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**Principal's Desk** 

#### **Examination Matters**

Examinations provide a systematic way to evaluate a student's understanding of the material taught. They assess the extent to which students have grasped the concepts, theories, and practical applications presented in the course. Assessments offer valuable feedback to both students and educators. Students can identify their strengths and weaknesses, allowing them to focus on areas that need improvement. Educators can adjust their teaching methods based on the performance of students. Examinations serve as a measure of academic progress over time. They help track the development of students' knowledge and skills, allowing for a comprehensive assessment of their growth throughout the educational journey. Examinations contribute to the overall quality assurance of educational institutions and systems. They serve as a standardized way to ensure that students are meeting predetermined academic standards and that the educational process is effective.

The prospect of examinations motivates students to engage with the learning material. Examinations set clear goals and deadlines, encouraging students to stay focused and committed to their studies. Examinations simulate real-world challenges where individuals are required to apply their knowledge and skills under pressure. This prepares students for future endeavors, including professional settings where deadlines and performance expectations exist. Assessments hold both students and educators accountable. Students are accountable for their efforts and engagement in the learning process, while educators are accountable for delivering effective instruction and evaluating student progress fairly.

Examination results can highlight areas where the curriculum may need adjustment or improvement. Educators can use this information to refine teaching methods, update content, and ensure the relevance of the curriculum. In toto examinations and assessments serve as integral components of the educational system, contributing to the holistic development of students, maintaining educational standards, and preparing individuals for future challenges in both academic and professional spheres.

#### Dr B A Kumar Hegde, Principal





## **Programmes Organised**

• ಕನ್ನಡ ಸಾಂಸ್ಕೃತಿಕ ಸಂವರ್ಧನೆ ಮತ್ತು ಭಾಷಾಂತರಕಾರರು: Department of Kannada in association with

Kannada University Hampi organised a two-day National Conference on "ಕನ್ನಡ ಸಾಂಸ್ಕೃತಿಕ

ਲਾਨਰੋਸਟਿਤੀ ਗੱਤ ਪ੍ਰਾਫ਼ਾਨਰੋਰ ਕਾਰ ਦੀ ਇਸ Sri Siddhavan Gurukula on 22 and 23 November 2023.

Dr D Veerendra Heggade, The Dharmadhikari of Sri Kshetra Dharmasthala inaugurated the Conference. Speaking on the occasion, he said "Translation is a complex process that requires deep understanding of both the source language and the target language. It is also a creative act that can help to promote cultural understanding. Translators deserve national recognition for their important work."



 Dr M Mohan Alva, Chairman of the Alva's Education Foundation, Moodbidri was the chief guest. He said that India's diversity of cultures and languages is its strength. Translators play a key role in preserving this diversity. Dr Sathishchandra S, Secretary of SDME Society, Presided over the inaugural programmeDr A Mohana Kuntar, Programme Coordinator introduced the conference to the audience. Dr B A Kumar Hegde, Principal of the College welcomed the gathering.





- Dr DV Paramashivamurthy, Vice Chancellor of Hampi Kannada University presided over the valedictory function. He said that the universities should reach out to rural areas by organizing events such as translation conferences. He argued that such events can help to stimulate intellectual growth among young people.
- Sri Agrahara Krishnamurthy, acclaimed Kannada writer and former Secretary of Kendra Sahitya Academy in his closing remarks said that translation is often a process of trial and error. They can help to lead to new and innovative translations. It is a complex art, and it is important to be open to new ideas and to be willing to experiment."



 The conference was attended by over 100 participants including students, scholars, and translators. It featured presentations by leading scholars and translators from India in six sessions. The Department of Kannada of the College Coordinated the Programme.





#### Kaladeepa 2023

Department of Arts organised Kaladeepa2023 an intraclass cultural bonanza on 28 November 2023. The programme was inaugurated by Mr Mohan Kumar, owner of Laxmi Groups and Founder of Baduku Kattona Banni, Ujire. In his inaugural address, he remarked that the students must be involved in social service and activities. Dr B A Kumar Hegde, Principal of the College presided over the Programme. Dr Sanmathi Kumar, HOD of History briefed about the significance of Deepavali festival and welcomed all the guests to the august gathering. On behalf of the Arts Department Mr Mohan Kumar was felicitated for his achievements. Dr Shalip Kumari A P, Registrar, all HoDs, Faculty Members of Arts, Ms Prathiksha, Student Union Secretary and all arts students were present on this occasion. Rangoli, Skit, Folk Dance, Folk Song, Pot Painting, Lantern Making interclass competition and cultural Programmes were organized. Ms Manasa and Ms Sinchana Mastered the Ceremony. Ms. Vidyashree proposed a vote of thanks. Dr Sanmathi Kumar coordinated the Programme.







#### Mangalore University Inter Collegiate Men Inter Zone Volleyball Tournament

The Mangalore University and Department of Physical Education jointly organised the "Mangalore University Inter Collegiate Men Inter Zone Volleyball Tournament" at Sri D Rathnavarma Heggade Stadium, Ujire, on 29 November 2023. The chief guest, Mr Yesudas P T, inaugurated the tournament. Dr Satheeshchandra S, Secretary, SDME Society, and Dr B A Kumar Hegde, Principal of the College, presided over the programme. A total of 8 teams from Mangalore and Udupi zones participated in this tournament. The programme was coordinated by Mr Ramesh H, Ms Sharada and Mr Sudeena, Physical Education Directors.



#### Interclass Event "GURUTVA 2023"

The Department of Physics organised the Interclass Competition "GURUTVA 2023". Dr B A Kumara Hegde, Principal of the College, inaugurated this programme. The inaugurator opined that competitions of this kind inculcate self-motivation and soft skills among the students. Prof S N Kakathkar, Head, explained the objectives of the programme. Competitions such as Smruthi Pariksha, Tarka Sangraha, Vijnana Vihara, etc., were conducted. Dr Vishwanatha P, Dean of PG Studies, SDM PG Centre, Ujire, distributed the prizes in the valedictory programme. II BSc students were the overall winners. Ms Apeksha, Assistant Professor, coordinated the programme. Around 200 students participated in the programme.





#### Inauguration of Youth Red Cross Unit

The inaugural function of the Youth Red Cross Unit was held on 23 October 2023 at the SDMC seminar hall. Dr B A Kumar Hegde, Principal of the College, presided over the programme and addressed the students. The resource person was Dr Rathnavathi K, HOD, Department of Commerce, who gave detailed information about the Red Cross to the children. Students of the Red Cross and



coordinator Manjushree also participated in the Programme.

SDM Nenapinangala: In the series of events organised by the Old Students Association of teh College, Dr. M M DayakarDentist, Ujire spoke to the students on 25 November 2023. He recollected his experiences of the campus and wished the students every success in all their future endeavours. Dr B A Kumar Hegde, Principal of the College presided over the programme. Dr M P



Srinath, Assistant Professor of Kannada Coordinated the programme. Prof. S N Kakathkar, Vice Principal, staff and students of the College were present on the occasion. Gowda Sujith Surya was honoured with a scholarship on the occasion. The college felicitated Dr Dayakar for his commendable contributions to societal development on the occasion.





## Workshops

#### Workshop on 'News, Media and Marketing' held at SDM PG Centre, Ujire

The Department of Journalism and Mass Communication in association with Vijayavaniorganised one day workshop on 'News, Media and Marketing' on 10 November at SDM PG Centre, Ujire. The workshop featured Division Editor of Mangalore Bureau Surendra Wagle and Chief Sub Editor of Vijayavani, Mangalore Balamurli Krishna as the resource persons. Surendra Wagle specifically addressed the role of journalists in the print media and said, 'A Journalist must be multitasking and should possess strong skills such as hold on language and ability to perceive new things. He also emphasized on how to develop sources for the news stories.' Addressing the gathering Balamurli Krishna threw lights on the insights of news editing and the operation of news desk. The students were given with practical task in the afternoon session.

The Programme was coordinated by Dr. Hampesh KS. Dr Bhaskar Hegde Head of the Department, welcomed the guests and proposed a vote of thanks. Student of II JMC Mr Shivakumar compered the event.

 The Department of BVoc in Retail and Supply Chain Management, in association with ED Cell, organised a Three Day Boot Camp on "Stimulating Entrepreneurial Spirit" on 28 and 29 November 2023. Around seven successful entrepreneurs interacted with the students to stimulate the spirit of entrepreneurship in them. Mrs Monica and Dr B A Kumara Hegde, Principal of the



College, inaugurated the programme. Ms Swathi and Mr Suman Jain, Coordinators of ED Cell, Mr Suveer Jain, BVoc Course Coordinator, Mr Praveena D and Mr Shashank B S, Assistant Professors, were present during the inauguration. Mr Ashwith H R, Head, Department of BVoc in Retail and Supply Chain Management, coordinated the programme. III BVoc, UG and PG students participated in the workshop.





 The Department of Commerce organised a workshop on "Personality Development" with an aim to enhance participants' personal skills, focusing on communication, self-confidence, and interpersonal relationships. Engaging sessions were conducted to foster interactive learning, allowing participants to participate and apply concepts in real-life



scenarios actively. Various activities and exercises boosted participants' self-confidence, encouraging them to step out of their comfort zones and develop a positive self-image. Strategies for coping with stress and maintaining mental well-being were discussed. Team-building exercises were conducted to promote collaboration, communication, and trust among participants, fostering a positive and cohesive group dynamic. Practical tips and tools for effective time management were shared. The importance of personal branding and creating a positive professional identity was highlighted, guiding participants on effectively showcasing their strengths and skills. Ms Fathima Safira, Assistant Professor, coordinated the programme.

The Department of lournalism Mass and Communication of the College, Ujire, in association with Media the Alumni Association of Mangalagangothri (MAAM), organised a State Level Workshop on 'Hyper Local Media: Operation and Sustainability' on 29 November 2023 at the Seminar Hall of the College. The President of the



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MAAM Association, Naveen Ammembala and the Honorary President of MAAM Venu Sharma were the guests of honour. The President of the Suddi Group of Companies and Editor of Suddi Bidugade, Dr U P Shivanandh, inaugurated the Workshop. Dr B A Kumar Hegde, Principal of the College, presided over the programme. The workshop commenced with a session on 'Hyper Local Media Commercial Perspective: Market Strategy for Revenue Model' conducted by Venu Sharma, Management Consultant, Founder and CEO of Myantharathma organisation, Mangaluru. The second session was led by Sharath Hegde, Head of Shwetha Initiative, Bangalore. He provided a



comprehensive overview of the topic 'Hyper Local Media Creating Thriving Ecosystem.' Suresh Puduvettu, CEO and Chief Editor of Day2Day News, Mangaluru, delivered an insightful lecture on 'Short News in the Digital Age.' Venu Vinod K.S, Chief Reporter of Udayavani, Mangaluru, highlighted 'Prospective and Challenges of Hyper-Local Media.'

• Women Grievance Redressal Cell, Internal Complaints Committee with IQAC and Women Development Cell organised a "Self Defence" workshop on 24 November 2023. Mr Kaarthik S Kateel, founder of Swaraksha for Women Trust(R), Kateel, Mangalore, was the resource person. He has given Awareness about Cyber Crimes, Precautionary measures, Demonstration of self-defence techniques, etc. Lt. Ms Shubharani, Asst. Professor, Department of English, was the chief guest of this Programme. She said that generally, whenever the women are put in any hassle conditions, the fear will refuse them to fight against the men. So, instead of being scared, you can find a comfortable life with the help of self-defence. A woman who can defend herself against a potential criminal will have high self-confidence. Ms Ruchira, II B.Sc., done the master of ceremony. Ms Thithiksha of II B.Sc. introduced the guest to the audience. The programme benefited 150 students. Teaching and non-teaching staff also witnessed the programme, coordinated by Ms Ganavi D and Ms Akshatha Jain.

### **Day Celebrations**

The Department of Chemistry celebrated "Chemistry Week - Molecule Mania" from 6 November to 11 November 2023 with the theme "Chemistry making the world a better place". This programme was inaugurated on 6 November 2023 by Dr Savitha Kumari, Dean of Science. Prof Shashishekar N Kakathkar, Vice Principal, was the chief guest. A general science prelims quiz - "Quizfiesta", open for science and PU students- was conducted on the same day. Around 15 PU and 35 UG students participated in this event. On 7 November, "Run Bun Fun" - a thrilling fun game with intelligence- was conducted. On 8 November, a face painting competition - "Magic Mask" for science students with the theme "Say No to Plastic" was conducted. Quiz finals were conducted on 9 November. A lab event - "Pure Genius" for non-science students, was conducted, followed by a valedictory and prize distribution function. Dr Shreesha N Nayak, Assistant Professor, was the chief guest. All the



faculty members of the department were also present. Ms Ganavi D, Assistant Professor, coordinated the programme.

- The Department of History organised the inauguration of "Saptha Charitha Save Historical Heritage Week on 24 November 2023. Dr B Jagadeesha Shetty, Administrative Officer, Rastra Kavi Govinda Pai Research Centre, Udupi, was the inaugurator. In his inaugural speech, he said, "It is our duty to protect our ancient inscriptions, monuments and also preserve our law, tradition, religious beliefs and food habits is our prime responsibility". Dr B A Kumar Hegde, Principal of the College, presided over the programme and said that ancient customs and messages of history are the base for understanding present history. Dr Sanmathi Kumar, the head, briefed us about the Saptha Charithra programme and welcomed the gathering. Around 120 History students attended the programme.
- The Department of Political Science, in association with the NSS Unit, organised a "Constitutional Day" celebration on 25 November 2023. Dr Shalip, Head, Department of Political Science, was the resource person. Students of the Political Science Department and NSS volunteers attended the programme.



 The Youth Red Cross Unit organised competitions like Quiz, Essay writing and Poster making for the students of the Youth Red Cross Unit on account of the Gandhi Jayanthi celebration on 30 September 2023. Around 90 students participated in the event.





## **Guest Lectures/Special Talk**

- The Department of Political Science organised a talk on "Importance of Education" for Sri Dharmasthala Manjunatheshwara Sangha, Kinnigoli, on 11 November 2023. Ms Meenakshi, the Anganawadi Teacher, was the resource person. Mr Venu H R, Mr Ashik, Ms Shravya and Ms Padmashree N, I BA, participated in the programme. Around eight members attended the session.
- The Department of Political Science organised a talk on "Women Empowerment" for Sri Dharmasthala Manjunatheshwara Sangha, Kuvettu, on 11 November 2023. Ms Asha, Anganawadi Teacher, was the resource person. Mr Ginder Sharanappa, Mr Parthiban, Mr Suresh, Mr Praveen, Mr Sonapal, and Ms Soujanya, I BA, participated in the programme. Around ten members attended the session.
- SDM-Rotary Career Guidance and Placement (HRD) Centre, Department of Commerce and Computer Science organised a Special Talk on "Artificial Intelligence for Business Administration" to BCom, BCA and BBA final year students on 28 November 2023. Dr Vivek Misra, Associate Professor, Alliance University, Bangalore, and Dr Balaji, Training and Placement Officer, Alliance University, Bangalore, were the resource persons for the programme. 254 BCom, BCA & BBA final year students benefited from the programme.







## **Alumni Interactions**

- The Department of Computer Science organised alumni interactions by Mr Arun K, Software Developer UI, Sacumen, Bengalure, Mr Abhista N, Software Engineer, UniCourtInc, Mangaluru, Mr Hafeez P P, Senior Software Engineer, Raasoft Infotech, Mangaluru, and Mr Vinod Thomas, Software Engineer, Poncontra, Dubai. They shared their experience and motivated students on how to grab job in the IT sector and what are the required qualities and skills, and how to prepare for interviews. II BCA students attended the session.
- The PG Department of Physics organised an Alumni Interaction for I and II MSc students on 28 November 2023. Dr Ranjith Kumar (2014-16 batch), a postdoctoral researcher at IITB, Mumbai, was the resource person. Dr Ranjith spoke to students about future opportunities and areas of research and jobs for Physics students.
- The Department of PG Studies and Research in Social Work organised an Alumni Interaction with Mr Adarsh, Trainee HR Assistant, DCX Systems LTD, Bangalore, on 25 November 2023. Dr Dhaneshwari coordinated the interaction.







### **Student Lecture Series**

- The Department of PG Studies and Research in Biotechnology organised the Student Lecture Series under the co-curricular committee on 15 November 2023. Mr Shashikanth Patil, II M.Sc Biotechnology, delivered a lecture on "Climate Resilient Crops". He spoke about Climate-resilient crops play a pivotal role in mitigating the adverse effects of climate change on global food security key characteristics of climate-resilient crops by taking a few case studies. Ms Chaithra, II M.Sc Biotechnology, hosted the Master of Ceremony, Ms Sneha of II M.Sc Biotechnology welcomed the gathering and Ms Shreya, II M.Sc Biotechnology, proposed a vote of thanks. A total of 32 students from various PG departments attended the Programme.
- The Department of PG Studies and Research in Commerce and Co-Curricular Committee organised a Student Lecture Series on 23 November 2023. Ms Masuda, Assistant Professor and Staff Coordinator of the Student Lecture Series, Mr Shreyas Gowda, II M.Com, spoke on "Digital Marketing". Dr Akshatha K., Coordinator, Co-curricular Committee, was present during the session.

### Lab in Cab Programmes

 The Department of Botany organised a Lab in Cab programme for the Eighth Standard Government Higher Primary School students, Kanyadi-II. Mr Abhilash K S and Ms Manjushree K, Assistant Professors, coordinated the programme. Ms Aniga P S, Ms Mandara, Ms Poornima S and Ms Varsha J, III BSc, demonstrated experiments like 'Suction due to Transpiration', 'Cyclolysis in Hydrilla leaf', 'Structure of stomata', and '



Preparation of stained temporary mount of onion peel cells'. 'Anatomy of Dicot Stem and Monocot stem' was explained and visualised by students using a compound Microscope. Around 55 students participated in the programme.





### **Orientation/Awareness Programmes**

 The Department of BVoc in Retail and Supply Chain Management organised an awareness programme on "BVoc Courses" for II PU Commerce students of SDM PU College, Ujire, on 17 November 2023. Mr Ashwith H R, Head, Department of BVoc in Retail and Supply Chain Management, was the resource person.



- The Department of Commerce organised a "CMA US" orientation programme for I B Com students on 23 November 2023. Mr Mark Brandon Vernum and Mr Raj Arjun were the resource persons. Dr Rathnavathi K, Head, and the coordinators were in the programme. Around 180 students attended the session.
- The Department of PG Studies and Research in Commerce organised an awareness programme on the "Indian Postal Service Scheme" on 8 November 2023. Mr Guruprasad K S, Marketing Officer, Puttur Postal Division, was the resource person for this awareness programme. All the Department of PG Studies and Research in Commerce faculty members were present during the programme.





Resource person briefed about various schemes Programm. Students of II M Com, II M Com (IBM), I M.Com and I M Com (IBM) participated in the awareness programme.





 The co-curricular Committee of the college organised the "Orientation Programme for the Student Faculty". The resource person of the programme was Prof S N Kakathkar, Vice Principal of the College. Resource person-oriented the student-faculty members. In his orientation talk, he spoke on student-faculty and tips to be a good



teacher. DrAkshatha K., Coordinator of the Co-curricular Committee, welcomed the gathering, and Dr Sujay M M, member of the co-curricular committee, proposed a vote of thanks. Twenty-two Student Faculties were present during the orientation programme.

 The Youth Red Cross Unit organised an Orientation programme for the first-year students of the Youth Red Cross on 16 September 2023. About Youth Red Cross Unit, aims and objectives as well as activities conducted by the Unit has been informed to the students. A total of 200 students attended the programme.







### **Career Guidance Programmes**

 The Department of PG Studies and Research in Commerce organised a career guidance programme on "Project Shakthi and Project Uthkarsh by SBI Life" on 9 November. Mr Adithya Rao, Business Manager, SBI Life Puttur, was the resource person of this career guidance programme. All the Department of PG



Studies and Research in Commerce faculty members were present during the programme. He guided how careers and jobs differed and explained how to improve with various skills. This programme taught everyone about various exams available in the banking and insurance sectors. Students of II M Com, II M Com (IBM), I M Com and I M Com (IBM) participated in this Career Guidance Programme.

## Internship

 The Department of BVoc in Retail and Supply Chain Management inaugurated a 10-day Film Making Internship at SDM PG Centre, Ujire, on 23 November 2023. Around 26 students from Alvas College, Moodbidri participated in this internship. Mr Ashwith H R, Head, coordinated the programme





## **Community-Oriented/Extension Activities**

- The Department of Economics and Rural Development organised an extension activity on "Rain Water Harvesting" for the high school students of SDM Aided Secondary School on 10 November 2023. III BA students participated in the programme.
- The Department of Economics and Rural Development organised an extension activity on "Water Conservation" for the students of GLPS Katte Rekhya on 29 November 2023. III BA students participated in the programme.
- The youth Red Cross unit, in association with NSS, Lions Club Belthangady, and KMC Mangalore, organised a Blood Donation Camp at the College. In total, 225 units of blood have been collected.
- Student social Work trainees placed at Tannirupantha Grama Panchayath organised Community Extension Programme at Government High School, Karaya, on 16 November 2023.



 The Student Social Work trainees of the First Semester MSW placed at Kokkada Grama Panchayath organised a one-day programme on "Menstrual Health" for High School Girls of Government High School, Kokkada, on 29 November 2023.





 The Department of PG Studies and Research in Social Work, in association with Anganavadi Kendra, Sulkeri Mogru, organised a recreational programme for Anganavadi children. The programme was held on 15 November 2023 at Anganavadi Kendra, Sulkeri Mogru. The programme was organised by Chithra, Priya and Adarsh KH (I MSW students). Dr Athul S Semitha, Assistant Professor, Department of PG Studies and Research in Social Work, was the staff member in charge.

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 The Department of PG Studies and Research in Social Work, in association with Anganavadi Kendra, Bangerakatte, and Madantyaru, organised a recreational programme for Anganavadi children. The programme was held on 15 November 2023 at Anganavadi Kendra, Bangerakatte, Madantyaru. The programme was organised by Shahid Afridi, Viana V Pais, Ramitha and Veekshitha (I MSW students). Dr Athul S Semitha, Assistant Professor, Department of PG Studies and Research in Social Work, was the Staff in charge.







## **Extra-Curricular Activities**

• The extra-curricular committee organised the Hindu Dharma Essay competition on 24 November 2023 in Room No. 0-10. There were 6 participants in the competition.



 The Extra-Curricular committee organised a Quiz Competition on 7 November 2023 in seminar hall 1 (UG). Forty teams participated in the competition.



 The Extra-curricular Committee has organised Singing competitions on 10 November 2023 at Seminar Hall. The following competitions, such as Classical Vocal, Light Music Solo, and Group Song, were conducted. Faculty in charge were Ms Apoorva K Hegde, Department of English and Dr Dhaneswhari, PG Department of MSW





## **NSS** Activities

- NSS units organized an online poster making competition on the topic of 'ಸ್ವಚ್ಛದೀಪಾವಳಿ' on the special occasion of Deepavali on 13 November 2023. Total of 5 volunteers participated in this competition.
- Five NSS volunteers participated as volunteers to the programme called ಕನ್ನಡ ಸಾಂಸ್ಕೃತಿಕ

**਼ਾਂਨਰਿਫ਼ਨੀ ਗਿਤਾ ਪ੍ਰਾਫ਼ਾਰਰਰਿਚਾਰਹਾਂ** held at Siddavana Gurukula on 22 and 23 November2023.

- NSS units in association with the social responsibility initiative committee organized an awareness
  programme on the theme "No food waste" on 23 November 2023. Sri. B Somashekhar Shetty,
  Student Welfare Officer SDME Society(R) Ujire, was the resource person. An interclass poster making
  and digital collage making competition on the theme of 'No Food Waste' were arranged on the
  occasion. Total of 104 volunteers participated.
- NSS units organized a cleaning programme at Perla, Mundathodi, at our adopted school on 24 November 2023. Eighteen volunteers participated in the 'Shramadana'.
- NSS units in association with the department of political science celebrated constitution day on 25 November 2023 Dr Shalip Kumari A P, Registrar Administration and Head of of Political Science was the resource person. 112 volunteers were present in this event. Quiz and Debate Competitions were organised on the occasion.
- NSS units conducted a pledge taking event on the special occasion of constitution day on 26 November 2023. All leaders took the pledge physically in the campus and others were part of this event through an online mode. Total of 75 volunteers were present.





## **NCC** Activities

- NCC Army Wing of the College orgnised statue cleaning programme on 25 November 2023. The cadets of 2/18 KAR BN NCC, took an initiative to clean the statue of Mahatma Gandhi, located in the College campus. To pay their respects, they began the cleaning barefoot. The Associate NCC Officers of the College, Lt. Bhanuprakash, and Lt. Shubharani were also in attendance and helped the cleaning process. The cadets were joined by Halvadar Reddy, PI from 18 KAR BN, who also assisted them in the same. Overall, this programme allowed everyone to come together for a step towards the betterment of our surroundings and spread awareness on keeping it clean and tidy. A total of 75 cadets took part in the event.
- In connection with 75<sup>th</sup> NCC Day Celebration, ANOs and Cadets visited Anugraha Old Age Home, Belthangady on 26 November 2023 The visit aimed at creating a bridge between the younger generation and elderly residents. Several activities were planned to ensure a fulfilling experience for both the NCC cadets and the elderly residents. These included interactive sessions, games, food preparation for the residents, and a cultural performance by the cadets.
- The visit to Anugraha Old Age Home was a meaningful and heartwarming experience for all involved. It reinforced the significance of intergenerational connections and the positive impact that simple acts of kindness can have on the lives of the elderly.
- A total of 75 cadets and ANOs -Lt Bhanuprakash B E and Lt Shubharani P S took part in the Old Age Home Visit.

### **Staff Publications**

- MrPraveena D, Assistant Professor, Department of BVoc, published a research paper titled "Savings and Investment Pattern of Salaried Class People with Special Reference to Dakshina Kannada District" in the 'Journal of Xi'an University of Architecture & Technology', Impact Factor 3.7, ISSN: 1006-7930, published in JXAT Journal, Volume XV, Issue XI, 2023, DOI No: 20.19001/KXAT. Certificate ID: JXAT/9834, Page No. 197-212.
- Dr Ganaraja K, Assistant Professor, Department of Department of Economics and Rural Development, published a research paper titled "Growth and Instability Analysis of Pepper with Reference to Production and Price" in the Conference Proceedings of the 8<sup>th</sup> International



Conference on 'Economic Growth and Sustainable Development: Emerging Trends' on 29 and 30 November 2023 held at SDMIMD, Mysore, ISBN: 978-93-83302-64-2.

- Ms Shruti Mankikar, Assistant Professor, Department of Hindi, published a research article titled "Lok Sanskratime Anuvaadki Bhoomika" in the International Journal 'Navanirmaan Sahithya Prakashan', Vijayanagar, Madhya Pradesh, ISBN: 978-93-93538-12-3, during August 2023, ID No: 31391.
- Dr Sudheer K V, Assistant Professor, Department of Psychology, Ms Varsha J and Ms Preemal Roshni Pinto, published a research paper titled "Comparative Study of Quality of Life amongst Degree and Engineering Students" in the International Journal 'Multidisciplinary and Educational Research', ISSN: 2277-7881, Vol: 10, Issue 5, Impact Factor: 8.017, October 2023.

## **Staff Achievements**

- Dr Sudheer K. V, Assistant Professor, Department of Psychology, is approved as a guide for a PhD in psychology from Mangalore University.
- Mr Ashwith H R, Head, Department of BVoc in Retail and Supply Chain Management, judged an event called "The Scene-Stealers" a recreation of Scene, organised by the Department of Biotechnology, on 24 November 2023.
- Mr Ashwith H R, Head, Department of BVoc in Retail and Supply Chain Management, judged an event called "Mock Press", organised by the Department of Physics, on 27 November 2023.
- Mr Ashwith H R, Head, Department of BVoc in Retail and Supply Chain Management, judged an event called "Fashion Show", on 27 November 2023.
- Ms Ashwini Jain, Assistant Professor, Department of BVoc in Digital Media and Film Making, judged an event called "Youth Parliament", organised by the State Parliamentary Affairs Department, Pre-University Education Department and Alva's College, Moodbidri, on 20 November 2023.
- Ms Divya Yadav, Assistant Professor, Department of Computer Science, delivered a lecture on "Artificial Intelligence" under the Shared Lecture Series (Jnana Visthara programme) for the 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> standard students.
- Ms Akshatha K, Assistant Professor, Department of Computer Science, delivered a lecture on "Artificial Intelligence" under the Shared Lecture Series (Jnana Visthara programme) for the 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> standard students.



- Ms Akshatha Jain, Assistant Professor, Department of Computer Science, delivered a lecture on "Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning" under the Shared Lecture Series (Jnana Visthara programme) for high school students.
- Ms Akshatha C H, Assistant Professor, Department of Computer Science, delivered a lecture on "Artificial Intelligence" under the Shared Lecture Series (Jnana Visthara programme), for the 9<sup>th</sup> standard students.
- Dr Ganaraja K, Assistant Professor, Department of Department of Economics and Rural Development, presented a research paper titled "Growth and Instability Analysis of Pepper with Reference to Production and Price" at the 8<sup>th</sup> International Conference on 'Economic Growth and Sustainable Development: Emerging Trends' on 29 and 30 November 2023 held at SDMIMD, Mysore.
- Dr Suresh Babu K N, Associate Professor, Department of PG Studies and Research in Commerce, presented a paper titled "Problems and Challenges faced by Micro, Small and Medium Scale Industries" in a two-day international conference on Trends in Management and Technology organised by Srinivas Institute of Technology, Mangaluru, held on 12 and 13 October 2023.
- Ms Masuda, Assistant Professor, Department of PG Studies and Research in Commerce, attended as a judge for the Debate Competition held at Shri Gurudeva First Grade College, Belthangady, on 20 October 2023 for UG students. A total of 20 teams from various colleges participated.





### **Staff Participation**

- Mr Harshith Kumar, Assistant Professor, Department of PG Studies and Research in Commerce, attended a one-day State Level Workshop on "Research Methodology" held on 7 October 2023 organised by Government First Grade College, Siddakatte.
- Dr Priya Kumari S V, Assistant Professor, Department of PG Studies and Research in Commerce, participated in a Research Proposal Writing Workshop organised by the Research and Development Cell of the College.
- Dr Sahana K, Associate Professor, Dept. of PG Studies and Research in Physics, has completed the "Advanced Antenna Design" training programme conducted between 28 October 2023 and 20 November 2023 in online mode organised by Your Mentor Training Team, Education.
- Dr Raghavendra S, Associate Professor and Head, Department of PG Studies and Research In Physics, was invited by the Department of Mechanical Engineering, SDM Polytechnic College, Ujire, as a judge for the model making and exhibition competition for high school students as a part of YANTRA 2.0 events on 21 November 2023. The events were followed by valedictory and prize distribution.
- Dr Dhaneshwari, Associate Professor, Dept of PG Studies and Research in Social Work, attended a two-day workshop on "Bhashanthakaarara Mooraneya Samsvesha mathu Kananada Samvardhane mathu Bhashanthakararu" organised by Dept of Kannada and Dr Ha MA NA Research Centre of the College on 21 November and 22 November 2023.





## **Student Achievements**

The Team players in women section Ms Sinchana K, Ms Rashmi S, Ms Dhanushree H R, Ms Pallavi, Ms Suraksha Acharya, Ms Nikshitah, Ms Dhanyashree, Ms Thara P, Ms K Jnanavi Shetty and Ms Dhanyashree, and team players in men section Mr Yashvanth Thelkar, Mr Pavan, Mr Gagan, Mr Vishruth, Mr Sugan, Mr Mayur D R, Mr Mohan Raj, Mr Manoj KT and Mr Sathwik, won the runner up prize in the MIUC Basketball Tournament held at Dr NSAM FGC Nitte on 2 and 3 November 2023.



 The Team players Ms Shriya, Ms Thulasi, Ms Sangeetha, Ms Chaithanya, Ms Harinakshi, Ms Shwetha A S, Ms Rakshitha C D, Ms Anjali H R, Ms Aishwarya H R and Ms Rakshitha M V won the first place in the MIUC Volleyball Tournament held at St Agnes College, Mangalore, on 6 and 7 November 2023.





- The Team players Mr Abhishek Nayak M, Mr Vijay Kumar N S, Mr Divakara L Marathi, Mr Raazil Ahamad, Mr Prashantha and Mr Ramappa T K won the third place in the MIUC Cross Country Tournament held at KSS College, Subramanya, on 4 and 5 November 2023.
- Ms Jeevitha, III BCom, won the silver medal in the Khelo India Women National held at Trishur from 6 to 10 November 2023.



 The Team players Mr Manu B L, Mr Ankith, Mr Hariprasad N, Mr Abu Hashim, Mr Shashank M, Mr Achuth K, Mr Ashik K M, Mr Mohammad Sayeed, Mr Jeswin Baby, Mr Dharma Veera Jain, Mr Shiva Prasad, Mr Stemy Joseph, Mr Vinyas A, Mr Manvith Rai, Mr Ramith Shetty and Mr Praneeth Shetty won the first place in the MIUC (Mangalore Zone) Volleyball Tournament held at Sri Narayana Guru College, Mangalore, on 21 and 22 November 2023.





 The Team players Mr Prajwal S, Mr Mahammad Afreed, Mr Hruthik L P, Mr Sukesha, Mr Sushanth Shetty, Mr Dhanush, Mr Yashvantha Gowda, Mr Chethan G, Mr Shashank Acharya, Mr Samrudh Gowda, Mr Pranaya S T and Mr Chidananda won the first place in the MIUC (Mangalore Zone) Kabaddi Tournament held at GFGC Mudipu on 15 and 16 November 2023.



 The Team players Ms Dhanyashree, Ms Hithashree K, Ms Dhanyashree, Ms Ankitha, Ms Thara P, Ms Manisha, Ms Sumaiya Anjum, Ms Nilshitha, Ms Dhanushree H R, Ms Shetty Sudhiksha Shekar, Ms Veekshitha K and Ms Sinchana K won the second place in the MIUC Kabaddi Tournament held at GFGC Mudipu on 17 and 18 November 2023.





 The Men and Women Wrestling Team of the college won third place in the MIUC Wrestling Tournament held at Sri Gokarnanatheshwara College, Mangalore, on 22 and 23 November 2023. Both the teams have bagged 5 Silver and 4 Bronze Medals, and the Women's team secured third place in the overall championship.



- Ms Dhanyashree, Ms Hithashree K and Ms Sumaiya Anjum participated in the South Zone Women Kabaddi Tournament held at Alagappa College of Physical Education, Tamil Nadu, from 22 to 26 November 2023.
- Mr Sushanth Shetty, Mr Shashank Acharya, Mr Mohammad Afreed and Mr Prajwal won the Gold medal in the All India Inter University Men Kabaddi Tournament held at PPC Udupi from 23 to 26 November 2023.





 The Team players Mr Manu B L, Mr Ankith, Mr Hariprasad N, Mr Abu Hashim, Mr Shashank M, Mr Achuth K, Mr Ashik K M, Mr Mohammad Sayeed, Mr Jeswin Baby, Mr Dharma Veera Jain, Mr Shiva Prasad and Mr Stemy Joseph won the runner up prize in the MIUC (Inter-Zone) Volleyball Tournament held at the College, on 29 November 2023.



 The Men and Women Weight Lifting Team of the college won the runner up prize in the Karnataka State Weight Lifting Championship held at Bangalore from 18 to 21 November 2023. Mr Subramanya won the best lifter award.



