मी अंतरंगचा पहिला चैअरपर्सन असल्याचा.

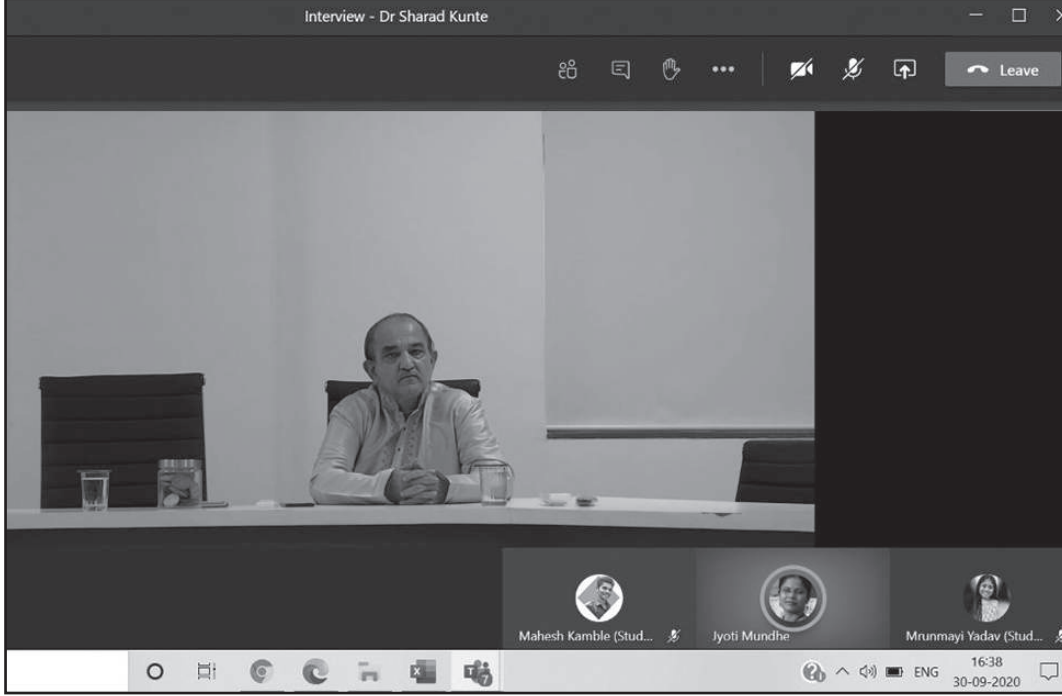
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'नवीन शैक्षणिक धोरण' विषयक घेतलेली मुलाखत-

## नवीन शैक्षणिक धोरण - मुलाखत



*The new education policy aims to transform the basic edifice of Indian education system. It's core content is policy implementation from all stakeholders. In this background two students from our college (Mrunmayi Yadav & Mahesh Kamble interacted with Dr. Sharad Kunte, a well-known educationist and Chairman, Council & Governing Body, Deccan education Society, Pune. Dr. Kunte in his interview resonated a bright possibility of systematisation of institutional mechanism, participation of stakeholders in policy making, as well as introduction of a regulatory benchmark with the advent of New Education Policy.*

प्रश्न - मृण्मयी यादव, महेश कांबळे

प्रश्न पहिला - मृण्मयी यादव.

(१) राष्ट्रीय शैक्षणिक धोरणाची ठळक वैशिष्ट्ये तुमच्या मते काय आहेत? आणि आधीच्या शैक्षणिक धोरणापेक्षा ह्या धोरणामध्ये वेगळेपण काय आहे? आणि ह्या बदलामागची सरकारची भूमिका काय आहे?

डॉ. शरदजी कुंटे : राष्ट्रीय शैक्षणिक धोरणामध्ये मागील चार, पाच असे शैक्षणिक धोरणाचे मसुदे येऊन गेले आहेत. हे काही पहिले नाही आणि खरे सांगायचे तर या शैक्षणिक धोरणामध्ये काही सूचना केलेल्या आहेत. परंतु ह्या शैक्षणिक धोरणाची अनेक ठळक वैशिष्ट्ये आहेत. त्यातील पहिले वैशिष्ट्य म्हणजे नव्या शैक्षणिक धोरणांमुळे सुशिक्षित बेकारांची

फौज तयार होणार नाही. आज परिस्थिती अशी आहे की इंजिनिअरची पदवी घेतलेले जवळ-जवळ ८०-८५% विद्यार्थी स्वतःच्या बळावर काम मिळवू शकत नाहीत. स्वतःच्या बळावर मॅनेजमेंट (व्यवस्थापनाची) पदवी मिळवलेले विद्यार्थी त्या पदवीच्या नावावर स्वतंत्र काम मिळवू शकत नाही आणि बी.ए., बी.कॉम., बी.एस.सी., केलेल्या विद्यार्थ्यांची परिस्थिती याहून वाईट आहे. याचा अर्थ विद्यार्थी मोठ्या प्रमाणात पदवी घेऊन बाहेर पडतात पण ते रोजगार मिळविण्यासाठी सक्षम नाहीत ही वस्तुस्थिती आहे. त्यामुळे पदवी आणि रोजगार याची कुठेतरी सांगड घातली गेली पाहिजे, म्हणजेच त्याबरोबर कुठेतरी कौशल्य विकासाचे शिक्षण देणारा विषय त्याच्याशी जोडला गेला पाहिजे ही काळाची गरज आहे. हा खूप आग्रहाचा विषय या शैक्षणिक धोरणात मांडलेला आहे, आणि त्यामुळे त्याची सुरुवात



कुठेतरी पदवी संपल्यावर शिक्षण न घेता ते शालेय स्तरावर ६वी पासून कौशल्य विकासाच्या प्रशिक्षणाला सुरुवात करणे अपेक्षित आहे हा खूप चांगला बदल आहे. ९वी ते १२वी हा जो ज्युनियर कॉलेजचा एक मधला टप्पा आहे, ह्यामध्ये देखील व्यावसायिक प्रशिक्षणाचा खूप मोठा टप्पा त्यांनी आणलेला आहे, त्यामुळे १२वी झाल्यावरही मनुष्य स्वतःच्या बळावर उभा राहू शकेल. आणि शिवाय पुढे इच्छा असेल तर तो पदवीचे शिक्षणही घेईल, स्वतःच्या पायावर उभे राहण्याची क्षमता त्याला १२वी झाल्यानंतरच मिळेल. हा खूप महत्वाचा आणि मोठा बदल ह्या शैक्षणिक धोरणात समाविष्ट करण्यात आला आहे.

दुसरा एक चांगला बदल झालेला आहे तो म्हणजे सध्या ४० हजार कॉलेज अशी आहेत जी फक्त नावापुरती सुरू आहेत. त्यातील चांगली सक्षम (multi disciplinary) अशी कॉलेजेस निवडून त्यांच्याकडून शिक्षण आणि संशोधन हे दोन्ही विषय चांगल्या पद्धतीने पार पाडतील अशी जबाबदारी देणे, स्वतंत्र स्वतःची पदवी देणे, स्वतःचा अभ्यासक्रम बनवण्याचा अधिकार देणे, असा विषय ह्या पॉलिसी मध्ये मांडलेला आहे. म्हणजे १५,००० महाविद्यालये शिल्लक राहतील, आणि उर्वरित बंद होतील. आणि ह्या १५,००० महाविद्यालयामधून उत्तम स्तराचे शिक्षण कसे दिले जाईल ह्यावर लक्ष केंद्रित केले जाणार आहे. हा दुसरा मोठा चांगला बदल आहे. त्यामुळे जे विद्यार्थी पदवी घेऊन बाहेर पडतील ते सक्षम असतील व पदवीला न्याय देणारे असतील.

३रा महत्वाचा बदल म्हणजे इंग्रजी भाषेचा. जे आज अनावश्यकपणे इंग्रजी भाषेवर भारतासह संपूर्ण जग अवलंबून आहे, ह्यातून भारताला मुक्त करण्यासाठी मातृभाषेतून शिक्षण, हे आता निदान प्राथमिक स्थरापर्यंत व नंतर माध्यमिक स्थरापर्यंत देण्याचा सरकारचा आग्रह आहे.

मग प्रश्न असा पडतो की इंग्रजी भाषेबद्दल आज स्थिती काय राहिल (One of the other language) जसे आज कुणी जर्मन, फ्रेंच शिकतायत तसे इंग्रजीही शिकतील. शिकायला बंधन नाही आहे. परंतु इंग्रजी माध्यमातून शिक्षण हा विषय हळू-हळू कमी होत जाईल आणि मातृभाषेतून शिकल्यावर विद्यार्थ्यांना एक प्रकारचा आत्मविश्वास येतो व त्यांची कल्पनाशक्ती (innovative ideas) देखील विकसीत होते.

#### दुसरा प्रश्न - मृण्मयी यादव

(२) ५ + ३ + ३ + ४ ची रचना व १० + २ ची रचना ह्यात काय फरक आहे, ह्याचा विद्यार्थ्यांना काय फरक होऊ शकतो?

डॉ. शरदजी कुंटे : हे करण्यामागे दोन महत्वाचे मुद्दे, पहिला मुद्दा म्हणजे - (pre-primary education) पूर्व-प्राथमिक म्हणजेच ३, ४,

५ ह्या वर्गांना १, २ चे वर्ग जोडल्यामुळे पायाभूत शिक्षणाच्या अभ्यासाला खूप चांगली गती येईल. आज पूर्व प्राथमिक शिक्षण सरकारच्या कक्षातच राहिलेले नाही, कारण कुणी त्यांना विचारतच नाही. ज्याला जसे जमेल तसे गल्ली बोळामध्ये बालवाडी चालवणार आणि बिझनेस/व्यापार करणार ह्या पलिकडे काहीच नाही. मुलांना खरंच काय शिकवले जाते? हा एक मोठा प्रश्न आहे. जेव्हा (receiving ability) शिकण्याची, आत्मसात करण्याची क्षमता जास्त असते, त्या वयामध्ये त्यांना काही शिक्षण दिले जात नाही. शिक्षण म्हणजे वाचन, लेखन, गणन हे अपेक्षित नाही आहे. तर (Pre-primary level) पूर्व प्राथमिक स्थराला शिक्षण देण्याचा हेतू हा वेगवेगळ्या शारीरिक क्षमता वाढवणे, भावनिक विकास करणे, त्यांच्या प्राचीन संस्कृती, परंपरा इ. गोष्टीतून त्यांच्यापर्यंत पोहोचवणे आणि त्यांना आपला समाज म्हणजे काय संस्कृती म्हणजे काय हे शब्द नसतील कळत परंतु त्याची जाणीव निर्माण करून देणे, आरोग्याविषयी चांगल्या सवयी लावल्या पाहिजे हे जे लहान वयामध्ये व्हायला हवे हे शिक्षण पूर्व-प्राथमिक स्थरावर अपेक्षित आहे जे आजही होत नाहीत. परंतु आता पूर्व प्राथमिक स्तर १, २, ३ बरोबर जोडल्यामुळे ती त्रुटी कमी, आणि हा ह्या सगळ्यात महत्वाचा भाग आहे.

९वी ते १२वीचा गट करण्यामागचे कारण विद्यार्थ्यांना व्यवसायाभिमुख बनवण्यासाठी हा वेगळा गट करणे आवश्यक होते. आजच्या शिक्षणात वेगवेगळे पर्यायच शिल्लक नाही आहेत. कला शाखेत काही ठराविक विषय, विज्ञान शाखेत दुसरे ठरलेले विषय विद्यार्थ्यांना घ्यावे लागतात. परंतु ९वी ते १२वीच्या गटात विद्यार्थ्यांना ४० पर्याय मिळतील की ज्यांच्यामध्ये तुम्ही योग्य पर्याय निवडून तुमच्या आवडीचे विषय घेऊन शिकू शकाल म्हणून तो गट वेगळा केला गेला आहे.

#### तिसरा प्रश्न : महेश कांबळे

(३) या धोरणाची अंमलबजावणी कधीपासून सुरू होणार आणि यात कोणते कोणते प्रमुख टप्पे असतील?

डॉ. शरदजी कुंटे : प्रथम सर्वात महत्वाचा विषय असा आहे की यातले अनेक बदल घडवायला पायाभूत सुविधा लागणार आहेत. तसेच या पायाभूत सुविधांमध्ये चांगले बदल करणे आवश्यक असणार आहे. नववी ते बारावीच्या टप्प्यात चाळीस विषयांच्या परिक्षणासाठी विविध कार्यशाळा लागतील. मोठ्या प्रमाणात प्रयोगशाळा लागतील. स्वतंत्र ग्रंथालये उभी करावी लागतील. शाळेपासून नववी ते दहावी वेगळे करावे लागेल आणि याकरिता एखादे नवीन युनिट उभे करायचे तर त्यासाठी नवीन इमारती तयार कराव्या लागतील. नवनवीन पायाभूत सुविधा वाढवाव्या लागतील

आणि हे सर्व त्वरित साकारले जाईल असे नाही. म्हणून यासाठी जेव्हा सुरुवात होईल ती पायाभूत शिक्षणापासूनच होईल. बोर्डाच्या परिक्षेचे स्वरूप बदलले जाईल. तर हा सर्व बदल होण्याकरिता किमान ३ वर्ष तरी लागतील महाविद्यालयीन स्तरांमधील जे बदल असतील ते आणखीन मंदावले जातील यात संपूर्णपणे बदल होण्याकरिता १० वर्षांचा कालावधी लागू शकतो. हे बदल एकदाच न होता टप्प्याटप्प्याने होऊ शकतील. कारण सरकार शिक्षणासाठी ३% जो खर्च करत आहे तो खर्च वाढवून ६% केला जाईल म्हणजेच शिक्षणावर दुप्पट खर्च करता येईल परंतु अशी गुंतवणूक करणे सोपे नाही त्यासाठी वेळ लागेल. सरकारने असा निर्णय घेतला आहे की दरवर्षी १०% गुंतवणूक आम्ही वाढवत जाऊ. पुढील दहा वर्षात ही गुंतवणूक ३% वरून ६% मध्ये करू याच प्रकारे टप्प्याटप्प्याने यात प्रगती होत राहील.

## चौथा प्रश्न : महेश कांबळे

(४) ५वी पर्यंतच शिक्षण मातृभाषेत घेता येईल या पार्श्वभूमीवर इंग्रजीचे भवितव्य काय ?

डॉ. शरदजी कुंटे : ज्याप्रमाणे भारतात इतर विविध प्रकारच्या भाषा लोक आपल्या आवडी प्रमाणे शिकतात. उदा. जर्मन, फ्रेंच, जापनिज, रशियन त्याच प्रकारे इंग्रजी देखील शिकतील. इंग्रजी शिकण्याकरिता अडचण येत नाही आणि इंग्रजी येत नाही म्हणून कोणाचे काही अडणार असेही नाही. जगातील अनेक देशांचे इंग्रजीमुळे काही अडलय असेही नाही. उदा. जर्मन, जपान, रशिया, चीन कोणताही देश इंग्रजी येत नाही म्हणून मागे आहे असे काहीच नाही. मातृभाषेत शिक्षण घेतल्याने शिक्षणाच्या अनेक वाटा मोकळ्या होतील.

महाविद्यालयीन स्तरावर जर इंग्रजी माध्यमाऐवजी मातृभाषेत शिक्षण घ्यायचे असेल तर सर्व विषयांचे अनुवाद मराठीत होणे आवश्यक आहे. ज्या त्या भाषेत होणे देखील महत्वाचे आहे. याकरिता स्वतंत्र तरतूद या धोरणात केली गेली आहे. न्यायालयीन कामकाज हिंदी भाषेत चालायला हवे त्यासाठी हिंदी भाषेत सर्व कायद्यांची जर्नल्स यायला हवीत या सर्व गोष्टी अजून तरी झाल्या नाहीत; पण अशा गोष्टींची तरतूद या शैक्षणिक धोरणात प्रामुख्याने झाली. विविध संदर्भग्रंथ स्थानिक भाषेत आणायचे काम आधी व्हायला हवे त्यानंतरच त्या-त्या भाषेत या विषयांची मांडणी करता येईल. इंग्रजी शिकण्याकरिता कोणालाच प्रतिबंध असणार नाही इतर भाषांप्रमाणे तीही शिकता येईल.

## पाचवा प्रश्न : मृण्मयी यादव

(५) ह्या धोरणामधून भारत विश्वगुरू होईल अशी अपेक्षा व्यक्त केली आहे, त्यावर तुमचे काय मत आहे ?

डॉ. शरद कुंटे : खरे म्हणजे आपल्याकडे खूप झटकन एखादा निष्कर्ष काढायचा लोकांना सवय असते. कुठल्या आधारावर भारत विश्वगुरू होईल ? असे काय आहे की जगाने भारताकडे विश्वगुरू म्हणून बघावे ? खर काही गोष्टी आहेत - भारताने जगाला काय दिले ? जगाने भारताला काय दिले ह्या दोन्हीचा हिशेब मांडला तर कदाचित भारताने जगाकडून ५० गोष्टी घेतल्या असतील परंतु भारताने ५ महत्वाच्या गोष्टी जगाला निश्चितपणे दिल्या आहेत की जगातली प्रत्येक गोष्ट सर्व मानवमात्राला सुखी करण्यासाठी समर्थ आहे. शांती देणे, समृद्ध करणे ह्याला समर्थ आहे. तर त्या पाच गोष्टी आहेत योग, आयुर्वेद, संगीत, अध्यात्म, परिवार संकल्पना, कुटुंब व्यवस्था ह्यातली एक, एक गोष्ट नीट राबवली तर संपूर्ण जगाला सुखी, समृद्ध करायला समर्थ आहे. ह्या गोष्टी जगाने भारताकडून शिकाव्या ह्या अर्थाने भारत विश्वगुरू झाला पाहिजे. आज जग कशाही अर्थाने भारतामध्ये शिकायला येईल, पण भारताकडे जगाला वाटण्याजोग काहीच दिसत नाही. आर्थिक, समृद्धी, लष्करी, ताकद, वैज्ञानिक विकास आहे का ? भारताकडे असे काय आहे की जगाने भारताकडे यावे. जर आपण आर्थिक, सामाजिक, औद्योगिक, शैक्षणिक, आरोग्य ह्या सगळ्या क्षेत्रांमध्ये सक्षम असेल तेव्हाच आपल्याकडे जग मार्गदर्शक म्हणून बघेल. तेव्हा आपल्याकडे मार्गदर्शनासाठी अनेक गोष्टी आहेत. म्हणून ही मूलभूत अट (basic condition) पूर्ण करण्यासाठी शैक्षणिक धोरण उपयोगी पडेल. एवढीच त्याची लिंक आहे. ५+३+३+४ झाल्यामुळे जग तुम्हाला गुरू मानायला लागेल अशातला भाग नाही. विश्वगुरू भारत होण्याची शक्यता निश्चित आहे, ह्यात ५ मुद्द्यांच्या आधारावर आहे परंतु ते ५ मुद्दे घेण्यासाठी जगाने तुमच्याकडे येण्यासाठी काय करायला हवे तर तेवढ्या क्षमता भारताने निर्माण करायला हव्यात व ह्या शैक्षणिक धोरणामुळे त्या क्षमता निर्माण करण्याची कुवत आता भारताकडे येईल.

## सहावा प्रश्न : महेश कांबळे

(६) खाजगी विद्यापीठ स्थापण्यास प्रोत्साहन देण्यात येणार आहे. तर हे शिक्षणाचे व्यापारिकरण नाही का ? आणि त्यामुळे वंचित घटकातील विद्यार्थ्यांना शिक्षणापासून वंचित व्हावे लागेल का ?

डॉ. शरदजी कुंटे : सर्वप्रथम खाजगीकरण होणे याचा अर्थ असा नाही की या खाजगीकरणाचा फायदा घेतला जाईल आणि लोकांना लुबाडले जाईल. खरेतर जनमानसातील हा एक मानसिक गोंधळ आहे. हे पूर्णपणे चुकीचे मत आहे. किंबहुना आजपर्यंत जिथे जिथे सरकारीकरण झाले आहे तेथील अवस्था सुधारण्यापेक्षा बिघडलेली आहे याचे उदाहरण म्हणजे बँकांचे राष्ट्रीयकरण जे १०० टक्क्यांपर्यंत अयशस्वी ठरलेले



आहे आणि हे अयशस्वी होण्याचे कारण म्हणजे यातून भ्रष्टाचाराच्या अनेक घटना दररोज घडत असताना दिसल्या आहेत. अनेक सरकारी क्षेत्रांमधून भ्रष्टाचाराच्या घटना समोर आलेल्या आहेत.

ज्या-ज्या क्षेत्रात सरकारीकरण झालेले आहे तिथे सुधारणेच्या बाबतीत सरकार अयशस्वी ठरलेले आहे. प्रगती झालेली कुठेही दिसून आलेली नाही.

तसेच जिथे खाजगीकरण झालेले आहे तिथे सर्व बाबतीत प्रगती चांगल्या प्रमाणात झालेली आहे हा संपूर्ण जगाचा अनुभव आहे फक्त भारतातीलच नाही. महत्वाचे म्हणजे खाजगीकरण म्हणजे पिळवणूक ही जी भारतीयांची मानसिकता बनली गेली आहे ती प्रथमता डोक्यातून काढून टाकायला हवी. दुसरी महत्वाची मानसिकता अशी आहे की फायदा मिळवणे हा गुन्हा समजला जातो. व्यक्तीचे कुटुंब असल्यामुळे त्याने आपल्या कुटुंबासाठी पैसे मिळविले म्हणजे तो गुन्हा ठरत नाही. असे माझे स्पष्ट मत आहे. एखाद्याने आर्थिक नफा मिळवला म्हणजे पिळवणूक होत आहे असे म्हणणे योग्य नाही.

**सातवा प्रश्न : मृण्मयी यादव**

**(७) राष्ट्रीय शिक्षण धोरणाच्या अंमलबजावणीची आव्हाने कुठली आहेत ?**

**डॉ. शरद कुंटे** - आव्हान प्रामुख्याने दोनच आहेत एक तर आर्थिक तरतूद किती प्रमाणात होते, सरकार कडून किती तरतूद होते, खाजगी क्षेत्राकडून किती होते हे पाहणे महत्वाचे होते. कारण आर्थिक तरतूद झाल्याशिवाय प्रत्यक्ष विकास घडणार नाही, नुसत्या कल्पनेने काही होणार नाही हे पहिले आव्हान.

दुसरे आव्हान म्हणजे इच्छा शक्तीच आव्हान आहे. हे खरंच घडवण्याची इच्छा सरकारी आहे का ? दुर्दैवाने सरकारी अधिकाऱ्यांना आपली आव्हाने सोडवता येत नाहीत. प्रत्येक गोष्ट जसे की महाविद्यालये कोण चालवणार ? आम्ही (सरकारी अधिकारी) ठरवणार, त्यात अभ्यासक्रम कोणता असावा आम्ही ठरवणार, परीक्षा कोणी घ्यायची आम्ही ठरवणार, का ? जे ५० वर्ष शिक्षण क्षेत्रात आहेत त्यांच्यापेक्षा तिथे जे बी.ए. किंवा फार फार तर कुठलीतरी डिग्री घेऊन सरकारी नोकरीत गेला तर त्याला शिक्षणाचे जास्त कळते का ? तर तसे नाही. शिक्षण क्षेत्रामध्ये तज्ज्ञ असलेल्या व्यक्तींवर हे निर्णय सोपवायला हवेत. ते निर्णय सोपवण्याची मानसिकता सरकारची नाही. त्यामुळे ऐच्छिक आव्हान आणि आर्थिक स्वरूपाचे आव्हान ही दोन खरी आव्हाने आहेत, बाकी सगळ्या गोष्टी सोप्या आहेत.

## सुवर्ण स्मृतींना उजाळा देताना...



‘मनी दिसे ते स्वप्नी दिसे’ २१ व्या शतकातील आधुनिक प्रगती पाहता कोणतेही स्वप्न पाहणे आणि ते प्रत्यक्ष साकार करणे हे मोठे जिकरीचे असते. स्पर्धेच्या युगात जर टिकायचे असेल तर खूप मेहनत आणि वेळेचे महत्त्व समजले पाहिजे.

लहानपणापासून शाळेतील विविध उपक्रमात, स्पर्धेत सहभाग घेणारी मी,

माझे कलागुण ओळखून शाळेतील शिक्षकांनी माझे अभिनयाचे गुण ओळखले होते. टीव्हीत काम करायचा हट्ट, मनापासूनची इच्छा, चित्रपट मालिकेतील पात्रांचा आरशासमोर अभिनय करत राहणे यामुळे कुटुंबियांनी या क्षेत्रात काम करण्यासाठी दिलेला पाठिंबा म्हणजे सर्वतोपरी मदत केली.

आवड जोपासताना शाळा, अभ्यास यांचे नुकसान होणार नाही याची आईने लक्षपूर्वक काळजी घेतली.

बारावीत सध्या शिकत असून तिसरीत असताना एकता कपूरच्या बालाजी टेलिफिल्म्सच्या ‘हे बंध रेशमाचे’ या मालिकेत पहिली संधी मिळाली. पहिल्या कामाचा आनंद होताच पण ही संधी मिळवण्यासाठी १५० पेक्षा जास्त ऑडिशन्स द्याव्या लागल्या.

हे सर्व करताना अभ्यासाचे नुकसान होणार नाही याची लक्षपूर्वक काळजी आई घेत होती. शूटिंग दरम्यान वेळ मिळाला तर अभ्यास घेणे, चित्रीकरण स्थळी सगळ्यांशी हसत-खेळत वागणे, स्पोर्ट दादा, मेकअप दादा यांच्याशी आदराने बोलणे, संयम ठेवणे या आईच्या शिकवणीमुळे होणारे जडण-घडण यामध्ये आईचा खूप मोठा वाटा आहे. घरातील खेळकर वातावरण आणि बहीण भावाचे मजेशीर भांडण यामुळे सर्व सुरळीत होत होते.

स्टार प्रवाह वरील ‘माधुरी मिडल क्लास’, ‘लक्ष्य’ तसेच स्टार प्लस वरील ‘लाखो में एक’ या मालिका केल्या. ‘असावा सुंदर स्वप्नांचा बंगला’

या मालिकेतील भूमिकेसाठी सर्वोत्कृष्ट अभिनेत्रीचा मटा सन्मान २०१४ हा पुरस्कार मिळाला. 'बंपर लॉटरी', अरुण नलावडे सोबत 'ब्लॅक बोर्ड' महाराष्ट्र राज्य शासनाचा सर्वोत्कृष्ट चित्रपट पुरस्कार प्राप्त मालवणी चित्रपट 'रेडू' त्याचबरोबर संजय लीला भन्साळी यांचा 'बाजीराव मस्तानी' या चित्रपटामधून रुपेरी पडद्यावर काम करताना खूप छान वाटले. 'भाकर', 'बाजार' यासारखे वऱ्हाडी भाषेचे चित्रपट केले. 'आब्रो', 'पनाह' या लघुपटासोबत तृतीयपंथीय गौरी सावंत यांच्या आयुष्यावर बेतलेल्या विक्स जनरेशनची टच ऑफ केअर डॉक्युमेंट्री पण खूप मनाला भावून गेली. असावा सुंदर स्वप्नांचा बंगला मालिकेदरम्यान सहकलाकारांनी घेतलेली काळजी, तू माझा सांगातीच्या वेळेस आवलीची भूमिका साकारताना संत तुकाराम यांचा अभ्यास यामधून छान अनुभव आले.

मालिका आणि चित्रपटांतून मिळालेली प्रसिद्धी, नातेवाईक, शाळेतील मित्र-मैत्रिणी यांसकडून होणारे कौतुक आणि मिळणारी विशेष वागणूक याबद्दल कितीही प्रसिद्धी मिळाली तरी डोक्यात हवा जाऊ न देता जमिनीवर पाय ठेवून सगळ्यांबरोबरचे संबंध आदरपूर्वकच ठेवले. तसेच सतत होणारे कौतुक ही एक जबाबदारी म्हणून स्वीकारली.



शाळेत सुद्धा मित्र-मैत्रिणींचा आसपास असणारा गराडा, त्यांचे प्रेम, अभ्यासात मागे राहून नये म्हणून शिक्षकांनी घेतलेली मेहनत यामुळे शाळेच्या यशात या सर्वांचा मोठा वाटा आहे.

अभिनय, शाळा, खेळ सांभाळत जमेल तसे मोकळ्या वेळेत गाणे, चित्रकला, नृत्य, पुस्तक वाचणे यांसारखे छंद जोपासले हे सर्व करत असताना कॉलेज जीवन चालू झाले. त्यावेळी 'डॉक्टर बाबासाहेब आंबेडकर' यांची स्टार प्रवाह वरील मालिका मिळाली, त्यामध्ये छोट्या रमाची भूमिका खूप काही शिकवून गेली. असे सर्व करत असताना एकच सांगू इच्छिते कोणत्याही क्षेत्रात काम करताना विद्यार्थीदशेमध्ये अभ्यास, कुटुंब, खेळ सांभाळून काम करावे.

आता सर्वांचा प्रश्न की मी या क्षेत्रातच कशी आली? एवढे क्षेत्र

असताना हेच कसे काय? मग हेच तुम्हाला सांगायचे. सर्वांप्रमाणे माझे सुद्धा ज्युनियर केजीमध्ये दाखला झाला. माझी शाळा इंडियन एज्युकेशन सोसायटी बांद्रे. शाळेत भरपूर ऍक्टिव्हिटीज असल्यामुळे मी प्रत्येक स्पर्धेमध्ये भाग घ्यायची. सर्व स्पर्धांची तयारी माझी आई करून घ्यायची ज्युनियर केजीमध्ये सर्व स्पर्धांमध्ये भाग घेऊन त्यात नंबर आणणे असे चालू होते. डान्स, वाचनकौशल्य, एकपात्री स्पर्धा, अशा विविध स्पर्धांमध्ये भाग घेऊन माझी हुशारी दिसत होती. असेच एक एक इयत्ता पुढे जात होती. माझी मेहनत पाहून शाळेच्या शिक्षिका माझ्या आईला बोलल्या खूप मेहनती आहे. तिला काहीतरी पुढे चांगल्या क्षेत्रात घाला. माझ्या एकंदरीत व्यक्तिमत्त्वाकडे पाहता मी काय करणार माहिती नव्हते. शाळेच्या स्पर्धा चालू होत्या तसेच एक दिवस महाराष्ट्र टाईम्समध्ये अभिनय क्षेत्राची जाहिरात पाहिली. आई आणि मी सेमिनारला गेलो. तिथे ह्या क्षेत्रात जाण्यासाठी काय काय करावे लागते याची माहिती मिळाली. तिथे ताबडतोब ऍडमिशन घेऊन बारा रविवारचा कोर्स चालू केला. तिथे फक्त हावभाव आणि ऑडिशनची तयारी शिकवली. त्याच वेळी UCMAS चा कोर्स पण चालू होता तो मध्येच बंद करणे म्हणजे दोन वर्षांची मेहनत वाया घालविण्यासारखे होते. पण आईने वेळेचे नियोजन आणि माझे कोर्स व्यवस्थित सुरू ठेवले. शिक्षण पूर्ण करणे हे ब्रीद वाक्य पहिल्यापासूनच आईने ठेवले होते त्यामुळे शाळेचा अभ्यास आणि इतर कला चालू होत्या. कोर्स संपला आणि खरी मेहनत पुढे होती. घरात कोणीही या क्षेत्रांमध्ये नव्हते की माहिती पण नव्हती. माझी आई मी शाळेतून घरी आली की मला ऑडिशनला घेऊन जायची बरोबर अभ्यासाची पुस्तके असायची कारण घरी यायला खूप उशीर होत असे आणि मी लहान असल्यामुळे थकून झोपून जायची. पण सर्व माझ्या होकारावर आई करायची मला जबरदस्ती कधीच केली नाही. अशा ऑडिशन मी जवळ जवळ १५० दिल्या. माझी आई दर पंधरा दिवसांनी माझे फोटे ईमेल करायची. असेच एक दिवस माझा फोटो पाहून आईला फोन आला. शाळेतून आली तशीच आई मला घेऊन आम्ही 'पहिल्या प्रवासाला' निघालो. तिथे गेल्यावर ऑडिशन दिली. थोडे फोटो काढले. थोडे दिवस गेले आणि अचानक फोन आला 'बालाजी टेलीफिल्म्स' मधून बोलतोय. मृष्मयीला आज घेऊन या. पहिलाच फोन तो पण 'एकता कपूर' यांच्या ऑफिस मधून त्यामुळे थोडेफार टेन्शन होते, पण तिकडे पोहोचलो तेव्हा समजले की आधीच २०० मुलींची ऑडिशन झाली होती. मी पूर्ण तयारीने ऑडिशन दिली आणि निघणार तेच आम्हाला थांबायला सांगितले. आम्ही दोघीही शांत होतो काहीच समजत नव्हते नंतर एक मॅडम आल्या आणि मृष्मयी सिलेक्ट झाली असे त्यांनी आम्हाला सांगितले. हाच पहिला ब्रेक इथून जो प्रवास जानेवारी २०१२ला सुरू झाला, तो आजपर्यंत सुरू आहे.

पहिलीच मालिका, पहिलाच लीड रोल ते सुद्धा 'बालाजी



टेलीफिल्म्स' त्यामुळे मेहनतीचे फळ मिळाले असे वाटले. आनंद गगनात मावेनासा झाला होता. माझ्या शाळेचा खूप मोठा पाठिंबा होता. शाळेने मला एका अटीवर परवानगी दिली की अभ्यासात मागे नाही रहायचे. सेट वर आई अभ्यास घ्यायची त्यामुळे परीक्षा पण सोप्या जायच्या. शाळेत अव्वल अंकांनी पास व्हायचे, त्यामुळे दोन्ही पण सुरळीत चालू राहिले. थोड्या दिवसांनी स्टार प्रवाहवर 'लक्ष्य' ह्या मालिकेचे काही भाग केले. मराठी बरोबर हिंदी मालिका 'लाखों में एक' सुद्धा केली. मालिका सुरू होत्याच त्याबरोबर वऱ्हाडी भाषेचा 'भाकर' चित्रपट केला. त्यासाठी मी वऱ्हाडी भाषा शिकले. हे चालू असताना आमचे ऑडिशन देणे काही थांबले नाही. माझ्या आईने ह्या क्षेत्राची भरपूर माहिती काढली होती. त्यामुळे ऑडिशनस द्यायला गेलो की आजूबाजूला जिथे असेल तिथे सगळीकडे ऑडिशन द्यायची. त्यातून 'असावा सुंदर स्वप्नांचा बंगला' ह्या सिरियलची ऑडिशन दिली. मोठ्या रोलची मुख्य भूमिका इथूनच सुरू झाली. लूक टेस्ट झाली आणि कलर्स वाहिनीचे ओके असे उत्तर आले. १२/१२/२०१२ हा पहिला शूटचा दिवस कायम लक्षात राहिला. 'ईश्वरी' ह्या भूमिकेने खूप काही दिले. सर्वांचे प्रेम आशीर्वाद मिळाले. ह्याच पात्रासाठी मला म. टा. सन्मान उत्कृष्ट अभिनेत्रीचा पुरस्कार मिळाला. पहिलेच नामांकन आणि पहिलाच पुरस्कार. नंतर मालवणी भाषेची 'आब्रो' शॉर्ट फिल्म केली. त्यासाठी इंटरनॅशनल चाइल्ड आर्टिस्टचे अवॉर्ड मिळाले.

बंपर लॉटरी, ब्लॅक बोर्ड मराठी चित्रपट केले.

पुन्हा एकदा 'तू माझा सांगाती' मध्ये छोट्या आवलीची भूमिका केली ही भूमिका म्हणजे जुना काळ आणि त्याकाळची भाषा सर्वकाही नवीन होते पण मला सेटवर सर्व समजावून सांगितले गेले. ती भूमिका आणि आवली पुन्हा घराघरातच पोहोचली.

'तू माझा सांगाती'चे शूट चालू असताना 'भन्साळी प्रोडक्शन' मधून फोन आला. एक दिवस शूट लवकर संपले तसे आम्ही भन्साळी सरांच्या ऑफिसमध्ये ऑडिशन द्यायला गेलो. दुसऱ्या दिवशी मृण्मयी सिलेक्ट झालीय असा फोन आला. संजय लीला भन्साळी सरांच्या फिल्ममध्ये काम मिळाले म्हणजे माझ्यासाठी खूप मोठा ब्रेक होता. बाजीराव मस्तानी मुळे गोपिकाबाई पण सर्वांना लक्षात राहिली.

एखादी जाहिरात करावी असे स्वप्न होते. आपली इच्छाशक्ती

दांडगी असली की सर्व स्वप्न पूर्ण होतात. अगदी तसेच झाले अॅमेझॉनच्या जाहिरातीसाठी रात्री अचानक फोन आला. रात्री सर्व लूक टेस्ट आणि सकाळी शूटिंग झाली अगदी अचानक एवढे झाले की ती गणपती स्पेशल ऍमेझॉनची जाहिरात टीव्हीवर येऊ लागली. नंतर युनिसेफची मेडिकल जाहिरात नॅशनल चॅनल वर १७ भाषांमध्ये दाखवली. व्हिक्स जनरेशनची डॉक्युमेंट्री ज्यामध्ये तृतीयपंथीय श्री. गौरी सावंत यांची खरी कथा आहे. त्यामध्ये त्यांच्या दत्तक मुलीचा रोल मी साकारला होता. ही डॉक्युमेंटरी एवढे प्रसिद्ध झाली की माझी स्वप्नपूर्ती झाली.

'रेडू' हा मालवणी चित्रपट केला. माझ्या गावची म्हणजेच मालवणी भाषा असल्यामुळे आणि माझ्या गावाच्या आजूबाजूला शूटिंग असल्यामुळे खूप मज्जा आली. त्यामध्ये 'देवाक काळजी रे' हे गाणे खूप प्रसिद्ध झाले.

हे सर्व सुरू असताना माझे दहावीचे शिक्षण चालू झाले. दहावीच्या 'बेस्ट आयडियल स्टुडेंट', 'बेस्ट पेरेंट' असे अवॉर्ड्स मला आणि माझ्या आीला मिळाले. तेव्हा मला फार अभिमान वाटला.

दहावीपर्यंत शिक्षण पूर्ण झाले आणि दहावीचा निकाल ही खूप चांगला आला. अकरावीचे ऍडमिशन सुरू झाले आहे त्याचवेळी 'डॉक्टर बाबासाहेब आंबेडकर'च्या प्रोडक्शन मधून फोन आला. छोटी रमाई करायची आहे. नेहमीप्रमाणे शाळेचा पहिला दिवस चुकल्याप्रमाणे कॉलेजचा पहिला दिवस ही चुकलाच. हेही स्वीकारले पण मध्ये सुट्टी असली की कॉलेजला जायची. डॉक्टर बाबासाहेब आंबेडकरचे प्रोमो टीव्हीवर आले आणि कॉलेजमध्ये छोटी रमा प्रसिद्ध झाली. हा प्रवास करताना माझा अभ्यास, स्पर्धा यांचे नियोजन आईने केले असल्यामुळे सर्व मला सोपे झाले. माझ्या कुटुंबीयांचा पण मोठा सहभाग होता त्यामुळे माझ्या यशात माझ्या कुटुंबाचा खूप मोठा वाटा आहे. तसेच शाळेतील मुख्याध्यापिका, शिक्षक आणि मैत्रिणी यांचा खूप मोठा वाटा आहे. ह्या सर्वांनी मदत केली व प्रोत्साहन दिले म्हणून मी यश प्राप्त करू शकले. मी आज जे काही आहे ते ह्या सर्वांमुळे आहे.

शेवटी एवढेच म्हणून की, In success, there are no full stops. There are only commas.

मृण्मयी सूपल, बारावी कला

## चाहूल



नाही माहीत का लागते चाहूल नकळत ही;  
का होतो स्वतःच्याच धुंदीत रममाण मी,  
अनेक स्वप्न अनेक रंग बिलगतात मलाच परी  
नाही माहीत का लागते चाहूल नकळत ही...  
प्रेम म्हणून की भास हृदय म्हणू की श्वास,  
पाहिले जेव्हा तिला पहिल्यांदाच मी  
स्वतःला ही विसरलो पाहण्यात मी  
नाही माहीत का लागते चाहूल नकळत ही...

भीती वाटते नकळत अशी; पाहिले तिला रस्त्यात की  
नाही माहीत मिळेल का या जन्मात;  
उगाचच का बिलगतो माझा श्वास  
नाही माहीत का लागते चाहूल नकळत ही...

राधा म्हणू, रुक्मिणी म्हणू की म्हणू तिला मेनका  
का होतो जीव उगीच खुळ्यासारखा  
नाही माहीत का लागते चाहूल नकळत ही...

महेश मोहन कांबळे, द्वितीय वर्ष, कला

## भुरकन

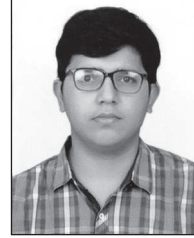
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कष्ट, जिद्द, मेहनत, येईल जशी अमलात  
रचतील आपला स्वर्ग सुंदर अशा महालात

घेवून मोठी भरारी ही घालतील यशाला गवसणी  
उज्वल स्वप्नांतील आयुष्य; थाटतील आपल्या संसारातुनी  
धर्तीवरचा हा मुक्त संचार एका मार्गावर असेल  
उतरणीचे वय वर्ष जेव्हा साठ-सत्तर असेल

जीवनाच्या एका वळणावर हळुच मागे पाहताना  
गहिवरून जाईल मन त्यांचे, आठवणी ताज्या होताना  
थांबले सर्व; डोळे मिटले अंतरी परी हा अंत नाही  
नेहमी उडत राहिलो आता कसली खंत नाही

महेश मोहन कांबळे, द्वितीय वर्ष, कला

## विचारी मना



विचारी मना; तू कसा आहेसना;  
तु कसा दिसतो; तू कसा असतो;  
तु कुठे बसतो; तु कुठे असतो;  
विचारी मना; तू कसा आहेसना।।  
तुझा रंग कोणता; तुझा वेश कोणता;  
तु माणसाची देणगी; तु प्राण्या नाही देणगी;  
तु सजीवात असतो; तु निर्जीवात नसतो;  
सुंदर मधुर संगीत स्वच्छ करी मना;  
विचारी मना; तू कसा आहेसना।।

कृष्णाच्या बासरीने गाई लीन होता मना;  
मृत झाल्यावर देहातुन कुठे जातो मना;  
कृष्णाच्या गोपींना कसा केला मना;  
सुखात, दुःखात कुठे असतो मना काय करतो मना;  
विचारी मना; तू कसा आहेसना;  
तू कसा आहेसना।।  
विचारी मना.....

धनेश संजय शर्मा, प्रथम वर्ष, कला

## Life isn't about knowing yourself Life is about creating yourself

Life is a book...  
Full of strange chapters,  
And days like pages...  
Having mixed emotions and silly factors  
We all come with an introduction,  
And go away with a conclusion ...  
The period which comes between these two,  
Is a thrilling roller coasters!!  
But this book is not already written  
The author is none other than you...,  
And that makes it brilliant!  
Live life to the fullest,  
May the book you write...  
Be a best seller in the rack of life

CQMS. Kashish Chaudhari, S.Y.J.C.





## अंतिम पल



आसमान के तारों को मैंने, कंधो पर मेरे सजाया था।

जब मैंने उसे मेहनत कर, पाया था।

कुछ अलग ही नशा था उसे हासिल करने का,

उसके खातिर जान से भी जीत जाने का।

आसान नहीं था सफर, मिट्टी से आसमान तक का,

पर गर्व था पुत्र हूँ भारत माँ के आँचल का।

भारत माँ के प्यार ने मुझे लड़ना सिखाया,

अपनों के खातिर जिना सिखाया।

आज इस तिरंगे में लिपटा सोच रहा हूँ,

कुछ बिते हुए पल याद कर लूँ।

वो माँ की लोरिं, पापा की डाँट,

भाई के साथ हुई लड़ाई और, बेहन के चेहरे की हँसी।

अब बस इंतजार है, मेरे लिए होनेवाले,

इक्कीस गोलियों की सलामी का।

और इस पावन मिट्टी के वीर शहिदों में,

मेरा जिक्र होने का।

खुशी है माँ के खातिर जान कुर्बान कर देनेका,

और स्वर्ग में ही मर जाने का।

CDT. Sakshi D. Mahalim, S.Y.J.C.

## घेऊ का पोटोपुरतं ?



पंगतीत बसलेत दगडाचे देव रे...

दगडाच्या देवाला खाऊ जरा ठेव रे !

बसल्याजागी मिळतं तुला नैवेद्य तुपाशी

माणसांच्या बाजारात मी मात्र उपाशी..!

तोंड तुझं दिसत नाही खाणार तु कसा

खाणार नसशील तु तर घेऊ का जरासा ?

तु देव नाहीस असं म्हणता येणार नाही

उष्ट तुझं नेते खुश होईल माझी ताई...!

मागत नाही, रडत नाहीस तरी देतात तुला

भिकाऱ्याच पोर म्हणून चिडवतात मला !

दगडाचा असला तरी राग येत नाही तुला

पुढ्यातलं खायला सारं देतोस का मला...!

तुला जे कळलं ते माणसाला कळत नाही

माणसांतल्या माणसाला माणुसकी मिळत नाही.

CDT. Payal Baikar, S.Y.B.A.

## बाबा

माहीत आहे मला जन्म देणारी असते आई

तीला भेटण्याची असते आपल्यालाच घाई

तरीही मला जरा सांगायचे आहे काही

बाबाची किंमत कोणी करतंच नाही...

आई देते प्रेम अन् जिवाळा

बाबा आमचा जणू रागीट सापळा

का बाबा वागतो असा कळतंच नाही...

बाबा आमच्यावर खूप रागावतो, ओरडतो

आम्हांला तर तो रागातचं दिसतो

का बाबा असतो असा माहीतचं नाही...

हिवाळा आला की स्वेटर देणारा तु

पावसाळ्यात छत्री घेणारा पण तू

तरीसुद्धा शप्पथ घेताना आठवते आई

बाबाची किंमत कोणी करतंच नाही...

दिसला तुझा राग पण, कष्ट नाही दिसले,

आठवते जेव्हा श्रम तुझे, तेव्हा डोळे माझे भिजले,

तुझ्यासमोर ३३ कोटी देवाचे बलही आता झिजले,

माझ्या आईचेही रूप मला माझ्या बाबातच दिसले...

CDT. Payal Baikar, S.Y.B.A.

## A Fight



You found to be true grain,  
But your mistakes are like a bunch of again  
Inquired the smart brain  
How you work to make humans go far,  
Replied the poor genital heart, apart  
You made folks of a mistake,

I was making the human busy making to  
do some bake.

Stupid heart attracted another,  
Didn't found that, its brain was a rust  
for other  
The human found themselves had a war,  
He explained them that he is just  
like a flower.

Even after his explanation  
They began to fight with conversation  
He became irritated  
And shouted...  
Just shut...up

You both are in one soul so just wake-up...  
Forget those shit have a new began  
Be friends and never forget to be forever again  
You both are equally important forever  
Just like a plant requires soil and water...  
Don't behave that you are only the one...  
If one stops, another cannot run...

**Rutuja Gangawane, F.Y.BMS.**

## माँ



माँ बहुत प्यारी होती हैं,  
माँ से प्यारा कोई नहीं।  
माँ के बिना जीवन ना हो,  
भगवान के रूप में उतरी हैं माँ,  
हम सब के लिए जिती है माँ।  
माँ जब हँसती तो पूरी दुनिया खिल उठती

माँ जब न होतो सब लगता है सुना

माँ के बिना जीवन है अधूरा।

माँ तेरे लिए कुछ भी में करूँ

तू मुझे छोड़ न जाना।

माँ के चरणों में स्वर्ग है बसा

माँ के लिए सह लूँ मैं सजा।

माँ ने मुझमें जीवन लूटाया

माँ के लिये में कुछ न कर पाया।

माँ तू मेरा दिल है

माँ तू मेरी जान है

माँ तुझे सलाम है।

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F.Y.J.C.**

## विद्रोही...!!!



गुंतून गेला जीव

या पसाऱ्यात सारा...

सोबती फक्त हा

धुंद गार वारा...

आपलेच सारे

दुरावून गेले...

जाता-जाता काळीज

दुखावून गेले...

व्यस्त माझ्या जीवनात

मी मलाच शोधत होतो...

गिचमिडीच्या पसाऱ्यात

एकटाच गोठत होतो...

रुक्ष भद्रास आठवणीतून

बाहेर जेव्हा पडलो...

तेव्हा रूढ आयुष्याकडे

खऱ्या अर्थाने वळलो...

आपलीच गोती

आपलीच नाती

सोबत कोणीच नाही...

वाऱ्यासंगे हिंडताना

भीती कशाची नाही...

विसरून सारे दुःख

मी समाजात जेव्हा मुरलो...

तेव्हा व्यवस्थेत फक्त

मी विद्रोही म्हणून उरलो...!!!

**दिक्षांत पवार, F.Y.B.A.**



## उम्मीद



अंधकार चारों तरफ छाया है,  
उम्मीद की किरण कही दब सी गई हृदय के कोनों में।  
भ्रष्टाचार के रूप दिखे अनेक  
कई रंग, रूप, वेष के ईमानदारी कही खो सी गई  
भ्रष्टाचार ही दामन की पहचान बन गई...

जन की रक्षा उनकी उम्मीद,  
जब मुखावटों का सहारा लेने,  
लगे तब वह भ्रष्ट कहलाता है।  
राजनीतिक और कानून,  
जब जनता की उम्मी न बन पाये...

तब उस पर भ्रष्टाचार के दाँग पड़ते है  
अब जनता उम्मीद, उम्मीद पुकारें...  
किंतु उनके स्वर का कोई नाम ही नहीं।

सोनम बींद  
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## इंतजार



धुंधली आँखे ढूँढ रही थी तुम्हें,  
पर मन में तुम्हारी छवि दिख गई।  
देखने के लिए न हम थे न तुम थे  
लेकिन दिल दोनों को मिल चुके थे।  
याद नहीं घर कब आऊँगा  
किंतु हमेशा तुम्हारे चेहरे पर मुस्कार चाहूँगा...  
दिल को हमेशा तुम्हारी धड़कन की आहट है,  
पर बंदुक के गोलियों की आवाज

सुनकर वह भी सहमा जाती है।  
सोचा था करवा-चौथ के दिन तुम्हें उदास नहीं करूँगा...  
पर हाथों में तो बंदुक चलाने में फसे थे।

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## कुप्रथाएँ जिससे हम हे अज्ञान



कुछ प्रथाएँ है  
कुछ कुप्रथाएँ है  
जिससे मैं भी हूँ अज्ञात...  
इन प्रथाओं के भंवर में

ना जाने कितनों रिश्तों ने दिए है बलिदान...  
कही कुछ मासुमों के आशियानें  
में हैं इन सभी कुप्रथाओं का हाहाकार...  
कही अब भी रोक है  
सपने देखने की आजादी  
क्योंकि अब भी...

कुछ कुप्रथाओं ने अपना  
पकड़ है बनाई।

अब भी सती है अब भी सीता है

क्या अब भी थे कुप्रथाएँ जीवन को नापनेवाली सीमा है।  
कुछ बदलाव की आशा अब भी दिल में है...  
क्या आजाद होकर भी हम इन कुप्रथाओं के भंवर से उभरे है?

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## अस्तित्व

क्या गलती है उनकी  
जो उनका अस्तित्व नहीं  
क्यों उनके दर्द का  
किसी को एहसास नहीं  
क्यों हम गर्दन पर लगाएँ  
कई चेहरे उन्हें कहते हैं  
तुम तो इंसान ही नहीं?

क्यों प्यार और सम्मान के  
वो हकदार नहीं  
क्यों हम उन्हें पुकारे  
कई विचित्र नामों से।  
तुम तो उसके भी हकदार नहीं  
क्या गलती है उनकी

जो उनका अस्तित्व नहीं  
जब खोलना चाहँ उन्हे  
अपनी खुशियों का ताला  
क्या गलती थी उनकी  
क्यों तुमने उस ताले को ही  
जंग लगा डाला  
क्यों उनके अपनों के ही  
है रावण से भयानक चेहरे।

से इन्सान थोड़ी तो इंसानियत दिखा  
इंसान के वेष ने जानवर न बन  
इंसान को इंसान समझ  
आखिर क्या गलती है उनकी  
जो उनका अस्तित्व नहीं।

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## दिसतेस तू...!



दिसतेस तू...!

पहाटेच्या मंद गारव्यात तू,  
कोकिलेच्या सुमधुर स्वरात तू;  
कोवळ्या उन्हाच्या किरणात तू,  
सूर्याच्या त्या केशरी रंगात तू,

पावसाच्या त्या निर्मळ थेंबात तू;  
थेंबा थेंबाने निर्माण झालेल्या त्या समुद्रा सारखी दिसतेस तू...!  
पाना वरून अलगत घसरणाऱ्या दव बिंदूत तू,  
नुकत्याच पडलेल्या पावसाच्या सरी मधून बहरलेल्या वेलीत तू;  
गावाकडच्या लाल मातीच्या पायवाटे सारखी तू,

वृक्षाच्या शीतल छायेत तू;  
हिवाळ्याच्या गुलाबी थंडीची झुळूक तू,  
फुलाच्या त्या नाजूक पाखळीत तू;  
अथांग पसरलेल्या सागरी किनाऱ्या वरून  
दिसणाऱ्या क्षितीजात मज दिसतेस तू...!

आकाशातल्या पांढऱ्या ढगात तू,  
रजनी ची सोम कोर तू;

अंधारात लक लक चमकणारे चांदणे तू,  
अग्नीच्या भडक ज्वालेत तू;  
आणि देवाऱ्यातल्या दिव्याच्या ज्योतित ही तू...!  
नदीच्या खळ खळनाऱ्या प्रवाहात तू,  
रात्रीच्या शांततेत तू;  
आणि अशी सर्वत्र दिसतेस तू...!

निशांत राजन सरमळकर  
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## निसर्ग म्हणजे स्त्री-शृंगार



ती नटली होती तिच्या शृंगाराने  
हिरवळ अंगावर ओढून  
साक्षात स्वर्ग दिसत होता  
श्रावणात बेधुंद होऊन  
काही वर्षांनी असे झाले

तिने आकाशात रंग आपले मांडले  
आपली ठेच लागताच ते आभाळभर सांडले  
हिरवा तिचा शालू ओढून तुम्ही  
वेणीतील फुले तिच्या नाहीशी केली  
पाण्याला वादळाचे रूप देऊन  
निसर्गाने त्याची व्यथा मांडली  
निसर्गाचा न्हास करून शेवटी  
माणसाने प्रगती केली  
पुरे झाल्या सहन वेदना  
नाही बसणे आता गप्प  
उरली गरज एकमेकांची  
सोबत आता निसर्गाची

मयुरी विलास जाधव  
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## ॥ दोस्ती ॥



ना शोभा देती है।  
ना चिल्लाती है।  
ये निभानी पडती है।  
ना जान लेती है।  
ना जान लेने देती है।  
ये केवल जीवन जीना सिखाती है।  
यही सच्ची दोस्ती है।

हर्षदा तिरमारे  
S.Y.J.C.

## जीवनाचे सार



जन्माला आला आहेस  
थोडं जगून बघ  
जीवनात दुःख खूप आहे  
थोडं सोसून बघ  
चिमूटभर दुःखाने कोसळू नकोस  
दुःखाचे पहाड चढून बघ  
यशाची चव चाखून बघ  
अपयश येतं निरखून बघ  
डाव मांडणे सोपे असते  
थोडे खेळून बघ  
घरटं बांधणे सोपे असते  
थोडी मेहनत करून बघ  
जगणे कठीण मरण सोपे असते  
दोन्हीतल्या वेदना झेलून बघ  
जीवन मरण एक कोडे असते  
जाता-जाता एवढं सोडवून बघ.

संस्कृती महाकाळ  
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## कोणाकोणाचे किती किती...



हा एक श्वास  
त्याचा त्याच्या हाती दोर  
आपण क्षणांचे निवासी  
काही न राही आपल्यापाशी  
वाटे आयुष्य किती मोठे  
पण किती खरे किती खोटे  
ज्या त्या दिव्यात  
असते लहान मोठी वात  
असते सांगायचे सारे  
जे मध्येच निसटून जाते  
कोणा कोणीचे कीती कीती  
ऋण तसेच राहून जाते  
प्रेमाच्या ओंजळानी  
भरलेली आयुष्याची झोळी  
कुठे ठिगळं लागले  
क्षणांत रिते आणि वेगळी

डॉ. वनिता कामत,  
प्राणीशास्त्र विभाग

## कन्येशिवाय जीवन शून्य



न देता आला कधी मला कोणाला वेळ  
न खेळलो मी तिच्याशी कधी कोणता खेळ  
आठवतं मला चिमुकल्या पावलांनी ती आली होती  
बोबड्या भाषेतच मला बाबा म्हणाली होती....  
सकाळी उठायचो निघून जायचो  
ती माझी वाट पाहायची  
अर्धवट खेळ ती माझ्यासाठीच सोडायची  
घराला माझ्या तिच्यामुळेच रूप आलं होतं  
हसण्यानेच तिच्या घर माझं फुल्ल होतं  
एक एक वस्तू स्वतः तिने गोळा केल्या  
बाबाला एकटं टाकून फक्त आठवणी नेल्या  
हात धरून माझा शाळेत जायची  
जाऊ नये मी म्हणून वळून वळून पहायची

कधी कधी तीच झाली माझी आई  
कधी कधी माझा बाप बनायची  
उलटी अक्षरे रेखाटायची वहीवर  
तिने काढलेल चित्र आहे अजून या भिंतीवर  
मिळवलेले पहिलं बक्षीस  
आणून ठेवलं तिने माझ्या हातावर  
आज इतकी मोठी झाली  
की निघाली एकटी जायला  
सोडलं बाबाच हात  
सुरुवात केली नवीन आयुष्याला  
घर जिने बनवलं माझं  
तिनेच मोकळं केलं  
भरलेलं तिच्या आवाजाने  
आज ते घर शांत झालं

ज्योत्स्ना कावळे  
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## कलेचा शिलेदार



तहान - भूक विसरलेला,  
जाती - धर्म नसलेला,  
कलेसाठी जन्म त्याचा,  
तो कलाप्रेमी असलेले.  
नाही कसली हौस,  
फक्त एकचं व्यसन,  
कला तिचं नाव,  
तिच्यापाशीचं त्याचं आसन.

अवलिया हा विविध कलांचा,  
सेवेकरी हा कलेचा जन्मभराचा.  
चालेल, अंगी श्वास नसला जरी,  
कलाकाराला रसिकांची दाद हवी असते खरी.  
प्रेक्षकांच्या समुद्रात उसळूदे कलाकाराच्या मनोरंजनाची लाट खरी,  
आजन्म मी कलाकार आणि कलेचा पुजारी.

सुजय बागवे  
बारावी कला

## मन मनास शोधत फिरते...



मन मनास शोधत फिरते  
गेलं जरी दूर कितीही  
ओलावा संपत नसतो  
भेट नं झाली तरीही  
पडलेल्या प्रथम सरींचा  
मृदगंध कसा दरवळतो  
बरसल्या सरी कितीही  
तरी गंध मनातच असतो  
कधी मैफिलीत ते शिरते  
कुणी गात विराणी असते  
मनही अंतर्मुख होते  
मैफिलंच त्याची बनते  
अवचित ते जाऊन बसते  
अशाच एकट जागी  
स्वप्नातच रमूनही जाते  
वास्तवाला विसरून बसते  
माणूस असो की मन ते  
चक्रातच फिरत रहाते  
सरली जरी वर्षे कितीही  
मन मनास शोधतच फिरते...

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# Book Review & Film Review



## चालायचंच मला Hospitality

श्री. विद्याधर बागूल यांचे “चालायचंच मला” हे ६० पानांचे पुस्तक एकदा वाचण्यासाठी हातात घेतले की वाचून पूर्ण केल्याखेरीज खाली ठेवत नाही. त्याचे महत्वाचे कारण म्हणजे अंत्यत प्रामाणिकपणे आपल्याला आलेले अनुभव साधी सोपी सरळ सबळ समजणारी निरलंकृत अशी भाषाशैली, भराभर जुळत जाणारी एकूण ११ प्रकरणे प्रत्येक प्रकरणात वेगवेगळे अनुभव, वेगळ्या हॉटेल संबंधीची माहिती व त्याचबरोबर त्यातील कस्टमर, मालक, कामगार यांचे सोबत निर्माण झालेले जवळचे मैत्रीचे संबंध संपूर्ण माहितीचे खरे आणि प्रामाणिकपणे उलगडले जाणारे स्वरूप आणि निर्णय घेण्याची धाडसी क्षमता हे सर्व वाचकांसमोर आणले आहे.

हे पुस्तक सुरू होते ते एका नामांकित ओबेरॉय हॉटेल मधील एका वेटरच्या नोकरीपासून दहावीची परिक्षा आणि नोकरी अशी पार्श्वभूमी सांगत सांगतच संपूर्ण रणथंबोर पर्यतचा प्रवास सुयोग्य रितीने मांडला आहे. भारतात तसेच भारताबाहेरील असणाऱ्या ऑबेसेटर पंचतारांकित प्रमुख हॉटेलचा समाचार विस्ताराने घेतला आहे, विद्यार्थी दशेत असताना कामाला सुरुवात केली परंतु काकाने दिलेला मोलाचा सल्ला म्हणून तू मेहनत करतोस ना, मग कसली लाज ? हे खरे प्रत्येक विद्यार्थ्याने, वाचकाने लक्षात ठेवायला हवे असंच आहे. त्या व्यतिरिक्त इंग्रजी शिकण्यासाठी मिड डे आणि आफ्टरनून पेपर घे, हे सांगणारे काका आता नाहीत, परंतु मी देखील एक वाचक त्या दिवशीचा मिड डे आणि आफ्टरनून पेपर घेतला. खरोखरीच मला त्यातील भाषा सोपी वाटली अशा मोलाचा सल्ला देणाऱ्या व्यक्ती ही त्यांना भेटल्या. तसेच मराठी शिकविणाऱ्या बाई, अजित वाडेकर मोठ्या मनाचा माणूस त्यांचे सांगितलेले मोठेपण, अटल बिहारी वाजपेयी ना दिलेली सर्फिस अशाच प्रकारे असे अनेक नामवंताना दिलेली सर्फिस !

मुंबईतील पहिले हॉटेल ऑबेरॉय येथे वेटर म्हणून सरांचे एका मोठ्याच हॉटेलचे मॅनेजर पदावर विराजमान होणे व नंतर रणथंबोर पर्यतचा प्रवासात भेटलेल्या मान्यवर व्यक्तीचा अनुभव यात वर्णन केला आहे.

इतके जॉब्स बदलणे आणि पुढच्याचा धाडसाने निर्णय घेणे हे अवघड काम करताना श्री. विद्याधर बागूल यांनीच हॉटेलचे संपूर्ण वर्णन तेथील अनुभव व माहिती दिली. हे पुस्तक माहिती वजा हॉटेलच्या एकूण वागणुकी व उच्च हॉटेलच्या कार्यपद्धती आढावा, पार्श्वभूमी, सुयोग्य रितीने मांडलेली आहेत.

तटस्थपणाने खंबीर राहून अनुभवाचा हवाला दिला. आपल्या अनुभवातील पेनगिरीचा पांग्या, NRC, हॉटेल ऑबेरॉय, झांझीबार शिपवर मुंबई कुटुंबात शिपएअर इलाईट कॅटरिंग मोगाडिशू पुन्हा शेफएअर सेटॉर नंतरची भरारी आणि शेवटी अजून चालतेची वाट अशा एकूण ११ प्रकरणातून आपल्या कारकिर्दीचा आणि जीवनाचा आढावा वाचकांसमोर प्रामाणिक ठेवण्याचा अर्थबोध पूर्ण आहे. यातील एका प्रसंगात तर जेव्हा ते भारतात परत आले हे तसे जिकिरीचे काम मोठ्या हिमतीने व जिद्दीने प्रयत्नाने आणि हुशारीने प्रवास केला यात मदत झालेल्यांचे त्यांनी कृतज्ञता पूर्वक नमूद केलेले आहे.

काही पुस्तक एखाद्या वेगळ्या भावनेने लिहिलेले असतात, काही विषयानुसार परंतु केवळ व्यवसायात असलेले नवनवीन अनुभवावरून लिहिलेले माहिती प्राधान असे आहे. वाचनाची आवड असणारी वाचक, तसेच क्षेत्राशी निगडित असणाऱ्यांसाठी एक थिलींग अनुभव म्हणून दर्जेदार ग्रंथ आहे. हा व्यवसाय स्विकारणाऱ्यांना हा खुपच उपयुक्त ठरेल व यातून बऱ्याच गोष्टी शिकायला मिळतील. मुखपृष्ठावरून पुस्तका विषयीची आकर्षितता अधिक वाढायला लागते. पुस्तकाच्या सुरुवातीला कविता Stopping By Woods....Evening.

प्रा. विनय आपटे सरांचा आचार संहिता आणि नियम मी खूप जवळून गेली पंधरा वर्षे पाहत आहे. प्रत्येक शब्द तपासल्याशिवाय ते पुढे जात नाहीत. प्रत्येक वाक्याला संदर्भ आणि संदर्भग्रंथ लागतात तेव्हा अशा सरांच्या मार्गदर्शनाखाली “चालायचंच मला” ती जन्मकथाच्या उद्याच्या प्रावासाचे म्हणजेच हस्तलिखित ते प्रेसकाँपी डमी - आणि प्रुफ रिडिंग फायनल काँपी पर्यंतचा प्रवास अर्थात भारत ते विदेश भ्रमण असा मोठा अवाका फक्त (६०) पानांत त्यांच्या आचार संहिता व नियमाप्रमाणे व नेमकेपणाने मांडणी बदल असे म्हणावेसे वाटते. वाटेल ते म्हणजे “घागर में सागर.”

शिर्षक : Hospitality चालायचंच मला

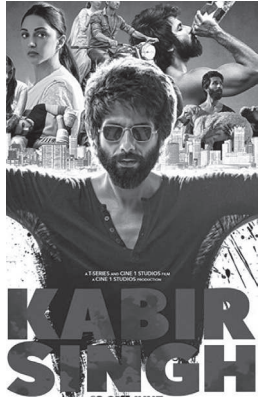
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## "Projection of Love, Sex and Addiction in Films and Literature"



Young generation's/ teen agers' idea of love, relationships, sex, addiction etc is crucially informed by a huge corpus of films, T.V serials, Netflix and various forms of social media. In the post-postmodern scenario, under the guise of liberalism, projection of violence, sex and love has become very open, at times bizarre. Strongly

influenced by this, the young minds, while battling with the physical and emotional turbulence get perplexed by the strain between traditional value system and an attractive exposure outside, so also issues like public display of love, pre-marital sex, commitments and choices in relationships, friend circle, addiction etc. Against this back drop, with the help of the screening of a Bollywood-hit, Kabir Singh, the organizers encouraged the students to think, express, interact with the experts and sort out their doubts/issues regarding medical facts of addiction, help groups for DE-addiction, understanding the psychological analysis of the character traits of Kabir Singh, dangers of imitating heroes like him, possible sexual exploitation of girl students due to wrong choices, etc. There is a dire need to analyze the rationale behind real life choices regarding life partner, free will for physical intimacy etc. It is equally essential to study the possible adverse effects of unequal, non-reciprocal and co-dependent equation in relationships which may lead to the all-round exploitation of teenagers. Social media and its use add fuel to fire.

Kabir Singh is a story of star-crossed lovers where the protagonist, Kabir Singh is a surgeon who spirals into self-destruction when his girlfriend, Preeti leaves him desperately. The film's soulful music makes it appealing leaving many issues unanswered. It is a 2019 Bollywood hit that glorifies misogyny and toxic masculinity. It's a saga of obsessive love celebrating

alcoholism, struggles, failures and flaws of alpha-male who feel territorial entitlement. Hence, in spite of criticism, the critics could not ignore the film. Handling of anger management and addiction were the major issues that prompted the organisers to select this film.

After distributed among screening the film, a questionnaire was the students. Although the questions were based on Kabir Singh, the focus of the questions was on the psychoanalysis of the protagonist, his addiction to alcohol and drugs, relationship with the female protagonist, ethics of the profession, limitations of friendship, effects of addiction on individual's career, profession, marriage, familial relationships, marriage etc. The students were made psychologically comfortable to receive the experts bringing back the focus from the entertainment to psychoanalysis as a technique in literary criticism and their problems of relationship.

Students were enlightened about how to monitor emotions, alcoholism is a disease and Alcoholics Anonymous is the organisation that helps alcoholics to get sober. A member of A. A. brought out all the aspects of the disease providing them a helpline number. While Dr Aman Bhosale analysed the character of Kabir Singh making bare the psychological disorders in his personality. He also left the word of advice to girl students while making the choices in relationships. Personal sharing of experiences and theme based PPTs with demonstrations were given by both the chief guests. Question & Answer session gave outlet to student doubts which were cleared by the experts. Students' enthusiastic involvement reflected their interest in and need of such exercise. Films, being very influential medium needs to be monitored and students should be made aware of its impact on their minds. An inter-collegiate workshop that was organised by Department of English with the help of Department of Psychology did justice to its core objectives.

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# Obituary



## सुमनांजली

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कीर्ती महाविद्यालयाच्या कनिष्ठ विभागातील सतत खळखळणारे हास्यमय व्यक्तिमत्व म्हणजे रत्ना मॅडम. मराठी विषयाच्या प्राध्यापिका. विद्यार्थीप्रिय, आणि विद्यार्थ्यांवर तितकंच प्रेम करणारी शिक्षिका. भायखळ्याच्या सामान्य कुटुंबात जन्मलेली, आई-वडील, बहिण-भावंड्यांच्या गोतावळ्यात रत्ना मोठी झाली. त्यामुळे गरिबीची चव चाखलेली, त्यामुळे कीर्तीत येणाऱ्या सामान्य विद्यार्थ्यांविषयी प्रचंड आत्मीयता आणि वात्सल्य.

आई, महानगरपालिकेतील शिस्तप्रिय शिक्षिका असल्यामुळे रत्नावर आईचा प्रभाव अतिशय जास्त होता. वडिल खाजगी सेवेत होते. पण स्वतःच्या कष्टाने, मेहनतीने शालेय आणि महाविद्यालयीन शिक्षण पूर्ण केले. पी.एच. डी. करण्याचा प्रयत्न केला, पण कौटुंबिक अडचणींमुळे ते अर्धवट राहिले. रत्नाची आणि माझी आवड सारखीच. विद्यार्थ्यांसाठी काहीतरी करायचे, समाजसेवेत रमायचे. रत्नामॅडमने जवळपास २० वर्षे NSS (राष्ट्रीय सेवा योजनेत) काम केले. प्रकल्प अधिकारीपासून विभागीय समन्वयक पर्यंत काम केले. सर्व सहकाऱ्यांशी हसून-खेळून काम करायचे हीच तिची पद्धत NSS च्या निमित्ताने मी २०११-१२ मध्ये वरिष्ठ महाविद्यालयाच्या NSS प्रकल्प अधिकारी म्हणून जबाबदारी स्विकारली आणि पुढील ५ वर्षे कशी निघून गेली हे समजले नाही. तिच्यामुळेच मला कनिष्ठ महाविद्यालयातील बऱ्याच शिक्षकांची ओळख झाली. पुढे त्याची परिणती घनिष्ठ कौटुंबिक संबंधात झाली.



रत्ना मॅडम 'उत्कृष्ट प्रकल्प अधिकारी' पुरस्कार मिळाला. कीर्ती महाविद्यालयाच्या NSS युनिटला 'उत्कृष्ट NSS युनिट'चा पुरस्कारही मिळाला. भूगोल विभागाचे प्रमुख आणि उपप्राचार्य हेमंत पेडणेकर यांच्या मार्गदर्शनाखाली त्यांनी काम केले, नंतर सॅम्युअल मॅथ्युसर यांच्याबरोबरदेखील NSS ची धुरा वाहिली. मराठी विभागातील प्रमुख अनिल तपासे सर, माधुरी जोग मॅडम, प्रतिभा बिस्वास मॅडम या सर्वांबरोबर अगदी खेळीमेळीने अध्यापनाचे काम केले.

अतिशय प्रसन्न आणि मिश्रिकल स्वभाव, सहज संवाद साधण्याची कला, नेहमीच प्रफुल्लित आणि सळसळता उत्साह या तिच्या व्यक्तिमत्त्वामुळे अनोळख्या, नविन शिक्षक-शिक्षिकांमध्ये ही त्या प्रिय होत्या. कॉलेजच्या सांस्कृतिक कार्यक्रमात निवेदन करणे असो की भाग घेणे, तिथे ही त्या आघाडीवर होत्या. या सर्व धावपळीत त्यांना सावलीप्रमाणे साथ दिली ती पति श्री. शैलेश सावर्डेकर यांनी. NSS च्या वार्षिक शिबिरामध्ये शैलेश सावर्डेकरदेखील पूर्ण काळ सोबत असायचे.

त्यांचा मधुमेहाचा त्रास गेल्या ४-५ वर्षांत खूपच वाढला होता. त्यातच त्यांनी गोंडस अशा कन्येला जन्म दिला, पण अप्रगल्भ प्रसुती झाल्यामुळे रत्ना मॅडमची तब्येत नंतर खालावर गेली. त्यांची चिमुकली तीन महिन्यांतच देवाघरी गेल्यामुळे तो त्यांना मोठा मानसिक धक्का होता. त्यानंतर हृदयविकाराचा त्रास सुरू झाला. अशाही परिस्थितीत त्यांनी आपले अध्यापनाचे कर्तव्य चोखपणे बजावले. त्यांच्या मराठी विभागातील सहकारी आणि इतर शिक्षकांनी मदत केली. परंतु नंतर आजार खूपच बळावला आणि वयाच्या अवघ्या ५१ व्या वर्षी २२ जुलै २०१९ रोजी त्यांनी अखेरचा श्वास घेतला. समाजसेवी वृत्तीचे सदाबहार, सतेज, संवेदनक्षम व्यक्तिमत्व काळाच्या पडद्याआड गेले. रत्ना मॅडमच्या लखलखीत आणि प्रेरक स्मृतीस मनःपूर्वक अभिवादन.

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Inauguration of Kirti Karandak  
Kho-Kho Competition



Kirti Karandak Kho-Kho Competition  
Men in action



Kirti Karandak Kabaddi Competition  
Men in action



Kirti Karandak Kabaddi Competition  
Men in action



Prize Distribution of Kirti Karandak,  
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Kirti Karandak Kho-Kho Competition  
Men in action

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Prize Distribution function of  
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← Prize Distribution function of  
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giving away prizes at  
Annual Prize Distribution Competition



Individual Prize Winners of  
N.S.S. Activities

## Special Achievements



**Dr. Aruna Khamkar**  
Awarded Ph.D. in Political Science by  
University of Mumbai



**Dr. Sampada Margaj**  
Awarded Ph.D. in Computer Science by  
University of Mumbai



**Dhiraj Kamble** won several prizes at various intercollegiate events – best actor in comedy role – INT, best actor award at RIT State level one act play, First Prize Umbartha, Rangavardhan, Advait, Uttunga, Atal etc.

**Prof. Ankush Dalvi** is appointed as  
NSS Area coordinator for Mumbai district  
for the year 2019-20







**Sakshi Andhare** won Best Speaker award at Lala Lajpatrai College event, Sahyadri 2019



**Omkar Mhatre and Megha K.** won Talking Titans organised by Vivekanand Education Society



FY-BAMMC student **Pawan Yadav** won Best Designer Global Entertainment award Delhi 2019-20 and got 6 months' modelling contract.



**Rushikesh More**, Contingent Leader of Kirti Cultural Team. Under his leadership, our college has bagged 7 overall Intercollegiate Championship trophies



**Dipika Mahajan** won Queen of South Mumbai Beauty Pageant Contest 2019



**Himani Parab** won Shiv Chhatrapati Award in Mallakhamb Category



# NATIONAL CONFERENCE



**IQAC organized National Symposium on " IPR: A Prerequisite in Higher Education and Research.**







**Multidisciplinary National Seminar on Tribal Literature was Organised by Marathi Department**



# Alumni meet 2020





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