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Engendering and nurturing values for enhancing knowledge, wisdom, skills, and humane values to enable the youth to scale peaks of excellence and pinnacles of glory by imparting quality through education. The institution cultivates creative and productive talents of students, faculty, and staff and seeks ways to contribute to the nation, the well-being of communities, and strives to enhance the quality of life and development of its students and faculty.

OUR MISSION

The Sadhana Education Society's L. S. Raheja College of Arts and Commerce will continually strive to impart education to enable its stakeholders to face the emerging challenges of the future.



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MESSAGE FROM THE CHAIRMAN



Dear Principal, Faculty and Students,

Education finds its true purpose when it kindles the flame of learning within us. And while learning is a natural process, it is education that becomes the compass that leads us towards embracing it, as part of our wisdom.

At our Institution, we have always been driven by our mission to nurture young minds and help them emerge self-reliant and responsible as they navigate their lives. And we have several illustrious alumni, who have done very well and made us proud. And now, with the introduction of the New Education Policy championed by the Department of Education, we welcome an era of greater freedom, enabling each of you to select subjects that truly inspire your individual passions. Choose wisely and well.

Excitingly, our college is on the path to Autonomous status, which will enable us to strengthen and enrich our learning environment, curated to meet both industry demands and students' aspirations.

As we move forward on our journey together, I tell each of you to have a thirst for knowledge, a thirst that we as an institution will further fuel.

Looking forward to a journey together towards a brighter and more enlightened future.

My Best Wishes.

Shri C. L. Raheja

Chairman

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PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Changes in the field of Education aim at a further Inclusive approach towards literacy. Advancement in technology has helped us use tools for an enhanced literacy experience. But this shouldn't be confused with or understood as education.

Numerous great thinkers and educational proponents have cultivated in people a curiosity to question and interrogate. Indeed, the great Greek philosopher Socrates supported enterprise and tone- examination. This helps to foster improvement of understanding, creation of moral thinking and action.

But, the threat that numerous scholars on the path of education face, is that they get lost in the vortex of inquiry, and fail to advance towards the freedom and commission that education fosters.

The College is in the process of shaping our youthful, brilliant scholars, toward a further empowered approach to education, through the changes that are being brought about, with the launch of the New Education Policy, as well as Autonomy.

It has been our passionate bid to cultivate the rates of logical thinking, in-depth understanding, homiletic approach, and holistic education for our scholars, and we've done so this time, and in history as well.

The emphasis this time has been towards further collaborations and liaison between Assiduity and Academia. This has brought about remarkable results in the overall growth and confidence of the scholars. The preceptors have shown fidelity and involvement in working towards this thing. My appreciation to the scholars for their achievements in academics, sports, and extra-curricular conditioning, for having brought laurels to the council.

I express my gratefulness to the Management of the Sadhana Education Society for their uninterrupted support, and for motivating the staff and scholars towards excellence.

It is not the strongest species that survive, nor the most intelligent, but the most responsive to change.
– Charles Darwin.

In the stylish way that we can, let us take a step forward one further time, one step at a time, and make the best of the change that's happening on this Earth.



Dr. Debajit Sarkar
Principal



EDITORIAL

Dear Staff & Students,

With Science and Technology reaching new heights in making life convenient beyond imagination, we have undoubtedly explored our creative potential in this field like never before. With the achievements of the nation in space and technology, India has carved a niche for itself in global eyes.

If the entire matter of all that exists was to be accumulated, it would amount to just 1% of all that is and all that is not. The remaining 99% is Nothingness. Humanity, in general, is far from aware of this nothingness of existence. Science has identified this nothingness as the black hole. The peace and bliss that this nothingness exudes is too enormous to be ignored.



The seed of wisdom is in every atom of creation. Ancient Indian texts and philosophies reflect the awareness with which saints and evolved beings had tapped into this limitless source. The true nature of life evolves from being peaceful within. This limitlessness can be tapped into by going beyond the speed and busy-ness with which most people live. Paying attention to finer details is the key to creating awareness within, and raising consciousness. And while exploring the silences within, one may journey to touch upon the vast nothingness of existence, and bask in its glory!!!

I express my gratitude to the Principal, for his guidance and support. I also thank the heads of departments, and conveners of committees for the reports of activities and achievements. My thanks to the contributors of articles, poems, and artworks, for sharing their creations in the magazine, and to the editorial team and staff, for their promptness in facilitating a timely release of this number. My appreciations to the designer Mr. Darren D'Souza of ThreeD Creatives for the cover page, and the entire designing of the magazine.

Dr. Preeti Vaswani
Chief Editor



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Degree College

Annual Report of the Degree College

The academic year commenced on 13th June 2022. The following report covers events and activities from 13th June 2022 to 31st May 2023. Academic calendar for the year was prepared.

- **ISO Certification:** The college was certified with ISO 9001:2015 on 2nd May, 2023. The certificate was provided for the scope of "Provision of Undergraduate (Arts and Commerce), Post graduate, and Research in Commerce." The Audit was a two-day process. On 25th and 26th of April 2023, the audit was conducted by Auditor Vandana Kudalkar.

About the ISO Certification:

ISO 9001 is the international standard for creating a Quality Management Systems (QMS), published by ISO (the International Organization for Standardization). The standard was most recently updated in 2015, and it is referred to as ISO 9001:2015. The formative processes that have a beneficial impact on student learning and overall institution satisfaction can be greatly improved with the help of ISO 9001. It enables institutions to identify the interactions between processes, the potential pitfalls, and the best ways to prevent them.



- **NAAC Accreditation:** The College applied for the 3rd cycle of NAAC accreditation for the period 2016-17 to 2021-22. The Self Study Report was submitted to the NAAC (National Assessment and Accreditation Council), and the Peer Team Visit was held on 18th and 19th of August 2022. The College was awarded with CGPA 2.94 (Cumulative Grade Point Average) with **Grade B++**.



NAAC Peer Team Visit (18th & 19th August, 2022)



Internal Quality Assurance Cell (I.Q.A.C.)

- Deekshahrambh - Student Induction Programme (SIP) was conducted for newly admitted students from September 15 onwards as per the norms of UGC.
- General and information instructions regarding programme, subjects, discipline, examinations, add-on and value-added courses, cultural activities, and festivals, NSS, NCC, DLLE, counselling centre, gymkhana were provided during the sessions.
- Mentoring sessions were conducted by the class mentors on the following topics:
 1. Student aspirations and family expectations
 2. Gratitude towards people helping me
 3. Human needs of the self and body
 4. Peer Pressure
 5. Prosperity
 6. Relationships
- Professional development training and programmes for supporting / administrative staff were conducted.
 1. Workshop for the non-teaching staff on enrolment, eligibility was organised on March 10, 2023 by Mrs. Suvarna Mahadik, Deputy Registrar, Enrolment and Eligibility Unit, University of Mumbai.
 2. Workshop on soft skills development was conducted by Dr Sushma Paudwal, Ex-librarian, SNDT on 7th January 2023.
- Professional development training and programmes for teaching staff were conducted.
 1. A session on MOOC's was conducted by IQAC. The resource person for the same was Mr. Mandar Bhanushe, Head of Centre For Excellence in E-Content Development (CEED) of University of Mumbai.
 2. IQAC organised an orientation session on NEP for teaching staff of our college, KKCE and few other colleges on 24th February 2023. Resource person for this session was Dr. Ravindra Kulkarni.
- AQAR report (2021-22) was submitted successfully on 23rd December 2022.
- Academic Audit was conducted on 20th March 2023.
- Regular Teacher feedback and curriculum feedback were taken by the IQAC.
- IQAC successfully completed CAS files of Dr. Anupama Nerurkar, Dr. Parita Desai and Dr. Gordhan Devnani.
- An International Project with the University of Sussex was collaborated by the Department of English.
- An MOU was signed between R D National College and Raheja college for academic collaborations that included, shared workshops, conferences, research papers, faculty exchange programme, etc. Faculty exchange programmes were planned for the Departments of Psychology, Economics, and History. In the present year, the faculty exchange program was started between the Psychology departments of both



the colleges. In the lieu of this program, Dr. Meghna Basu Thakur, Head of Psychology department, R D National college, and Ms. Neha Dalal, Sr. Person of Department of Psychology, of Raheja College, taught the students of partner colleges. The program was from 16th to 24th Feb 2023. In the following year, the Departments of History and Economics have planned to start the faculty exchange programme.

- The 2nd L.S. Raheja Memorial Lecture on the Relevance of Classroom Teaching and Curriculum Design in the Technology Era was held on 15th April. Dr. Shankar S Mantha, Former Chairman, AICTE, Expert in Artificial Intelligence and Robotics, was the speaker.
- Industrial visits, guest lectures, workshops and competitions were organised in coordination with various departments.

Industry Academia Lecture Series

- The 2nd L. S. Raheja Memorial Lecture was held on 15th April 2023. The speaker for the lecture was Dr Shankar Mantha, Former Chairman, AICTE; CEO, MSKC- Mahapreit; Adjunct Professor, NIAS, Bangalore, Emeritus Professor, VJTI (AI and Robotics). The topic was on 'The Relevance of Classroom Teaching Learning and Curriculum Design in Technology Era.' The speaker-oriented students and teachers about the impact of changing technology on the job market and the changes required in teaching. Well attended by 70 participants including faculty and students the session discussed the shelf life of skill sets which is a consequence of advancing technology and the need to skill and reskill, the relevance of NEP in the current job market, changes required from students and teachers to cope with rapid technological changes and the changes required in the curriculum to increase employability in the current scenario.



Staff Academy

- The Staff Academy conducted sessions for professional development of the teaching faculty on teaching-learning related issues.





- Session on "Stories to communicate with self and others" was delivered by Ms Neha Dalal, Assistant Professor, Department of Psychology on 29th November 2022. The main objective of the session was to help participants identify the importance of self-talk and taking different perspectives of the same situation. Participants became aware of the importance of changing perspectives for self-growth.
- A One-day workshop on Institutional Preparedness for NEP 2020 was held on 24.2.23 by eminent educationist Professor Ravindra Kulkarni, Former Pro Vice-Chancellor, University of Mumbai and Senior Professor of Oil Tech, Institute of Chemical Technology, Mumbai. The workshop discussed the guidelines of The National Education Policy (NEP) 2020 that aims to reform and revitalize the education system in India. Professor Kulkarni discussed and deliberated on the multidisciplinary and interdisciplinary courses, the Academic Bank of Credit and Multiple entry exit system. The workshop focussed on the directions that can be taken by higher education institutions to implement the NEP. It was well attended by the invited faculty from colleges across Mumbai.



Commerce Research Centre

- Research scholars C.A. Sindhu Menon and Ms. Sajitha Kumar successfully submitted their theses under the guidance of Dr. Anupama Nerurkar.
- Dr. Vaishali Pandya successfully completed the viva voce, and was awarded Ph.D. degree by the University of Mumbai.



Commerce

- Power point competition on contemporary issues in Commerce was organized on the 16th of February 2023. The prize winners were: 1st prize - Devendra Singh (TYB.Com B), Akash Tiwari - (TYB.Com C), Kavita Vishwakarma - (TYB.Com C), 2nd Prize-Devendra Kanojia - (FYB.Com A), Govind Kumavat - (FYB.Com A), Kaushik S. - (FYB.Com A), 3rd prize - Samuel Kunnel - (SYBA)



- Quiz competition was conducted to test skills of students on contemporary issues in commerce on the 8th of September 2022.
- DTH (Divergent Thinking Hub) was organized to develop entrepreneurial skills among students & exhibit their creativity & divergence through business ideas on the 20th of January 2023. Winners are as follows:
1st prize Sahil Deulkar - SYB.Com, 2nd prize- FYB.Com: Riya Poojari, Maahi Mehta, Krish Nagpal, Devam Rambhiya, 3rd prize: SYB.Com, Teena Mistry, Nisha Mahto, Consolation prize: SYBA: Vishal Sharma, Saman Shaikh, Saira Shaikh, Parth Vora

- Commerce Mall was organized to enhance the marketing skills among students.
Winners are as follows: 1st prize: Umang Gala, Soheb Khan, Darshan Raval,
2nd Prize - Teena Mistry, Riya Jaiswal, Smiti Marati, Reena Joshi, Kanchan Kanojiya, Durga Kumawat, Aarti Gupta, Sahil Deulkar, Nandini Nishad, Shama Siddhiqui,
3rd Prize: Huda Sayad, Roshani Ansari, Namrata Salve, Chanda Bharti, Thilaga Yadav

- An expert lecture was conducted on Sales: A career for all seasons by Mr. Parashar Pandya on the 22nd of September 2022.

WINNERS OF

COMMERCE MALL

1st prize

Counter name: USD BLIZZ

Umang gala. Div - A 737
Soheb khan . Div - A 795
Darshan raval. Div - B

2nd prize

Counter name: The Great Indian Paanipuri

Teena Mistry - SY A - 838
Riya Jaiswal - SY A - 763
Smiti Marati - SY A - 815
Reena Joshi - SY A - 772
Kanchan Kanojiya - SY A - 779
Durga Kumawat - SY A - 800
Aarti Gupta - SY A - 766
Sahil Deulkar - SY A - 735
Nandini Nishad - SY B
Shama Siddhiqui - SY B

3rd prize

Group Name: Art , Craft And Foodz

Group Members: Huda Sayad , Roshani Ansari, Namrata Salve , Chanda Bharti , Thilaga Yadav



- An expert lecture was conducted on Aesthetics of Branding by Mr. Gargi Sarkaar, Founder & CEO of RA Brand Consultants.
- An expert lecture on Advertising by Mr. Aditya Nagvekar, Vice-President, Planning, Ogilvy on March 11, 2023 to orient students about industry experiences and advances.
- An expert lecture on "Consumer Rights" by Mrs. Sharmila Ranade, Member, Managing committee, Mumbai Grahak Panchayat on the occasion of Consumer Rights day on March 15th 2023.

Nisarg Club / EVS

- The activities of Nisarg started with the online QUIZ competition held on World Environment Day - 5th June 2022. There was a total of 47 members of Nisarg this year.
- The office bearers for this academic year were as follows. President of Nisarg - Mr. Sahil Dedhia, Secretary - Ms. Komal Pitadia, Cashier - Jay Chitroda, Photographer - Neerav Joshi, Coordinators - Swapnil Dhumal, and Piyush Thareja.
- On the World Ozone Day - 16th September, Dr. Mrs. Akshata Kulkarni, addressed the members of Nisarg along with the other FYB.Com students.
- To celebrate the World Tourism Day on 27th September, a poster competition was organized for all the FYB.Com students.



- Dr. Debajit Sarkar, the Principal of the college, inaugurated the exhibition. Mr. Siddhesh Hadkar from BMS department was the judge of the completion. 350 students were the beneficiaries as they were the spectators to the posters which were presented by 13 groups of students on variety of topics including Lohagad, Matheran, Tourist places in Mumbai, Gate way of India etc.
- On 14th January 2023, the inauguration of Nisarg Nature Club was done in the quadrangle by the hands of the Principal Dr. Debajit Sarkar. On this day the Oath was given to 75 students including the members of Nisarg by Dr. Akshata Kulkarni. Then the importance of saving the soil from getting it polluted was told by Dr. Debajit Sarkar in his speech. It was followed by distribution of Save Soil stickers sponsored by Isha Foundation (in four sizes) was done. All the students took the stickers for sticking on their mobile phones spontaneously. As 14th January is being considered as the Geography Day in India and it coincided as the Day of Sankranti in India, the distribution of Tilgul was done to the members and all the teaching, nonteaching, supporting staff as well as the watchmen by the office bearers of Nisarg – Sahil, Komal, Jay, and Piyush etc.



- To make the students aware about the global, regional, and local environmental condition beyond the classroom is the main aim of starting this nature club since 2002. So Dr. Kulkarni took 13 students to Shanmukhanand Saraswati Hall on 8th February 2023 to attend one function entitled Youth for Ethical Governance organized by the public concern for Governance Trust founded by former police commissioner of Mumbai and Padma Bhushan recipient Mr. Julio Ribeiro. All the students were mesmerized by the speech delivered by veteran environmentalist and the editor of Sanctuary magazine (Asia), the 75-year-old Mr. Bittu Sahagal.
- Every year the Members of Nisarg visit the 65-million-year-old Monolithic 200 feet high world-famous monument known as the Gilbert Hill. This year the response was enormous. Total 200 + students visited this hill located in Andheri west on 2nd and 3rd March 2023 along with Dr. Akshata Kulkarni and enjoyed the panoramic view of entire 360-degree view from the top.

Business Law

- A Visit to Santacruz West Police Station was organised on 29th August 2022 at 11.00 am. Senior Inspector Shri Tambe Sir and Mr. Amrutkar Assistant Police Inspector – Santacruz West Police Station interacted with the students. 110 students of SYB.Com participated.



- The purpose of the visit was to show them the procedure for filing a complaint, to help them understand the subject and inculcate interest and result in the following outcome:
 - i. Students will have Knowledge and understanding of substantive and procedural law.
 - ii. They will come to know about their legal rights and fundamental duties such as Right to Information Act, 2005, Consumer Rights, and even procedure.
 - iii. Students will graduate with a broad knowledge of foundational and other core areas of the law, specialized knowledge in areas of interest, and experience with advanced study.
 - iv. Students after completion of graduation can join their career advancement courses such as MBA/ LLB / CA/CS/Business /Professor in Law and can become the prominent Citizen of India.



- Dr. Devnani conducted an exhibition on the Glimpses of India from 22nd to 24th November 2022 from 11.00 am to 2.00 pm.
- The students were made aware about the multi-cultural diversity of Indian society and the concept of disparity as arising out of stratification and inequality; Inequalities manifested due to the caste system and inter-group conflicts arising thereof; constitution and their rights and fundamental duties, party system in Indian politics specially with reference to Local self-government in urban and rural areas; amendments and their implications for inclusive politics; Role and significance of women in politics in India and their contribution in Indian society.
- 382 students of FYB.Com participated.
- A Guest Lecture was organised on 22nd February 2023 at 12.00 noon. The resource person was Ms. Neha Dalal. She made the students understand what is stress, conflict and Aggression, reason, types, causes and how to manage the stress and conflict- specially by making them understand the Maslow's Theory of Self Actualization (Hierarchy of Needs) and different methods of maintaining Peace and Harmony in the society. 112 students of FYB.Com attended the programme.

English

- The Department of English (under Commerce) started professional placements for its First Year Bachelor of Arts students. These placements involved the students working directly in the field and in the community, using their academic knowledge in a multidisciplinary manner.





- The college implemented vocational training, many months before its introduction in New Education Policy that also emphasises interdisciplinary learning. These students had 3 subjects - Sociology, Psychology, History, statistics, and economics.
- It was a collaborative course carried out with Sussex Writes, the creative writing unit of the University of Sussex. The course was called "Introduction to Creative Writing, Trauma Informed Pedagogies and the project involving its fieldwork."
- It spanned from November 2022-May 2023. The program and its techniques were conceived by Ms. Anvi Sawant from the Department of English. Ms. Sawant was coordinating the project while instructing and supervising the students in various methods for the fieldwork. Initially, creative writing sessions were held with students to enhance their mental health and well-being along with imagination by Sussex Writes.
- Critical thinking and writing are essential skills required from Humanities and Social science students. These were enhanced in the many sessions of the course and its fieldwork. Trauma-informed pedagogies involved students learning to communicate with various traumatized children most of whom were orphans and below the poverty line.



Helps in Stress reduction and reducing anxiety



- This fieldwork was carried out at Shraddha Centre, Khar (W) overseen by the All-India Women's Conference. The conveners of Shraddha Centre Mrs. Meena Kumbhar and Mrs Kamini Mehta have expressed their gratitude to the college, the Department of English, and its students for this program. They have spoken about massive improvements visible in their children aged 6-16.
- The program was an intersection of educational and mental health activities for these children. Additionally, it comprised rehabilitative activities carried out in a playful manner to overcome the learning and mental health obstructions caused by COVID lockdowns. Every child

received the required attention. The children would be divided according to their capacity and age into various groups. The Humanities and Social Science students of L.S Raheja College could move beyond books and theory into the real world to practice their academic and other inherent skills.

- Various expressive and introspective art methods comprising of movement, Indian classical music, drama, literature, and creative writing were used. The children could confidently solve puzzles and riddles for which they were timed. Various emotional development parameters were measured.
- A team of 14 students worked with more than 45 children for 7 months. The progress can be seen from the writing and artwork of the children. The Department of English of L.S Raheja College has thus developed an independent model of vocational training that is greatly benefitting society and its students professionally and academically.
- Links to various social media posts for the project:
Project title- Globally networked learning: <https://staff.sussex.ac.uk/teaching/fund/eif-projects>
Method 1: <https://www.instagram.com/p/CsGsGlnJHC/>
Certificate ceremony: <https://www.instagram.com/p/CtjMVdipatX/>
Fieldwork: <https://www.instagram.com/p/CowDoyah6ha/>
Podcast episode consisting of students' views about the project:
 - <https://www.instagram.com/p/Cru7d-coHuj/>
 - <https://podcasters.spotify.com/pod/show/sussexwrites>
 - Podcast episode: <https://www.instagram.com/p/CracAiBI7wP/>
 - Instagram post announcing the collaboration: <https://www.instagram.com/p/CoHv-BINdd9/>
 - Podcast episode 1: <https://www.instagram.com/p/Co2ALh6DBq9/>
 - <https://www.instagram.com/p/Crv8dKAtRp/>
- English Language day was celebrated on 23rd April through an online quiz on the English language. There was wide participation from teachers and students.

Mathematics, Statistics and Computer Science

- On 21st July and 22nd July 2022, the department collaborated with Edwise International to conduct a two-day seminar cum workshop on Tips and Tricks to Crack Entrance Examinations and 360 Degree Overview of Scholarships, Visa, etc. The workshop was attended by around 200 students, who received guidance from Edwise International experts. The workshop provided valuable insights into studying and pursuing careers abroad, admission procedures, and visa processes. It also offered tips and tricks for cracking entrance examinations.
- On 17th August 2022, the Quants' Club was inaugurated to develop logical and analytical thinking among students. An expert talk on How to Crack Competitive Exams such as SBI Bank PO, IBPS, RRB, UPSC/MPSC, CAT, and NDA was organized on 16th September 2022. The event featured Mr. Divesh Mishra, Founder & CEO, Ursa Minor Consulting Pvt. Ltd.



- On 14th October 2022, the Quants' Club signed an MOU with Reliable Academy, Mumbai, for VSAT E-Learning Program for the preparation of Foundation Courses for UPSC, MPSC, Banks, SSC, Railway, Insurance, CDS, etc. The MOU aimed to organize virtual VSAT classroom sessions for creating the foundation of competitive exams, enhancing the mindsets of UG/PG/graduate students for government competitive exams, conducting live interactive sessions with bureaucrats guiding students on competitive exams, updating and inspiring students for upcoming government job openings at state/national level, guiding and motivating students to accomplish their government/banks/public sector employment, and facilitating certificate courses for students' future endeavours and professional benefits.
- On 6th January 2023, the Department organized a World Education Fair in association with Edwise International. The fair was open to students of various streams such as Arts, Commerce, Science, Management Studies, and more. Students had the opportunity to meet with representatives from the top 15 universities worldwide, get admission, visa, and loan guidance, and explore scholarship options. The fair featured universities from the UK, Australia, New Zealand, France, the USA, and Canada.

Accountancy

- The Department of Accountancy commenced its activities on 1st July, 2022 with the celebration of Chartered Accountants Day, in association with the college library. CA. Wandrekar briefed the students on the new proposed Chartered Accountancy syllabus and course structure. The Principal Dr. Debajit Sarkar unveiled a copy of the 'Glossary of Accounting Terms' developed by CA. Wandrekar & CA. Ramina.



A copy of the Glossary was presented to the college library and was uploaded on the college website for easy access to the students.



- The Department organized a guest lecture on 'Investor Awareness' for the students on 20th January, 2023. This program was in association with 'Board of Industry Academia Partnerships' (BIAP). The online session conducted by Dr. Arti Modi was attended by 51 students.



- A live screening of the Finance Bill 2023 was held in association with the Department of BFM on 1st February, 2023 and was attended by the students as well as teachers.

- The highlight of the academic year was a guest lecture by Mr. Chandrashekar Tilak on the topic 'Finance Bill 2023 – Budget Simplified'. Mr. Tilak in his unique style enthralled the audience with his knowledge and analysis. This session was open to students, college teachers as well as teachers from other colleges.



- The academic year concluded with a guest lecture on Goods & Services Tax delivered by CA. Gaurav Save. The session was conducted on 17th March, 2023 and was attended by the students of TYBCOM.

- CA. Wandrekar delivered a lecture on 'Overview of the Income Tax portal' for a certificate course on 'Basics of E-filing under Income Tax Law' organized by the SIWS College on 6th March, 2023.

Economics

- The Department activities started with the orientation to all students across BA and B.Com Programmes. In this activity, students were oriented by senior person of the Department Ms. Samiksha Jadhav in which she explained the course framework to the students with power point presentation.





▪ The Department hosted Research paper review competition for TYBA students on July 28, 2022. Mr. Prashant Shelar was invited as the resource person to judge the event. The objective was to guide students for identifying gap in the existing literature and encouraging students to analyse the research paper.

▪ The Department conducted a session on World Humanitarian Day on 22nd August, 2022 for TYBA students. It was a part of national international days celebration in the college. Usually, World Humanitarian Day is celebrated on 19th August 2022.

▪ The Department conducted an online quiz on the eve of National Education Day on November, 11, 2022. Aim of this quiz was to create awareness about contribution of Maulana Abul Kalam Azad and make them aware about National Education Day. There were a total 70 participants.

▪ On November 7, 2022, Pragya Club was formally inaugurated. It is created to inspire students to put forth their views on various national and international issues and improve their confidence in public speaking. 5 students voiced their opinions about various current issues. 51 students attended the session.

▪ The Department in collaboration with National Stock Exchange Trading Campus organized seminar on Certificate Courses on Capital Market on November 9, 2022. Many students from BA and B.Com participated in the same. This session was organised to encourage students to take up various courses offered by the stock exchanges.

▪ The second session of Pragya Club was organized on January 7, 2023. The session included 51 students. 4 students spoke about various current issues.



▪ The Department signed a MoU with Meghnad Desai Academy of Economics in the month of February to increase the collaboration in the field of Economics. The aim of this MoU is to invite best speakers and faculty for the benefit of the students who will speak on the current issues related to the field of Economics.

▪ The Department of Economics has continued to offer Economics Honors Certification program to the FYBA students for the year 2022-23 and extended the same to SYBA students. The aim of this certification program is to bridge the gap between University Syllabus and Industry requirement by offering one additional course per semester to the enrolled students.

▪ The Department has organized a guest lecture on 'Securing Employability with Algorithmic Thinking' on March 03, 2023. Mr. Amlesh Kanekar, Director of Academics, Meghnad Desai Academy of Economics was the resource person for the same. This is the activity under the MoU signed with Meghnad Desai



Academy of Economics. This was a very interactive session and it was appreciated by majority of the students. 36 students attended the same.

The Department also participated in the Academic audit procedure organized by the college on March 20, 2023.

The Department also conducted guidance lecture for the University examination on Advanced Macroeconomics III for TYBA Economics students on April 05, 2023. Mrs. Shweta Dubey, Head of the Department of Economics, Rizvi College was the resource person. This session was organized for orienting TYBA students about the pattern of the University examination and how to skilfully write the answers.

The Department conducted preliminary examination for TYBA students.

Psychology

The Department of Psychology organized an ice breaking session for students of TYBA – Psychology Major and Psychology part major. Since in TYBA there are admission from other colleges besides inhouse students, an ice breaking session was conducted to allow students an opportunity to get to know each other. The session was conducted on 13th July 2022.

The Department of psychology also organized a Parent teacher Student meeting on 23rd July 2022. The purpose of this meet was to orient the parents of the students to know about the department the various working of the department. The mobile numbers were also collected of the parents and a separate WhatsApp group was made so that the parents are kept informed regarding the activities of the department.

International Self-care Day was celebrated in collaboration with R. D. National College on 24th July 2022. It was an online session with media platform of Zoom. This session was attended and organized by students of both colleges. The session included speakers from various fields. The session was inaugurated by Dr. Kersi Chavada, President of Bombay Psychiatric society. Speakers from fitness field, psychologist, Ayurveda, helped students understand the principles of self-care.



▪ On 29th July 2022, a "Dance and Movement therapy" workshop was held for students. This workshop also introduced the students to the certificate course that is offered to students of Psychology in association with the NGO- PDMDS. After the workshop 10 students enrolled for the certificate course in "Basic course in understanding Parkinson's Disease".

▪ A talk was organised by an Alumnus, of the Psychology Department, Mr. Abhi Lad on "How to clear TISS exam" on 18th August 2022. Since Mr. Abhi Lad, cleared the exam and completed his postgraduation from Tata Institute of Social

Sciences. He used his experience to guide the students of TYBA who were planning to appear for the exam for the current academic year.

- A seminar on "Careers in Psychology" was organized on 27th August 2022. This program was attended by students of different colleges across Mumbai. The seminar included information about 6 different career prospects in the field of Psychology, covering some traditional fields like Clinical, Counselling, and Industrial Psychology, and also covering some newer careers in the field including Sports Psychology, , Animal Psychology and Forensic Psychology. The seminar included information about: - 1. the field itself the job description, 2. Educational Pathway 3. Internship options 4. Career prospects and 5. Income. Lastly questions of the students were answered. This program was well received by all students with very encouraging feedback.
- On 29th August 2022, a workshop was conducted jointly by Department of Psychology and Sociology on "Awareness program on creating sexual abuse awareness and opportunity for internship program at Rubaroo NGO". After this program 18 participants- 16 from Psychology department and 2 students from Sociology department signed up for the internship with the NGO.
- To celebrate International Mental Health Day an online awareness program on Mental Health was organized for the students of Psychology on 10th Oct 2022. The resource person for the session was college counsellor- Ms. Labdhi Vora. Students understood the various ways they can maintain their mental health.
- Psychology Club named "Odyssey" was inaugurated on 3rd Dec, which was attended by lecturers and students. The inauguration was done by the Principal- Dr. Debajit Sarkar. This inauguration showcased various psychological phenomena and how it applies to everyday life. The event was a roaring success with a lot of positive feedback.
- A mental Health awareness rally was organized on 18th Jan 2023. The purpose of the rally to spread awareness about mental health issues. The rally ended with a skit performed in the college turf and was seen by students of all streams.
- A guest lecture was organised on "Research in Indian Cultural Context" on 21st Jan 2023, and the resource person for the same was Dr. Vivek Belhekar. Dr. Belhekar, associate professor in Mumbai University, informed students about the importance of Indian culture in taking up research in Psychology.



- A Field visit to Heart-to-Heart counselling centre was organised for the students of TYBA psychology on 4th Feb 2023. Students got familiarized with the practical applications and workings of opening a counselling centre. They were also informed about the various career opportunities in the field of counselling.

- An Industrial visit was organised to Jaipur – Ranthambore for students of Psychology and History from 6th Feb 2023 to 11th Feb 2023. As a part of Industrial visit, students visited NIMS university Jaipur, whereby students visited the Psychiatric facility and Inpatient Department of the Clinical Patients.



- A talk was organised under Odyssey on "Identifying red flags in the relationships" on 21st Feb 2023. The talk was live streamed on YouTube and had more than 200 views. The talk was positively received by both students and lecturers.

- Guest lecture series by Dr Avinash Desousa was organised on 28th Feb on the topic "Mood disorders and Suicide". Dr Avinash Desousa gave real life examples from the field to students thereby giving them a practical understanding beyond the theory for the same.

- In collaboration with R D National college, a faculty exchange program was initiated. As per this program, Dr. Meghana Basu Thakur from R D National College conducted lectures for 7 days on Sexual dysfunctions topic of Abnormal Psychology for TYBA students of Raheja College. Ms. Neha Dalal from Raheja college, went to R D National college and took lectures on Reasoning topic of Cognitive Psychology for the TYBA students for R D National College. This program was from 16th Feb 2023 to 24th Feb 2023

- A field visit to Thane Mental Hospital was organised on 6th March 2023. 33 students from TYBA psychology came for the visit. In this visit students got to witness Electro Convulsive Therapy on the patients. They also understood the diagnosis and treatment approaches followed in the hospital. At the end of the visit the students were asked to give small presentation in class sharing their experiences and their learnings from the visit.



- A talk on sexual dysfunctions by Dr. Deepa Mohanty was organised on 16th March 2023 for TYBA Psychology Students. 40 students attended the talk. The talk was organised to familiarise students with various sexual dysfunctions in men and women.

- A talk on Leadership and Consultancy by Ms. Aishwarya Pethe was organised on 18th March 2023 for TYBA Psychology students. 30 students attended the talk. The talk helped students understand the practical applications of the field of Industrial Psychology and the career opportunities available.

Sociology

- The Department of Sociology conducted various activities throughout academic year 22-23 that includes guest lectures, documentary screening, quiz competition, field visits, workshops, certificate course, case study and presentations.
- The Department used innovative teaching methodology to make students active participants in the classroom focussing on experiential learning and combining theory and practice.
- Documentary Jai Bhim was screened on 3rd August 2022. The students discussed the colonial construct –the categorization of certain Scheduled Tribes in India as habitual offenders, the culture of caste, the role of state agencies, the plight of the marginalized.
- Workshop on 'Preparing for Research Project' by Dr. Parita Desai was conducted for the TYBA students on 17th November to understand the processes and methods required for conducting research.
- As part of lecture series on Research a workshop on 'Data Collection and Analysis: The use of Google forms' by Ms Prajakta Joshi, Assistant Professor, BSc IT was conducted on 21st November to understand the processes and steps involved in data collection.
- Exhibition on 'Exploring Maharashtra: Communities and Culture' was organized on 30th November 2022 to explore and celebrate the cultural heritage of Maharashtra. SYBA students showcased Maharashtra Art, culture, tourist attractions and cuisines.
- As part of IQAC initiative of celebration and commemorating International/ National days the Department conducted Online Quiz on 10 December 2022 - 'Human Rights Day' to test the participants' understanding of Human Rights.
- The Department screened Akshara Centre Film 'Soch Sahi Mard Wahi' on 1 February 2023 to understand how masculinity and inequality present in society are harmful for both men and women.
- An Expert session titled 'Surrogacy as Labour' by Dr. Mariyah Ghori, Associate Professor, Rizvi College was conducted for TYBA Sociology students on 2 February 2023 to learn about the issues and challenges faced by surrogate mothers discussing the findings on the extensive research conducted by Dr. Mariyah on surrogacy.



- The Department conducted various field visits as part of experiential learning. A Field visit was organized on 2 December 2022 to Aarey Colony to understand Development and Displacement, rural livelihood, and tribal communities. The students interacted with the tribal activists Mr. Akash Bhoir, Mrs. Pramila Prakash Bhoir as well as the locals.



- On 19 January 2023 students were taken on a visit to Mumbai Urban Arts Festival, Sassoon Dock to explore the changing trends of Mumbai's urban landscape through art.
- On 27-28 January 2023 Sociology students visited Hiware bazar, Ahmednagar to learn about the people-centric sustainable development model of Hiware bazar, a model village of India. Students interacted with the Sarpanch, Padma Shri Popatrao Pawar and learnt about his contributions in the transformation of the village. It was a very enriching experience for the students.
- On 10 February 2023 Field Visit was organized for the TYBA Sociology students to Dharavi Urban Informal Sector to understand the working conditions of informal sector workers. The students saw the living and working conditions of the migrant workers, leather workers, garment workers etc. They interacted with them to understand the issues faced by them. They also discussed with them the role of state and redevelopment and the impact on their livelihood.



- Under the MOU signed with Praja Foundation the Department coordinated a series a workshop on Urban Governance by Praja Foundation with the objective to make the youth aware of the structures and functioning of urban local governance so that they can actively participate in the governance process and provide them with a platform for dialogue on city governance. The 4 modules include Three tiers of Governance in India and City Governance, Status of Urban governance in India, Right to Information Act-2005, Constitution and Citizens. 60 students across courses attended the various sessions and 11 students completed the course with assignments submission and were awarded certificates for the same. Ms Chanda Bharti from SYBA also enrolled for the Internship with Praja Foundation.



- The Department has started an online Human Rights Certificate Course since February 2023 with the objective to educate students about: Human Rights and its Violations, Vulnerable and Marginalized Groups, Contemporary Issues, Laws and Provisions, Challenges before Law, Activism and Social Change. 21 students registered for the course that includes students from L.S. Raheja College, Vaze Kelkar College and Ratnam College. Resource people include Mr. Shailesh Gandhi- Former Central Information Commissioner, Dr. Bindhulakshmi P - Associate Professor, Tata Institute of Social Sciences, Adv Sanober Keshwar - Law Professor & Human Rights Activist, Adv Maharukh Adenwalla - Child Rights & Civil Liberties Lawyer and Activist and Dr Joseph M T Assistant Professor, University of Mumbai.
- Under UNICEF developed Passport to Earning (P2E) platform Sociology students completed online self-paced course on Digital Productivity offered by NIIT Foundation. They were awarded an online certificate from United Nations.

History

- The History department is dedicated to enhancing students' qualitative skills and cultivate their capacity for rational thought. The academic year began with organizing a certificate course in collaboration with Directorate of Archaeology and Museums, Under Ministry of Cultural Affairs of Government of Maharashtra for 9 days (40 Hours) from 19th July to 28th July 2022. The resource person for the certificate courses were Dr. Tejas Garge, Mr. Sandeep Dahisarkar, Mr. Omkar Kadu, Mr. Rutu Jadhav & Ms. Ankita Thakur. Total 64 students have successfully completed the course. The course covered wide range of History, Art and Architecture, Classical Indian Music, and Dance. The course concluded with two field visits at Vile Parle and Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj Vastu Sangrahalaya.
- Keeping in mind that parental involvement is the most significant component in a student's success in school and college, the department of History organised a Parents Teacher Meeting for TYBA students on 23rd July 2022 to discuss the growth, improvement, and areas to improvement of TYBA students. The meeting was successful since we covered several significant topics, including the students' accomplishments and other areas where they may grow. The meeting was a huge success since it enhanced discussion about academic concerns between parents and their kids.



- The history department had held a poster-making competition in honour of World Indigenous Day with the theme "Tribes of India" on 14th September 2022. The competition had overwhelming response of 34 students from FYBA, SYBA and TYBA.

- As a sister concern the department of History had conducted a book mark making activity for the 8th and 9th grade students of Malati Jayant Dalal School with the Special theme "Warli Painting" on 22nd September 2022. Total 300 students attended the activity. It is

important to mention TYBA students of History had taken initiative as they prepared PPT, presented it and assisted students in Book Mark making as well.



- In order to introduce the local history of the region, a guest lecture was organised on 'History of Mumbai' for FYBA students on 29th September 2022 under the Deeksharmbh programme initiated by University of Mumbai. The lecture covered pre-historic period to modern history of Mumbai.
- The Department of History organised field visit on 7th January 2023 at Nalasopara by experts in the field of Archaeology Mr. Siddhart Kale, Mr. Dhananjay Datar & Ms. Falak Chowdhary. The students were explained the concept of archaeological exploration with the demonstration. Students enjoyed exploring the historical mounds under the expert's supervision and collected archaeological artifacts.



- Department was excited to welcome Museum on Wheels exhibition on 24th January 2023. More than 2000 students visited the exhibition. The theme of the Museum was based on "Masterpieces of the Museum." The theme was selected keeping in mind all the section including school and college students. The exhibition was not only informative but also had various activities like coin making and seal making of Indus Valley Civilization. Student volunteers of History hosted the exhibition and explained the theme to the students and visitors.
- The Department of History and psychology in collaboration had organised educational visit to Jaipur and Ranthambhore from 6th to 11th February 2023. The visit covered the famous historical attractions of

Jaipur like Jantar Mahal & Amber Fort, Hawa Mahal, NIMS University & learn about its heritage during Jaipur Sightseeing Tour. Students also enjoyed the tour to Ranthambore fort and National Park.

- The Department had organized a specialized guest lectures for TYBA History students on 8th March 2023 by Mr. Arun Singh on the topic "Contemporary Indi" and on 10th March 2023 by Mr. Ajay Salunkhe on the topic "Digital Archives". The students benefited by both the lectures.
- The Department of History had organized field visit to Maharashtra State Archives on Saturday on 13th March 2023. Students were given tour to the various sections of the archives accompanied by the experts. Students were also given demonstration of conservation and preservation of the archival department. A complete process of digitization of archival material was demonstrated for the students.



Multi Jayant Dalal Library

- The library is the centre of excellent educational resources of the Sadhana Education Society's L.S. Raheja College of Arts and Commerce. Raheja College believes in holistic development of the students and library with its resources and services play a major role in achieving the objective of the college. The library is fully computerized using SLIM 21 Library Management Software. It remains open for users from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.
- Fast Facts:

Sr. No.	Type Of Collection	Numbers
1	Books	61178
2	CD-ROMS	1243
3	Journals/Magazines	44
4	Newspapers	16
5	Maps	06
6	Thesis	60
7	E-Books	20

- E-Resources:** E-Database: Library subscribed to the e-databases of
 - EBSCO E-Journals (1100+)
 - EBSCO Company Profiles (1200+)
 - INFLIBNET N-LIST
- Remote - Access Facility:** Raheja Digital Library - KNIMBUS comprises of all digital resources.
 - Library Services
 - Book Bank Service
 - Circulation
 - Current Awareness Service
 - External Membership
 - Indexing service
 - Open Access System
 - Project Room facility
 - Reprographic and Printing facility.
 - BYOD (Bring Your Own Device) facility
 - User Orientation
 - Wi-Fi Facility
 - User feedback practice through different formats
- Digital Services:**
 - Dedicated Library Website
 - Digital Institutional Repository (past years' question papers, syllabus, teachers' publications & government circulars).
- Digital Achieves:**
 - University of Mumbai Syllabus from 2003-2004
 - Circulars of University of Mumbai from 2003-2004
 - Government of Maharashtra G.R. for Higher Education from 1992-93
- E-Alert Services:**
 - Membership of National Digital Library (NDLI CLUB): .
 - Virtual Bookshelf
 - Online Book Exhibition
 - Ask@Librarian
 - Digital Content Service (Digital Document Delivery).
 - WEB OPAC

Awards & Achievements:

Best Library User Award For 2022-23	Mr. Himanshu Pandey (Student, T.Y.B.A.F.) Dr. Samya Shinde (Teaching Staff)
Best Digital Library User	Ms. Shagun Avinash Joshi (Student, T.Y.B.A.) Mr. Prashant Shelar (Teaching Staff)

- Community Services**
 - External Membership
 - Senior Citizen Book Club



New Services Added during 2022-23

- Reserve Your Study Room:** Library has provided facility to the students to reserve the study room for group study or doubt solving. Study room has seating capacity of 5 with one Wi-Fi enabled desktop.
- KIBO - Knowledge in Box -** Facility for Visually Impaired students. Visually Impaired students can read the printed as well as hand-written text with the help of KIBO. It also has the facility to translate the text into more than 100 national and international languages.
 - Listen printed and handwritten text
 - Translate documents across 100+ Global languages
 - Digitize and download documents in Editable Unicode formats
 - Low-vision accessibility tools
- QR Code Facility:** Library is using QR Code to provide information about library services and activities like to share contact details, link to websites and outline information sources, promotions, link to videos, link to full-text journals/articles, send out library notices and announcements, library outreach/ event details/ reminder alerts, etc.



KIBO - Knowledge in Box



Co-curricular Activities Organized by The Library

Sr. No.	Activity	Name of Activity
1	Training Program	Exploring the EBSCO Management Collection (E-Resources) for Learning and Research
2	Training Program	Exploring the EBSCO Management Collection (E-Resources) for Learning and Research
3	Guest Lecture	Celebration of Chartered Accountants Day: Guest Lecture on "Proposed Scheme of Education and Training"
4	Training Program	Exploring KNIMBUS Digital Library for Remote Access
5	Training Program	Exploring KNIMBUS Digital Library for Remote: for SYJC
6	Training Program	Exploring KNIMBUS Digital Library for Remote: for Second- and Third-Year students for SFC.
7	Training Program	Exploring KNIMBUS Digital Library for Remote: for Second- and Third-Year students for Aided Section
8	Book Exhibition	Book Exhibition of Rare Books and Library Science Books on the Occasion of Librarian's Day
9	Book Exhibition	Book Exhibition of Hindi Books on the Occasion of Celebration of Hindi Diwas



10	Book Exhibition	Book Exhibition of Rare Books, Biographies, Marathi, and Hindi Books on the Occasion of Celebration of Vachan Prerna Divas
11	Training Program	Training Program: Exploring the Digital Library: KNIMBUS & E-Resources of EBSCO for FYB.Com Students
12	Training Program	Training Program - Exploring the Digital Library: KNIMBUS & E-Resources of EBSCO for F.Y.B.A Students
13	Book Exhibition	Book Exhibition of Indian History Books on the Occasion of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel Jayanti
14	Book Exhibition	Book Exhibition of Fictions and Novels on the Occasion of Celebration of Children's Day
15	Book Exhibition	Book Exhibition of Marathi Books on the Occasion of Marathi Bhasha Pandherwada
16	18th Book Fair-Gyanyatra	18th Book Fair-Gyanyatra
17	Book Exhibition	Book Exhibition "Indian Culture & Heritage" on the occasion of Vasant Panchami celebration
18	Faculty Development Program	One Day Workshop on Designing Learner Centric E-Content
19	Book Exhibition	Book Exhibition on the Occasion of Marathi Bhasha Diwas



Master of Commerce

- The M. Com department is run under the headship of Mr. Raju D. Gole. M. Com program outline & subjects offered in each semester was framed in such manner that the students are exposed to latest trends in relevant branches of knowledge, competence, and creativity to face global challenges.
- An orientation programme was organised for M. Com Part I Students on 20th September, 2022. The purpose of programme was to make students aware of college rules and regulations on various matters such as examination, discipline, committees, extra-curricular activities, etc.
- Degree distribution ceremony was organised by the College for students on 27th April 2023 for the distribution of Degrees.
- Prize distribution ceremony was organised by the College for students on 20th April 2023 for the distribution of Prizes.

Extra-Curricular Activities Committee

- The Extra Curricular Activities Committee organized various cultural activities during the year with active participation from staff and students. The events showcased the talents of the students at the same time developed their organization skills as the various events were coordinated by the students.
- Guru Purnima was celebrated in July. On the eve of Independence Day, the committee in coordination with NCC celebrated Independence Day. Flag hoisting ceremony was conducted. Cultural activities included patriotic singing, play, speeches, and dance performances. Teachers' Day was celebrated in September 2022 to celebrate the contribution of the teachers to nation building. The students organized cultural events and games for the teachers and appreciated the efforts of the teachers.



- Talent hunt for the students was organized in July and September 2022. This gave opportunity to the students to display their talents in performing arts and fine arts. The traditional festival of garba was organized in October in the college premises. Students celebrated the traditional garba with enthusiasm.
- The Annual Day was held on 21st December 2022 at St Andrews Auditorium, Bandra where students showcased their talents in cultural fields like dance, singing, instrumental and Fashion show.
- Republic Day was celebrated on 26th January in coordination with NCC. NCC cadets participated in Drill and Marching showing different formation while marching. This year the school squad also participated in NCC March past.
- The Intercollegiate fest Unmesh of the Degree Aided was held on 23rd and 24th January 2023. A variety of events like leaf painting, style your case, fashion show, solo dance, box cricket, Fashion Show, Treasure Hunt etc. were held. The event was very well attended by students from various colleges. Intercollegiate fest Parallax of BMS, BSCIT, BAF, BFM, and BBI was organized.
- Parallax 2023 was held on the 19th, 20th, and 21st of January. The fest was held in college premises with great enthusiasm & courage to win the Title. In a theme "A Quest to conquer" various realms with different superpowers that will engage into combat to win throne of Parallax. This not only takes us back and connects us to our ancestors but also gives a perfect opportunity to be creative and create our own rules and take the fun to another level, experience a lot of excitement and innovative ideas.
- As the tradition follows, before the festival, Team Parallax held their plantation drive 'Vrukshit' to promote afforestation. In which 30 saplings were planted inside the college premises and many more were planted by the students in their neighbourhood. The festival of 3 days had events that included brainstorming, management skills, performing arts, and more; like Debate, Advertising, Comic, Stand-up, Treasure hunt. Attended by more than 400+ participants and 15+ colleges.



- The winners for Parallax 2023 were as follows:
 - Best College- Arendelle (K J Somaiya College)
 - 1st Runner Up- Atlantis (KES Shroff College)
 - 2nd Runner Up- Bollyville (RD National College)
 - Best Aspiring College - Krypton (RD National College)
 - Best CL - Wonderland (NK College)
- Parallax 2023 was made successful with the support of the teachers and participants. With this, Parallax wishes to abide by their Expect the Unexpected tradition and come back next year with more such exhilarating events. Retake, the annual inter-collegiate national level mass media festival, organized by the BAMMC department of L. S Raheja College of Arts and Commerce was held in January 2023.
- Raheja week was held on 16th -20th February 2023. Activities like Chocolate Day, Bollywood day, Solo Dance competition, Mr. and Ms. Unmesh and Traditional Day was celebrated with great enthusiasm.
- The Annual prize distribution was held in April 2023. The students were felicitated with trophy and certificates for their academic achievements, were appreciated for their participation in Co-Curricular and Extra-Curricular Activities and for their leadership skills. The occasion was graced by the chief guest Dr Anil Singh, Principal, Thakur Ramnarayan College of Law.
- The Degree distribution ceremony was held in April 2023 for Degree college students of 21-22 batch. The students were awarded the degree by Dr. Madhavi and CAO Mr. Vijay Parmar.
- Youth Festival: The University of Mumbai organised the 55th Intercollegiate Youth Festival 2022-2023. It was coordinated by Ms Puja Patwardhan. Mr. Atharva Vaidya, currently studying in TYBAMMC, had the opportunity to represent the University of Mumbai at National level.
- He was selected for the event of Western Group Song by the University of Mumbai. He represented the University at State level, West zone, and Nationals. He was also a part of the Qawwali team which competed directly for nationals and the team managed to bag the Gold medal. It was held in Sharda University, Noida.



- Mr. Rushikesh Vaigankar, student of TYB.Com, won the third prize at the Mr. University Competition (Jackpot round) of the Youth festival.



Intercollegiate Fests: Like every year, the students participated in various inter collegiate festivals and brought back accolades. The list of festivals and colleges participated and won has been attached below. The Contingent Leaders of every department have worked hard along with their team members to achieve this success.



Cultural Achievements – 2022-23

Sr. No.	Title of Achievements	Organising College/Institute	Name Of Event/Fest	Department
1	Best College	N.K College Malad	Springz	BMS
2	Best College	SK Somaiya College	Lehar	BMS
3	Runner Up College	KJ Somaiya College of Arts and Commerce	Hooner	BMS
4	Runner Up College	Sydenham College Churchgate	Brouhaha	BMS
5	Best CL	Thakur College Kandivali	Brahmotsav	BMS
6	Most Participating College	Universal College Ghatkopar	Prarambhh	BMS & BScIT
7	Best College	RD National College	Malang	BAF
8	Best PR	RD National College	Malang	BAF
9	Best College	Lala Lajpat Rai College	Prodigy	BAF
10	Best PR	Atlas College	Inferno	BAF
11	Best College	N.K College Malad	Pravaah	BAF
12	2nd Runner Up	RD National College	Mumbai Dreams	BAF
13	Best College	Lala Lajpat Rai College	Hunar	BAF
14	Best College	Thakur College Kandivli	Vidhyut	BAF

15	Best College	Vidyalankar College	Viyour	BSCIT
16	Best College	RD National College	Techtris	BSCIT
17	Best CL	RD National College	Techtris	BSCIT
18	Best College	RD National College	Syntechx	BBi & BScIT
19	Best PR	RD National College	Syntechx	BBi & BScIT
20	Runner Up College	Sies College Sion	Fantasies	BFM
21	2nd Runner Up College	Podar College	Finaac	BFM
22	Best CL	Podar College	Finaac	BFM
23	2nd Runner Up College	Podar College	Mathematrix	BBi
24	Best College	BK Birla College	Merakii	BAMMC
25	Best PR	Ruia College	Tiltshift	BAMMC
26	Best CL	NG Acharya	Pixel	BAMMC
27	Runner Up College	Lala Lajpat Rai College	Epitome	BBi



Marathi Vangmay Mandal

- Marathi Vangmay Mandal has an objective to provide a platform to Marathi speaking students and all who love Marathi literature. Activities are conducted to encourage students to read Marathi literature.
- Following competitions were held during the current academic year.
 - Essay
 - Solo and group singing
 - Handwriting
 - Cross word
 - Rangoli
- During the Marathi bhasha Savardhan pandharvada celebrated during January 14th to January 28th 2023, the activities were conducted as follows:
 - Screening Marathi play - Hasvafasvi
 - Poster Making Competition related to Maharashtra State
 - Cultural - Maharashtrachi Lokdhara
 - Marathi songs Antakshari
 - Kathakathan - Marathi story telling
 - Workshop on careers on Akashvani by Rajendra Patankar, retired RJ on Akashvani, Mumbai
 - Pustak - Parichay Book review competition
 - Prashnamanjusha - Quiz competition
 - Felicitation of emerging Sahityik Mr. Manoj Naiksatam
 - Workshop on Modee lipi -by Ms. Pooja Yadav, head, department of History
 - Release of Ankur handwritten magazine and prize distribution.
- On 27th February, Marath Rajbhasha Din was celebrated by conducting poetry recitation competition to pay ---- to great poet and play writer Kusumagraj.



National Service Scheme (N.S.S.)

- A total of 100 volunteers enrolled this year for NSS who are indulged in community service throughout the year. They have started the work in Juhu Koliwada as it is there adopted area since 17.9.22 as Coastal clean-up drive. It was followed by volunteering at Andheri Railway station for Blood Donation Camp on 28.9.22. Nearness to Juhu beach allows our NSS volunteers to help the Santacruz police at various occasions like Chhat Pooja (held on 30.10.2022) and Ganapati visarjan.
- Volunteers got the chance to participate as spectators in the University's Cultural Exchange programme between 2 nations held on 18.11.22.
- One boy and one girl volunteer attended the Leadership training camp. It was a very nice and peaceful rally under the guidance of Dr. Akshata Kulkarni and Ms. Prajakta Joshi, with total 110 students (50 DLLE volunteers) on 9th December where more than 60 NSS Volunteers participated from college to Juhu beach on the occasion of Mazi Mumbai –Swaccha Mumbai Campaign of the Mumbai Municipal corporation. The BMC Officers Mr. Jadhav along with the Santacruz Police accompanied us throughout the rally. Prior to this rally, the Oath given by the BMC was being recited in all the degree aided and unaided classes by the class mentors as well as the Junior college also.
- Aasha Jha participated in Samvidhan Gaurav speech competition held on 17.12.22.
- Mrs. Meeta Lochan, IAS, the Hon Secretary, Ministry of youth affairs interacted volunteers on 13th December which was liked by all.

- On 25th December, our volunteers helped the Santacruz police in Christmas bandobast in Santacruz, West.

- Total 50 + volunteers attended the 7 days camp at Badlapur with the programme officer Mr. Ramsagar Yadav from 27th December 22 to 4th January 23.



- In the new year, total 10 volunteers helped in the World Education Fair in the college auditorium on 6.1.23. In the following Road Safety Week, volunteers helped the Santacruz police on 11th January and on 12th January, the RTO officer Mr. Milind Nagpure and his team has come to college and they gave oath on rules to be followed while driving on the roads. The 18 volunteers along with Dr. Akshata Kulkarni got a chance to listen to a motivational speech given by the youngest founder of Global Dexterity Mr. Sharad Vivek Sagar at the Ramkrishna Math Vivekanand Jayanti Utsav on the National Youth Day on 12th January.
- In the celebration of Republic Day on 26th January 12 volunteers performed a street play in the morning on the topic of Remembering Covid days. On 28th, they went to attend the street play in Elphinstone college.

- The IITian Dr. Varadraj Bapat inspired the volunteers on 31st January in the topic entitled "Swami Vivekanand ji ke Sapno ka Bharat". This programme was sponsored by Students Development Foundation.
- On 8th February 10 NSS volunteers along with Nisarg members attended a function Youth for Ethical Governance at Shanmukhanand Saraswati hall at Matunga.
- A session entitled Make a Dent contest by TV 18 was held where more than 120 students participated along with NSS Volunteers on 17th February.
- 3 volunteers helped in the lecture organized by staff academy on NEP on 24TH Feb.
- And on 26th February volunteers got the chance to get inspiration and motivation from the founder of Art of Living Sri Sri Ravishankar at Goregaon. This was the last programme of the year for NSS.
- This year the NSS volunteers under the leadership of Abhishek Yadav, a TYB.Com student and ex NSS volunteer, did a remarkable job by helping the Junior college authorities in maintaining the discipline of the outside students for their 12th standard exam at least for 10 days in the absence of the supporting staff who were on strike.



National Cadet Corps (N.C.C.)

- 1st May – Maharashtra Day: On 1st May, 2022 Maharashtra Day was celebrated by the college. Maharashtra day is celebrated every year to commemorate the formation of Maharashtra state. An exceptional drill performance was demonstrated by the NCC cadets. Marathi Vangmay Mandal students presented powada. National Mallakhamb Player Mayure Pashte was felicitated by the Principal.
- 21st June - International Yoga Day: On the Occasion of International Yoga Day our College N.C.C Committee and Gymkhana committee organised "Bramhakumari Yoga Session" & " Decathlon Yoga Session " Collaboration with NCC 1 Maharashtra Naval Unit on 21st June 2022. Yoga session Conducted by Bramhakumaris Yoga Instructor (Sisters). & Decathlon Instructor. More than 80 participants of our college get benefit of these session. All the staff members with the Principal, attended the programme.



- 26th July - Kargil Vijay Diwas : Kargil Vijay Diwas is celebrated on 26th July every year in honour of the Kargil War's Heroes. The NCC unit of the college had organized Kargil Vijay Diwas Programme on the 26th July, 2022 to commemorate Kargil war heroes and honour them at College Entrance Gate. A short skit demonstrating the courage of the brave heroes was presented by the NCC Cadets which was highly appreciated by the Principal. All staff members and students also attended Kargil Vijay Diwas Celebration.



- 4th December (3rd December) - Navy Day Celebration: This year our college NCC committee, for the 1st time, celebrated Navy Day on the occasion of Indian Navy Day. Our NCC cadets organise Navy Exhibition for all. Exhibition inaugurated by the Principal. In this exhibition we arranged Hand Written presentation of origin of Indian Navy to today Indian navy. We also arranged ship modelling, knots used in Indian Navy, semaphore, - Message passing, Rank of Navy and one of the best Line Area- Rangoli of Chatrapati Shivaji Maharaj contribution in Indian Navy. Raheja college students, Malti Dalal Secondary and primary school students, and teaching faculty visited this exhibition.

- 26th January – Republic Day: Every year our college celebrated 26th January – Republic Day by our NCC cadets. Total 28 NCC cadets participated in Drill and Marching. 1st year squad and 2nd year squad shows different formation while marching. This year school student squad also part of NCC March pass.



- 11th February – Annual Sports: Every year our college NCC Cadets perform Drill on Annual Sports Day. On Annual Sports Day they salute College Flag and sing the National Anthem.

- Road Safety- Ganapati visarjan/ Christmas celebration: Our College NCC Cadets were participated in Road Safety movement organised by Santacruz Police station on Ganapati Visarjan and Christmas celebration evening at Juhu Choupaati.



Internal Committee

- This year Adv. Kamayani Mahabal was appointed as an advocate in IC. She has replaced advocate madam Smita Patil as her term of 3 years got over. Similarly, Dhruvi Bharadia (TYBA) and Shalvi Shah (M.Com. Part I) also replaced Yasvi Chheda and Shruti Samant as both of them left the college after their graduation. Samiksha Prajapati from TYBAF. The first programme was personality development and Menstrual hygiene held on 27.7.2022. More than 120 girl students attended and received a certificate of participation and a gift hamper. The program was sponsored by Whisper and Million minds. The resource person was Ms. Sanyukta Keluskar.



- This year a contract was signed between our college and Red Dot foundation. The First programme that was conducted on 20th September 2022 was a workshop about making students aware about the street harassment and safe campus entitled "Dealing with street Harassment". The resource person was Ms. Pragati Vaishya. More than 120 students attended the function in auditorium.

- The Red Dot foundation identified 6 girls from our college to participate in a program entitled "Rainbow circle". The girls received training from the authorities for nearly 6 days and then they performed a street play on 18th December in the college campus.

- On 6th March 2023, the Nirbhaya squad of Santacruz police station conducted a self Defence workshop for the girls. More than 90 girl students participated which was conducted in Upavan by the LIMKA book of records recipient Mr. Mahesh Nawale and his team of 13 members.

- More than 120 girls participated in a program entitled "Mental Health and Personality development" on 8.3.2023. The resource person was Advocate Kamayani Mahabal.



- Every year we celebrate International Women's Day and we felicitate all the teaching, non-teaching, supporting female staff by the hands of the Principal Dr. Sarkar.

Sports and Gymkhana

- International Yoga Day: On the Occasion of International Yoga Day our College Gymkhana Committee organized "Bramhakumari Yoga Session" & "Decathlon Yoga Session" in collaboration with NCC 1 Maharashtra Naval Unit on 21st June 2022. Yoga session conducted by Bramhakumaris Yoga Instructor (Sisters) & Decathlon Instructor. More than 80 participants of our college get benefit of these sessions. All the staff members with the Principal attended this programme.



- Chess Interclass: Selection of Chess for Intercollegiate University Competition was conducted for College Students on 11th August 2022 at College Gymkhana (Ground Gymkhana) where 4 Girls and 20 boys participated. Only boys were found to be competitive enough to represent college at Chess Intercollegiate Tournament organized by University of Mumbai.

Chess Interclass	Place	Name of Student	Class
	1 st	Arvind Khushwah	T.Y.B.Com
	2 nd	Farhan Ali Qazi	F.Y.BAF
	3 rd	Deepak Nishad	S.Y.Bsc.IT

- Table Tennis Interclass: Selection of Table Tennis for Intercollegiate University Competition was conducted for College Students on 12th August 2022 at College Gymkhana (Ground Gymkhana) 20 boys participated. Gymkhana Committee Members and Table Tennis Players conducted this Interclass Competition under the guidance of Sports Teacher for selection of best Table Tennis players for the University Intercollegiate Competition.

Table Tennis Interclass	Place	Name of Student	Class
	1 st	Mohd. Rayaam Mukadam	S.Y.BMS
	2 nd	Umang Dedhiy	F.Y.BMS
	3 rd	Nayan Jain	T.Y.BFM
	4 th	Rishabh Sangoi	TYBFM
	5 th	Taher Jawadwala	T.Y.BSC.IT

- Football Selection: Selection of Football for Intercollegiate University Competition was conducted for College Students on 11th August 2022 at College Ground where more than 50 boys and 5 girls participated. Gymkhana Committee Members and Present and Past Football Players conducted this Interclass Competition selection under the guidance of Sports Teacher for selection of best Football players for the University Intercollegiate Competition.



- Badminton Selection: Selection of Badminton for Intercollegiate University Competition was conducted for the College Students. Badminton selection was done on 6th September 2022 at Andheri Sports Complex. Gymkhana Committee Members and Badminton Players conducted this Interclass Competition under the guidance of the Sports Teacher for selection of best Badminton players for the University Intercollegiate Competition.

Badminton Interclass					
Place	Boys	Class	Place	Girls	Class
1 st	Keluskar Mayuresh	T.Y.BMS	1 st	Sama Padvekar	T.Y.BMM
2 nd	Singh Uday	T.Y.BMS	2 nd	Maitreya Parvekar	S.Y.B.Com
3 rd	S. Kaushik	F.Y.B.Com	3 rd	Maina Suthar	F.Y.B.A



- Intercollegiate Shooting Competition: This year our college had 3 players for the 1st time in a shooting competition organized by Zone 2 Mumbai University. Ashwini Nayak and Payal Solanki secured 3rd and 7th rank in this competition. Ashwini Nayak was selected for Interzonal competition conducted by University of Mumbai and secured the 2nd Place in Team event.

- Inter Zonal Chess Tournament – University of Mumbai: This year our college got an opportunity to conduct Interzonal Chess Men's and Women's Tournament on behalf of the University of Mumbai. More than 40 players from 4 zones of the University of Mumbai participated in this competition. It was held in the college Auditorium on 12th and 13th September 2022. Players who won were selected to represent the University of Mumbai at West Zone University Tournament.



- Inter Zonal Lawn Tennis– University of Mumbai: This year our college get opportunity to conduct Interzonal Lawn Tennis Men's and Women's Tournament on behalf of the University of Mumbai. 20 to 40 players from 4 zones of the University of Mumbai participated in this competition. It was held at Tuff Tennis Academy at Juhu, Andheri. Players who won were selected to represent the University of Mumbai at West Zone University Tournament. Our college student Mr. Karim Khan also participated in that competition and won the 1st place in Interzonal level. He represented the University and was Captain of University Lawn Tennis Men's Team.

- Volleyball: Our college volleyball team represented our college at Intercollegiate Volleyball Men's Tournament organized by Zone 2 University of Mumbai under the guidance of coach Venu Maddirala and Sports Director Dr. Dipali Patil. The team was selected at the quarter



finals against Thakur college. This year our college Women's Volleyball Team participated in a University Competition. One of our player Mr. Tanay Trivedi represented the Mumbai team at Maharashtra state volleyball tournament and secured runner up position in the team event.



- Kabaddi & Kho- Kho:** Our college Kabaddi and Kho-Kho team represented the college at Intercollegiate Kabaddi and Kho- Kho tournament at Viva College, Virar and Chembur college, Chembur.
- Football:** The college football male teams showed marvellous performance in University Intercollegiate Football Tournament Zone 2. Our boys' team defeated the opponent team with a marginal score point. They lost their 4th match against Thakur college in quarters. Except for the University tournament, the football team won various intercollegiate events during this year. Our 1 football women player Ms. Maitreya Parwekar was selected in the inter zonal tournament and represented zone 2 for the event.
- Carrom Selection:** Selection of Carrom Team for Intercollegiate University Competition was conducted for College Students at College Gymkhana.

Carrom Interclass					
Place	Boys	Class	Place	Girls	Class
1 st	Mehul Bamaniya	T.Y.B.Com	1 st	Sarita Gupta	T.Y.BAF
2 nd	Durgesh Jadhav	F.Y.B.Com	2 nd	Rut Thoppil	S.Y.B.Com
3 rd	Owais Shaikh	T.Y.B.Com	3 rd	Muskan Mansoori	S.Y.B.Com

- Raheja Sports Week:** After 2 years of lockdown, our college Gymkhana Committee organised Raheja Sports Week. We organized Interclass competition between Aided Section and Unaided section as well as 1st year, 2nd year and 3rd year classes for games such as Chess Team - Individual, Carrom Team-Individual, Table- Tennis Team - Individual, Badminton Team - Individual, Kabaddi, Volleyball, Box-Cricket, Tug of War and Football. We also selected the champion team in the Aided and Unaided section. This year the Aided Team won more than 3 team games and they won the Championship Trophy.

Team / Winners Name - Raheja Sports Week				
Sr. No.	Name of The Game	Winners Players / Team		
		1 st Place	2 nd Place	3 rd Place
1	Chess	Arvind Khushwah - T.Y.B.Com	Farhan Ali Ganji - S.Y.BAF	Deepak Nishad - SY.Bsc.IT
2	Carrom	Mehul Bamania - T.Y.B.Com	Durgesh Jadhav - F.Y.B.Com	Owais Shaik - T.Y.B.Com
		Sarita Gupta - T.Y.BAF	Rut Thoppil - S.Y.B.Com	Muskan Mansoori - S.Y.B.Com

3	Table Tennis Individual	Kaushal Suvarna - T.Y.Bsc.IT	Kanhucharan Gauda - T.Y.Bsc.IT	Yohan T.Y.Bsc.IT
	Team	BSc.IT	B.Com	
4	Badminton	T.Y.B.A	Bsc.IT	BMS
		T.Y.B.A	BAF	B.COM
5	Kabaddi	T.Y.B.COM	BBi	F.Y.B. COM
6	Box-Cricket	F.Y.B. COM	BSC.IT	T.Y.B.COM
7	Volleyball	BMS	T.Y.B. COM	F.Y.B. COM
8	Tug of War	BAF	T.Y.B. COM	BFM
	Football	F.Y.BMS	S.Y.B. COM	T.Y.B. COM

- Kridangan – Box Cricket: This year was the 1st time our college organized an intercollegiate Box-Cricket Tournament- Kridangan on 31st January 2023. 9 players from 16 college's total 144 students participated in this competition. Prizes for the winning team are cash prize, certificate, and medals. A Tournament was conducted as a knock out round.

Rank	Name	CC Code
1 st	Valia College (Andheri)	Trozans
2 nd	Modi Institute	Power Hitters

- Fittest Boy- Fittest Girl: Fittest boy- Fittest girl competition is the one of the best competitions organized by Raheja Gymkhana. In this competition our committee conducted various competitions of individual fitness test on Health-Related Physical Fitness. Such as, Harward step test, sit ups, push ups, shuttle run, sit, and reach, suryanamaskar, plank, ardhahalas, naukasan etc. After calculating scores of participants, the highest scoring boy and girl were announced as Raheja Fittest Boy and Raheja Fittest Girl.

Fittest Boy / Fittest Girl					
Place	Boys	Class	Place	Girls	Class
1 st	Mayur Pashte	TYB.Com	1 st	Anamika Gupta	FYJC
2 nd	Rahul Das	FYB.Com	2 nd	Labonee Kumbhare	TYBA
3 rd	Satish Mishra	FYB.Com	3 rd	Maitreya Deshmukh Parwekar	FYB.Com

- Annual Sports Day: Annual Sports Day – Athletic Meet is the final competition conducted by our Gymkhana committee only for college students. In this competition we organize various activities related to track and field events. We organized a 3 km Run race on Annual Sports Day. In Field events we organized competitions such as Standing Broad Jump and Shot Put and in Recreational Event competitions such as Three Leg Race and skipping rope race conducted by our college Gymkhana committee.



• Shot Put (Degree College Boys)

Rank	Name	Class
1 st	Dinesh Singh Mojawat	TYBSc.IT
2 nd	Kanhucharan Gouda	TYBSc.IT
3 rd	Xerxes Jogina	FYBA

• Shot Put (Degree College Girls)

Rank	Name	Class
1 st	Ariya Pillai	SYB.Com
2 nd	Priyanshi Gala	TYB.Com
3 rd	Tasneem Idrisi	TYB.Com

• Standing Broad Jump (Degree College Boys)

Rank	Name	Class
1 st	Ashish Thakur	TYB.Com
2 nd	Mayur Pashte	TYB.Com
3 rd	Satish Mishra	FYB.Com

• Standing Broad Jump (Degree College Girls)

Rank	Name	Class
1 st	Chanda Thakur	SYB.Com
2 nd	Tasneem Idrisi	TYB.Com
3 rd	Ariya Pillai	SYB.Com

• Three Leg Race (Degree College Boys)

Rank	Name	Class
1 st	Rahul Vishwakarma	SYB.Com
	Harsh Sawant	SYB.Com
2 nd	Ninad Teli	SYB.Com
	Ashish Thakur	TYB.Com
3 rd	Mayur Pashte	TYB.Com
	Dinesh Singh Mojawat	TYBSc.IT
	Himanshu Mishra	SYB.Com
	Vishal Kushwaha	SYB.Com

• Three Leg Race (Degree College Girls)

Rank	Name	Class
1 st	Aarti Singh	TYB.Com
	Priyanshi Gala	TYB.Com
2 nd	Soni Raut	FYBA
	Kajal Yadav	FYB.Com

• Skipping (Degree College Boys)

Rank	Name	Class
1 st	Ashish Thakur	TYB.Com
2 nd	Alok Chaudhary	FYB.Com
3 rd	Dilip Yadav	TYB.Com

• Skipping (Degree College Girls)

Rank	Name	Class
1 st	Soni Raut	FYBA
2 nd	Sheetal Raut	FYB.Com
3 rd	Sneha Sahu	FYB.Com

• Marathon 3 Km (Degree College Boys)

Rank	Name	Class
1 st	Nitish Sharma	FYB.Com
2 nd	Mayur Pashte	TYB.Com
3 rd	Ninad Teli	SYB.Com

• Marathon 3 Km (Degree College Girls)

Rank	Name	Class
1 st	Manisha Kawade	SYB.Com
2 nd	Ariya Pillai	SYB.Com
3 rd	Nandini Nishad	SYB.Com

• Competitions Organised by College:

- College Organized Inter-zonal **Chess** Competition under the guidance of University of Mumbai
- College Organized Inter-zonal **Lawn Tennis** Competition under the guidance of University of Mumbai.
- College organised Fest- "क्रीडांगण" Intercollegiate Box - Cricket Tournament.
- College Conducted Intra Class Competition " **Raheja Sports Week** " for college Students.
- College Conducted Raheja " **Fittest Boy - Fittest Girl** " Competition for College Students.



- Summer Camp: The college organised a summer camp for Degree college students. In this camp we conducted various sports practices for college students. The Summer camp was organised from 18th April to 26th April 2023.



- Sports Participation: Our college students participated in various games such as Cross Country , Volleyball, Chess, Mallakhamb, Lawn Tennis, Cricket, Carrom, Table Tennis, Athletics, Shooting, Kabaddi, Kho-Kho , Boxing, Taekwondo, Badminton and Football at Intercollegiate Level. Games like Shooting, Mallakhamb, Athletics and Lawn Tennis our College Players participated at Interzonal as well as University West Zone Competitions.

List Of Achievements:

- ✓ Karim Khan student of SYBMS secured 1st place in Inter Zonal Lawn Tennis Tournament conducted by University of Mumbai and was selected for All India Inter University- West Zone Lawn Tennis Tournament and Represented University of Mumbai as Men's Team Captain.
- ✓ Ashwini Nayak student of S.Y.B.Com secured 3rd place in Shooting – Open Air Rifle in Mumbai Zone 2 Competition and was selected for Interzonal Competition and won 2nd place in Interzonal Team Event.
- ✓ Mayur Pashte student of T.Y.B.Com was selected for Interzonal Mallakhamb competition in Mumbai University Zonal Competition.
- ✓ Yogesh Thavervittel secured 2nd place in Kickboxing and was selected for Maharashtra Olympic Games.
- ✓ Tanay Trivedi student of SYBMS was selected in Mumbai Zone Team Volleyball Tournament for Youth Volleyball State Championship organised by Maharashtra Volleyball Association.
- ✓ Maitreya Deshmukh Parwekar was selected in Mumbai Zone 2 Football Women's Team.
- ✓ Pinak Patel student of T.Y.B.Com and Avantika Pote student of S.Y.BMS secured 1st Place in Carrom Team Event organised by Sydenham College. They also participated in various carrom competitions and won.
- ✓ Kanchuvaran Gauda student of T.Y.B.Sc.I.T. T.Y.B.Sc.IT Secured 1st place in Rizvi Marathon (3 KM), 2nd Place in Vakola Mini Marathon (5 Km) and participated in various Road Races.
- ✓ Deepak Nishad student of S.Y.B.Sc.IT won 2nd Place Vidyalankar college, Sion and Tolani College, Andheri.
- ✓ Our college Football team secured 1st Place in Techtris event organised by R.D. National College, and also won 2nd Place in PRODIGY event organised by Lala Lajapatrai College of commerce and UTKARSH event organised by KES College.
- ✓ Our College Box Cricket Team secured 1st Place in the PRODIGY event organised by Lala Lajapatrai College of commerce. And also won 2nd place in Box cricket competition in the HOONER event organised by K.J. Somaiya College of Arts and Commerce.
- ✓ Our college Volleyball Team secured 2nd Place at Nagindas Khandwala college.



• **Achievements of students:**

Lawn Tennis	Karim Khan - S.Y.BMS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1st Place in University Zone 2 Intercollegiate Competition 1st Place in University Interzonal Competition Represent University of Mumbai West Zone Lawn Tennis Competition Participated in Tennis Premier League Participated in ITA - All India Tennis Association
Mallakhamb	Mayur Pashte - T.Y.B.COM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Selected and represented Zone 2 in University Interzonal Mallakhamb Competition Presented Mallakhamb Demonstration show in Mumbai Urban Art Festival organised by St+art Indian Foundation in collaboration with Asian Paints at Sasoon Dock
Kick-Boxing	Yogesh Thavervittel - T.Y.B.A	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Won 1st Place in SBKF 7th National games 2022 - Sanyukt Bharatiya Khe Foundation - Madhya Pradesh Won 1st Place in Maharashtra State Olympic Games 2023
Rifle Shooting	Ashwini Nayak - S.Y.B.COM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Won 3rd Place in Intercollegiate Open Air Rifle shooting competition organised by University of Mumbai Zone 2 Represented Zone 2 in Inter Zonal Open Air Rifle Shooting Competition in Team Event Won 2nd Place in Interzonal Open Air Rifle Team Event organised by University of Mumbai
Cross Country	Kanhucharan Gouda - T.Y.Bsc.IT	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Secured 19th Place in Intercollegiate Cross Country (10 KM) Tournament organised by Zone 2 - 40.43 Min Secured 6th Place in Kisna Diamond Marathon- Run for Swatch Bharat organised by BDC,BKC- Bandra Won 1st Place in Vakola Mini Marathon 5KM - 18.07 Min Won 1st Place in Superfit Juhu Marathn 5 Km - 19.00 Min
Cross Country	Neetesh Sharma - F.Y.B.Com	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Secured 20th Place in Intercollegiate Cross Country (10 KM) Tournament organised by Zone 2 Won 2nd Place in Vakola Mini Marathon 5KM
Chess		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> University Zone 2 Chess competition our students secured place in Top 20 player among 300 students.
	Deepak Nishad - S.Y.Bsc. IT	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Won 2nd place in Vidyalankar college fest.
Football	College Football Team	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Our college football Team won 3 Matches continuously in Zone 2 Football tournament and reach to the Quarter Finals) Football Team won various trophies in Intercollegiate Fest organised by colleges. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1st Place in Techtris organised by R.D. National College - Bandra



		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 2nd Place in Prodigy organised by Lala Lajpatrai College – Mahalaxmi 2nd Place in Utkarsh organised by KES College – Khar
Volleyball	College Volleyball Team	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Our college Men's Volleyball Team reached Pre – Quarter in University Tournament 2nd Place in Nagindas Khandwala College – Malad Our college Volleyball Women's Team Participated in University Tournament
Volleyball	Tanay Trivedi (F.Y.BMS)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Selected from Mumbai team for State level volleyball championship.
Carrom	Pinak Patel	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Won 1st Place in Fest – "Brouhaha -22" – by Sydenham College Churchgate Won 2nd Place in Fest- "Mumbai Dreams" by Sydenham College Churchgate Won 1st Place in Fest – "Malang" organised by RD National- Bandra
Carrom	Avantika Pote	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Won 1st Place in Fest - "Brouhaha -22" organised by Sydenham College Churchgate
Box Cricket		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 2nd place in Fest – Hooner organised by Somaiya college – Vidyavihar 2nd Place in Fest - "Prodigy" organised by Lala Lajpatrai College – Mahalaxmi 1st Place in Techtris organised by R.D. National College – Bandra

Pre-Placement Training and Placement Cell

- The Pre-Placement training and Placement cell of L. S. Raheja college of Arts and Commerce, has been actively working with recruiters from various industries to provide employment opportunities to our students.
- The Cell has taken various initiatives for students' upskilling and training, including efforts to undertake MoUs with skill training organizations. Out of our persistent efforts, several have been fruitful and various students have been placed in various companies in internships as well as full-time jobs.
- Campus Recruitment Drive was conducted on 31st March, 2023. Several positions were offered by the 8 recruiting companies in the drive and a total of 125 students participated in the same.
- Motilal Oswal, Anand Rathi, Edventus, Toothsi, Ebixcash, Brightfuture, Lite bite foods, Athena BPO, Snail Consultancy Private Limited, Meghnad Desai Academy of Economics, Steer for change foundation, P.G. Kakade & Co, Samco mutual fund etc. were the recruiters.
- 7 students were placed for full time job and 30 students for internships.



Individual Achievements of Staff

Dr. Anupama Nerurkar, Head, Dept. of Commerce

- Heading the L. S. Raheja Research center in the subject of Commerce (Business Policy and administration)
- Under the guidance of Dr. Anupama Nerurkar, three research students, C.A. Sindhu Menon, Ms. Sajitha Kumar and Ms. Vaishali Pandya submitted Ph. D. thesis and Ms. Archana Mainkar has submitted the synopsis. Also Dr. Vaishali Pandya has successfully completed viva.
- She has published one research paper 'A Study of Consumption Pattern of Women in Mumbai towards Skin Care Products' in journal with ISSN number 2278-8158, Ajanta Publications, June issue.
- She was appointed as a subject expert by DTSS Research center for the interviews of Ph. D. proposal. She was appointed as a chairperson by University of Mumbai for Ph.D. viva-voce for 5 students of different research centres.
- Appointed as a member of Board of Studies (Commerce) by Mithibai College and Jhunjhunwala College.

Dr. Akshata Arun Kulkarni, Associate Professor of Environmental Studies

- Gave lecture to the supporting staff in Marathi language on Shiv Rajyabhishek Din programme on 6.6.22 organized by NCC Naval wing of the college.
- Received certificate of participation on World Population Day, 11th July 2022.
- Was Subject expert for EVS for 2 CAS cases in K. J. Somaiya college.
- Was subject expert of EVS for selection of candidate in Vivek college.
- Was Subject expert for CAS interview in SIES college on July 18, 2022.
- Was resource person on All India Radio, Asmita channel on 13th, 14th, 16th, 17th, 18th, and 31st August 2022 for a programme entitled Parisar.
- Attended a workshop on financial goal.
- Participated and presented a paper entitled "Contribution of Five Unsung Heroes in Environmental protection," in multidisciplinary national conference in Sathaye college on 9th December 2022. This paper was published in the Peer reviewed journal in the month of April 2023.
- Received certificate of merit for 3d prize in MHANI and Shabd in Marathi Bhasha din Competition held on 27.2.2023, the "Marathi Rajbhasha Din" by Marathi Vangmay Mandal.
- On 28th February attended a workshop on Designing Learner centric E content by M.J. Dalal library and IQAC.
- Published an article entitled "Oath for Nisarg" in the special issue of The Konkani Geographer, an Interdisciplinary Peer Reviewed Refereed National Research Journal (Special Issue III, Volume no. 29, March - 2023 with ISSN No. 2277-4858 with impact factor (IIFS) 6.625.
- On the eve of International Women's Day Santacruz police felicitated her among the 10 women from different walks of life and gifted a trophy through the Actor and director Mr. Rohit Shetty.



Dr. Devnani Gordhan N., Associate Professor in Business Law

- Appointed as Convener of Anti Ragging & Discipline Committee.
- Appointed as Chief Public Information Officer for RTI cell of College.
- Appointed as Chairperson of Alumni committee.
- Appointed as Convener of College Canteen committee.
- Appointed as Member of Examination committee.
- Appointed as Class Mentor for SYB.Com C division.
- Appointed as Moderator of End semester Examination at SYB.Com -II-Semester-IV (2021-2022) for the subject of Business Law on 15th July, 2022 for Mithibai College of Arts, Chauhan Institute of Science & Amrutben Jivanlal College of Commerce and Economics, Vile Parle West, Mumbai - 400056.
- Appointed as Convener of Logistic Committee & Stationery Committee during NACC peer team visit.
- Completed UGC sponsored online Short-Term Course on "Creating Employability through Skill Oriented Education" from November 2 to November 08th 2022 organised by University Grants Commission Human Resource Development Centre, University of Mumbai.
- Appointed as Re-evaluator for SYB.Com - Semester- III - Regular examination for the subject of Business Law on 21st February 2023 for Smt. Mithibai Motiram Kundnani College of Commerce and Economics, Bandra West, Mumbai - 400050.
- Published Foundation Course-I Semester-II text book along with other authors, published by Seth Publisher.

Ms. Samiksha Jadhav, Assistant Professor in Economics

- Appointed as BoS member Sathye college for framing the syllabus of SYBA/SYBCOM.
- Completed a two weeks online Refresher course in Economics from February 6 to February 20, 2023 from Teaching Learning Centre, Ramanujan College, University of Delhi, under the aegis of Ministry of Education, Pandit Madan Mohan Malaviya National Mission on Teachers, and Teaching.
- Invited as resource person to speak on the topic 'Careers in Economics' for students of FYBA, SYBA and TYBA at Department of Economics, Rizvi College of Arts, Science and Commerce, Bandra West.
- Invited as resource person to guide the TYBA students regarding Quantitative papers in Economics at Sathye College (Autonomous), Vile Parle East.

Ms. Pooja U. Yadav, Assistant Professor in History

- Appointed as a member of syllabus framing committee for History subject for Semester I to VIII of the four years B.A.B.Ed integrated course by University of Mumbai.
- Invited to Judge the research projects showcased in the exhibition on "Renaissance: New learning Art and Architecture, Literature and Science" organized by Department of History, Ramnarain Ruia Autonomous College, Matunga on 27th August 2022
- Co-authored a study material for M.A in History for the Paper History of Indian Archaeology published by University of Mumbai published in August 2022.



- Co-authored a study material for TYBA in History for the Paper Introduction to Archaeology published by University of Mumbai published in August 2022.
- Completed the UGC sponsored Refresher Course in History from 24th November to 7th December 2022 organized by North Eastern Hill University, Shillong.
- Invited to deliver a special lecture on "Introduction to Modree Script" organized by Marathi Vangmay Mandal of L. S. Raheja College of Arts and Commerce on 25th January 2023.
- Invited to Judge an inter-collegiate research seminar on the topic "Formidable forts: Salient Sentinels of India" organized by R. Jhunjhunwala Autonomous College, Ghatkopar on 25th February 2023.
- Appointed as a member of BOS of Patkar college of Arts and Science.

Dr. Rahul Dandekar, Assistant Professor, Department of Economics

- Appointed and worked as a **VC Nominee Subject Expert** for the selection of the Assistant Professor in the subject of **Economics** at Matushri Kanbai Lalbai & Motibai Lohana Kanyashala & Balikagruh's B.L. Amlani College of Commerce & Economics M.R. Nathwani College of Arts on June 3, 2022.
- Appointed and worked as a **Subject Expert** for the selection of the Assistant Professor in the subject of **Economics** at Vidya Vikas Education Trust's Lords Universal College on June 7, 2022
- Published a Paper titled **Impact of Funding on School Enrolment: A Comparative Study of Public and Private Institutions** in UGC CARE Group I listed Journal, ANVESAK. ISSN: 0378 - 4568 (Vol. 52, No. 01(IV), June 2022 Page: 145-150) (Co-authored with Jagruti Parab, Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, SES's L. S. Raheja College of Arts and Commerce)
- Appointed and worked as a **Coordinator** for organising a **Research Paper Review Competition** on July 28, 2022.
- Published a Paper titled **A Study of Secondary School Students' Attitude towards Education, Study Habits, and Academic Performance in Relation to Their Socio-Economic Status** in UGC CARE Group I listed Journal, Journal of Asiatic Society of Mumbai. ISSN No. 0972-0766. (Vol 96, No 10, October 2022, Page: 213-221)
- Published a Paper titled **Does Private Coaching Results in Better Academic Achievement? A Study of Secondary School Students of Mumbai** in XAVIERIAN JOURNAL OF EDUCATIONAL PRACTICE - A Peer Reviewed Interdisciplinary Journal. ISSN No.: 2583-357X (Vol 1, Issue 2, October 2022, Page: 50-58) (Co-authored with Dr. Manisha Karne, Professor, Mumbai School of Economics and Public Policy (Autonomous), University of Mumbai.)
- Presented a research paper on **Academic Achievement and Socio-Economic Status: A Study of Secondary School Students of Mumbai** in National Multidisciplinary E- Conference on Paradigm Shift in the Pandemic World: Cherish, Flourish, or Perish organised by Internal Quality Assurance Cell of Manjunatha College of Commerce on Saturday, 28 May 2022. (Published in An International Multidisciplinary Half Yearly Research Journal, ROYAL, Ajanta Prakashan, ISSN: 2278-8158. Impact Factor 5.972 (UIF) (Volume XI. Issue 1, November 2022, Page 87-99). (Co-authored with Dr. Manisha Karne, Professor, Mumbai School of Economics and Public Policy (Autonomous), University of Mumbai.)
- Appointed and worked as a **Coordinator** for conducting **Quiz** on the eve of **National Education Day** on November 11, 2022.
- Appointed and worked as a **Subject Expert** on **Board of Studies in Economics**, Bhavan's College Autonomous, Andheri West. (Appointment from March 2021 for next three years)
- Appointed and worked as a Member for **Pragya - The Wisdom Club** initiated by the department of Economics from November 2022.

- Appointed and worked in **syllabus framing committee** for designing syllabus of Economics (Semester I to VIII) for four-year B.A. B.Ed. integrated course of University of Mumbai.
- Successfully completed **Online Refresher Course in Economics** organised by Teaching Learning Centre Ramanujan College, University of Delhi in association with Ministry of Education Pandit Madan Mohan Malaviya National Mission on Teachers and Teaching from 06 - 20 February, 2023.
- Appointed and worked as a **Member of Organising Committee of one day workshop on Institutional Preparedness for NEP 2020** Organised by IQAC of SES's L. S. Raheja College of Arts and Commerce on February 24, 2023.
- Appointed and worked as a **Member of Organising Committee of One Day Workshop on Designing Learner Centric E-Content** Organised by Malti Jayant Dalal Library in association with IQAC of SES's L. S. Raheja College of Arts and Commerce on February 28, 2023.
- Appointed and worked as a **Deputy Superintendent** for conducting **SET examination** in SES's L. S. Raheja College of Arts and Commerce on behalf of **Savitribai Phule Pune University** on March 26, 2023.
- Successfully completed online course on **Mentoring for Teacher Professional Development** from Tata Institute of Social Science in April 2023.
- Received **Ph.D. degree in Economics** from Mumbai School of Economics and Public Policy, University of Mumbai on April 28, 2023.



Contributions by the Degree College Staff & Students

Paintings by Thilaga Yadav SYBA



Embracing The Tides Of Emotion

Khushi Singh, SYBA

It's ok to cry, to feel destroyed, to try again, to feel empty, and then to bid your emotions goodbye.

I love the emotions, silence, and I love to see myself lose sensation in an alliance.

I am done losing; I am done languishing. What if my insides were just coping?

Essence

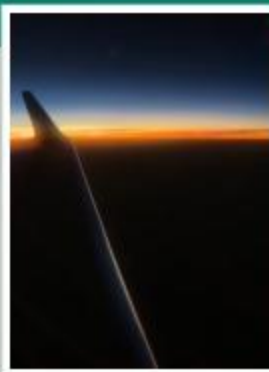
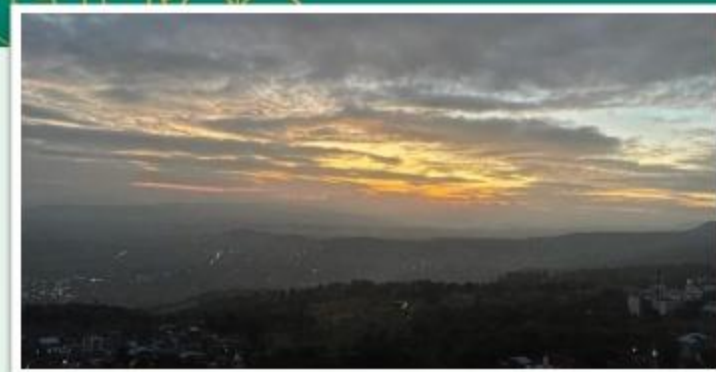
Thilaga Yadav, SYBA

The sky was in camouflage of blue, purple, and pink,

I thought my eyes were in the state of hoodwink,

I get mesmerized by the nature's phenomenon,

Like how the flowers grows into lemon.



Photography by Khushi Singh SYBA



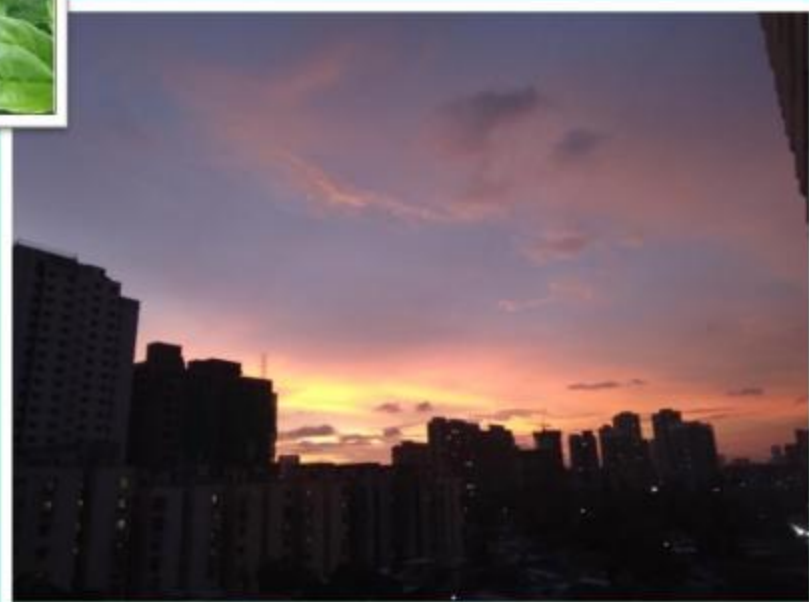


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Many Lives Many Masters: An Unsubstantiated Journey into Pseudoscience

Book Title: "Many Lives Many Masters" by Dr. Brian Weiss

Book Reviewer:

Shri Ramsagar Yadav,
Assistant Professor,
Department of Mathematics,
Statistics and Computer Science,

Summary:

"Many Lives Many Masters" by Dr. Brian Weiss explores the subject of past-life regression therapy and reincarnation. The review critically examines the book, revealing its reliance on irrational claims and pseudoscientific propositions, rendering it unsubstantiated. The foundation of the book rests on past-life regression therapy, which lacks credibility in the scientific community due to the absence of empirical support for reincarnation. Moreover, the book's reliance on anecdotal evidence and the lack of peer-reviewed research raises concerns about the legitimacy and scientific rigor of its claims.

Central Facts:

1. The book centers around past-life regression therapy, based on the controversial belief in reincarnation, lacking empirical support in the scientific community.
2. The absence of verifiable evidence challenges the credibility of past-life regression therapy as a reliable therapeutic approach.
3. The foundation of the book rests on the experiences of one patient, Catherine, raising doubts about the validity and effectiveness of past-life regression.
4. Anecdotal evidence, prone to biases and personal interpretations, is prominently featured throughout the book.
5. The book lacks peer-reviewed research and concrete data, casting doubts on the legitimacy of its claims and scientific rigor.
6. The oversimplification of psychological issues neglects evidence-based practices of psychology and psychiatry.
7. The author's reliance on past-life regression therapy and reincarnation without credible scientific basis raises concerns about the integrity of the work.

References:

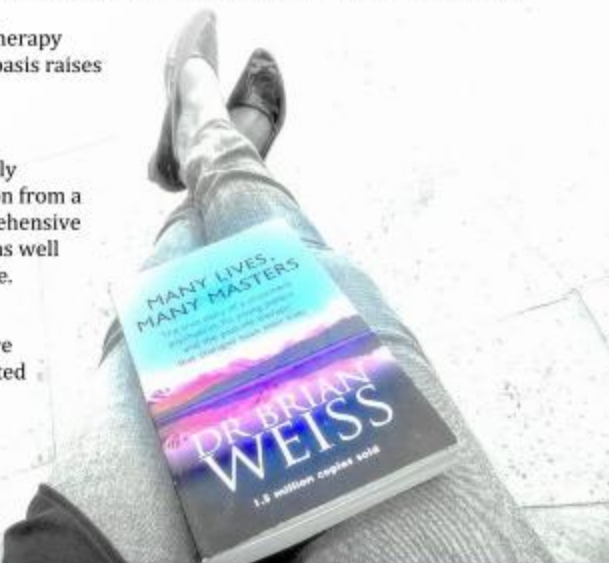
The review includes references to articles that critically evaluate past-life regression therapy and reincarnation from a scientific perspective. These references offer a comprehensive overview of the evidence for and against the subject, as well as discussions on the limitations of anecdotal evidence.

Additional References:

The reviewer provides additional references that delve into the psychology of belief and cognitive biases related to pseudoscientific claims.

Disclaimer:

The review concludes with a disclaimer, urging readers to exercise critical thinking and seek expert advice while conducting further research.





Self-Financing Courses

Bachelor of Management Studies

Management education is different today because of the requirement of soft skills, teamwork, and collaborations. As the economy continues to flourish, the cost-conscious companies morph their Human Resource strategies, becoming even more choosy in every dimension. This sets a platform for young entrepreneurs. Thus, we at L.S Raheja College of Arts and Commerce believe education is power.

And our Power demonstrates -

- Our teaching methodologies strategically combine case analysis and true illustrations to strike a balance between the study of management and industry.
- The co-operative, collective and shared resources, continues to be our strength.
- Our top-notch faculty delivers modern and practical content to the students.

Departmental activities

An orientation programme was organized for the FYBMS Students on 10th August 2022. The session provided information to students on rules and regulations on various matters such as examination, discipline, committees, extra - curricular activities. The session helped students to understand college discipline and etiquettes. To welcome the class of FYBMS, a Fresher's Party was organized on 16th September 2022.

A Parents - Teachers Meeting was organized for the SYBMS and TYBMS students on 23rd September 2022. Before this meeting all the students with low attendance percentage were identified. The parents were shown the defaulter lists and counselled regarding the need for their wards to have 75% attendance in every month.

An exhibition on the topics of Service Marketing and Corporate Communication & Public Relations was held on, 21st November 2022. The objective was to create and sustain powerful corporate branding.

A Parents - Teachers Meeting was organized for the FYBMS students on 29th November 2022.

An Industrial Visit to Jodhpur and Jaisalmer for FY, SY and TYBMS students was organized from 19th to 26th



February 2023. Students gained practical insight into their classroom oriented theoretical constructs. The industry visited Saras Dairy and Rajasthan Patrika. Students got an opportunity to visit the industry and to observe and learn about the various functions of business.

BMS students organized a "Food Festival" under Entrepreneurship Cell in association with MYOB Intra Department Fest on 16th February 2023.





An Industrial Visit to RBI Monetary Museum for SYBMS students was organized on 1st March 2023. The objective was to give an understanding of RBI functions and currency.

A Farewell Party was organized for TYBMS students on 31st March 2023. The event was organized and hosted by FY and SY BMS students for the TY's gracing them with happy memories and wishing them good luck for their future endeavours.

Seminars, Workshops and Guest Lectures

Entrepreneurship Cell & BMS Department organized a "Orientation program on Effective use of Social Media for Careers" on 23rd September 2022 led by Mr. Amogh Gothoskar, Mr. Raj Shah and Mr. Heramb Nemlekar Founder & CEO of Aligned Pillars. The main objective of the program was to educate students about the productive uses of social media.



A Guest lecture on "Financial Planning" was organized on 29th September 2022 by Mr. Amogh Gothoskar, Resource Person (Trainer) BSE IPF backed IAPs. The main objective of the program was to financially educate and empower our college students on financial aspects.



A Seminar on "Investors Awareness" was organized on 11th October 2022 by Mr. Amogh Gothoskar, Resource Person (Trainer) BSE IPF backed IAPs. The main objective of the program was to financially educate and empower our college students on topics such as Importance of savings & financial goals, wealth creation through Asset Allocation, precautions during investing, etc.

A session on "Entrepreneurship" was conducted by the Entrepreneurship Cell & BMS Department by Mr. Jitesh Mehta, CEO of Birbal Sports and Entertainment. The session was of immense help as students could seek tips and answers to their questions to grow and develop their business/business ideas.

Attendance

As per the university guidelines a student is required to maintain minimum 75% attendance in each subject in every semester.

The Department display attendance records to students twice a semester i.e., one in mid-July and other in mid-August and for second half of the Academic year – one in mid-January and other in mid-February. Students whose names appear in the 1st attendance list as Defaulters are given a verbal warning and an undertaking is collected by the coordinators and if the same appears in the second list, Parents are called for a meeting and the attendance defaulter student is given an extra project work related to the subject in which he/she has defaulted in attendance.

Cultural Events

BMS Intra departmental fest "Nexus – unit beyond Limits" was organized on 16th September 2022. The main objective of the session was to increase the interaction amongst the BMS students of different years along with gaining knowledge.

BMS Intra collegiate Management Fest "MYOB – Manage Your Own Business" was organized on 16th and 17th February 2022. The objective of the fest was to help students understand and get hands on experience in the business management skills. It was an intra-collegiate activity where various management events were organized and students from different courses participated. The winners and the participants were awarded with trophies and certificates.

Awards and Recognitions

BMS students bagged the "Best College Trophy" at Springz Fest organized by Nagindas Khandwala College of Arts & Commerce in February 2023. BMS students bagged the "Best College Trophy" at *Lehar* Fest organized by S.K. Somaiya College of Arts & Commerce in February 2023. Students bagged the "Runner Up Best College Trophy" at *Hooper* Fest organized by KJ Somaiya College of Arts and Commerce in January 2023. The BMS students bagged the "Runner Up Best College Trophy" at *Brouhaha* Fest organized by Sydhehnam College, Churchgate in January 2023. The BMS and BSCIT students bagged "Most Participative College Trophy" at *Prarambh* Fest organized by Universal College in February 2023. Students bagged the "Best Contingent Leader" at *Brahmotsav* Fest organized by Thakur College in February 2023.

The individual list of students' achievements and awards in various intra and intercollegiate sports and cultural events is exhaustive.



Bachelor of Arts in Multimedia and Mass Communication

The B.A.M.M.C. Department of L. S. Raheja College of Arts and Commerce is a centre to create a balanced portfolio for students giving them a 360-degree exposure at both curricular and co-curricular activities.

With a vision to create the shining stars in the realm of communication industry tomorrow, we, at Raheja have tried to create an atmosphere that grooms the vibrant personalities of the students.

We make our students industry prepared, imparting them with skills that aid them in facing the professional challenges head-on. Over the years, our students have diversified and established themselves as reputable professionals in the fields of television, cinema, advertising, journalism, photography, public Relations, events management, etc.

We encourage creativity and give a boost to their hidden talents by motivating them to be a part of various collegiate and inter-collegiate events. Our students have created a niche in organising and leading the college to gleaming victories.

The enthusiasm and the zeal of students; motivation from the teaching staff and most importantly the support of the Principal and the management has taken the department to great heights in such a short span of time.

Departmental Activities

An orientation programme along with the freshers for the first-year students was held on 30th August 2022. The orientation session provided information about rules and regulations on various matters such as examination, discipline, extra-curricular activities to students.

SY students gained practical insights in film making as they visited National Film Museum on 5th August 2022. On 12th September 2022, the department organized, its first ever intra-collegiate festival. The event was aimed to facilitate networking, promote talent, and establish the unique identity of BAMMC

department amongst the other programmes of the College. The theme of the festival was Desi Fiesta. BAMMC students practically gained insights into the organization of an event.





On 24th September 2022, TYBAMMC students organized a food festival as they learnt the prospects of direct marketing and its nuances.

On 26th December 2022, students visited "Prerna Anti-trafficking Shelter" under Institutional Social Responsibility initiative voluntary undertaken by the students. A donation drive was organized by the students before the visit and later, the collect items were distributed to the children in the shelter. On 7th January 2022, the department hosted its annual

intercollegiate sports event – Quidditch within the College premises. On 27th and 28th January 2023, the department hosted its annual intercollegiate mass media festival Retake.

An industrial visit to Jodhpur-Jaisalmer was organised for the BMMC students was organized from 1st February 2023 to 8th February 2023. Students visited Dainik Bhaskar printing facility where they were exposed to various aspects of news printing starting from news collection, designing newspaper layouts, paper rolls, printing techniques and marketing of the newspaper. Students were imparted a session on news as a business, and dynamics of its trade. Students also visited the War Museum in Jaisalmer highlighting the valour of Indian army.



On 4th March 2023, a Parent-Teacher Meeting was organized for the FYBAMMC batch. The meeting was aimed to discuss the students' progress as well as their attendance. On 27th March 2023, the department in association of the BOS in Mass Media, University of Mumbai, organized a workshop on Semester VI exam orientation and paper pattern discussion.

On 18th April, FY and SY students hosted a get together party for the TY students. On 19th April 2023, visit to MET campus at Bandra West was organized for the TYBAMMC students. The visit, planned under the students' development programme was aimed to expose students to various career prospects after graduation. Students also got a hands-on experience in their studio on how to make ad films.



The department offered certificate courses to all the three classes to provide them an edge over the other Mass Media students. FYBAMMC was offered basics of Digital Marketing, SYBAMMC was offered Graphic Designing and

TYBAMMC was offered Content Writing. All the three courses were offered in association with Vocskill and the courses were certified by Skill India.

Seminars, Workshops and Guests Lectures:

On 24th and 25th November 2022, Dr. Rinkesh Chedda facilitated a session on Direct Marketing and E-Commerce for the TYBAMMC class. The session aimed provide an alternative perspective to students on the subject. On 23rd December 2022, Dr. Sandipa Chatterjee facilitated a session on Globalization and International Advertising to students of TYBAMMC class. On 24th December 2022, a seminar on Importance of styling and grooming was organized for the students of FY, SY and TYBAMMC. The seminar was facilitated by Mr. Sagar Kadrekar and Ms. Heena Pavaskar from the National Institute of Fashion Design.

On 13th March 2023, Ms. Suneita Padvekar, proprietor – Bbeautiful Salon and Academy, facilitated a session on Personality Development to students of FY, SY and TYBAMMC. On 8th April 2023, an inter-collegiate guest lecture was organized on the topic of Rural Marketing and Digital Media. The session was facilitated by Dr. Hanif Lakdawala.

Attendance:

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Cultural Events

Students of BAMMC department organized and participated in various intra-collegiate and intercollegiate competitions. Students actively participated in Raheja Week events and Annual Day that was conducted in St. Andrews Auditorium, Bandra – west.

Awards and Recognition

Students of SYBAMMC participated and won second place in research competition – data speaks that was hosted by Sheth N.K.T.T. College, Thane.

Students won best PR trophy at Tiltshift; media festival organized by Ruia College.

BAMMC students participated and won, best college trophy at Meraki – fest organized by B. K. Birla College, Kalyan. At Meraki, students also won first place in debate, treasure hunt, rap and singing events. BAMMC students secured second place in reporting event and third place in mono acting.



At Moksh, BAMMC department festival of Kirti College, students won first place in short film, reporting event and Rap event. Students also won a third place in Dance and Photography events. At Cortokino, BAMMC department festival of Thakur College, students won third place in Rap event, photography, journalism, and stand-up event.

At cutting chai, the BAMMC festival organized by R. D. National College students won first place in improv; second place in storytelling, dubbing and ad event; and third place in stand-up event.

At Pixel, the BAMMC festival of N. G. Acharya College, Chembur students won best CL trophy. Students also won first place in drama, stand up and treasure hunt and third place in dubbing and dance.

At the college level, BAMMC department students won the first runner's up in Finzard organized by the BFM department; second runner's up in #Trends, organized by the BAF department; and best PR in Technika, organized by the BSc IT department.

The individual list of students' achievements and awards in various intra and intercollegiate sports and cultural events is exhaustive.



RETAK 2022

Retake, the annual intercollegiate national mass media festival was organized by the students of BAMMC department with increased vigour as the festival was hosted on the College premises in the offline mode after two long years. Students of the BAMMC department kept up the tempo and the festival were organized on 27th and 28th January 2023.



The theme for Retake 2023 was 'Bane of the Benevolent'. The unique theme revolved around alternate endings of the fairy tales. The theme was focused on "what if" the story of the various Disney characters didn't unfold as it and explored the dark side of their personalities. The contingents, i.e., the colleges were given specific contingent codes named after these movie characters. In all 32 colleges from across India participated in the festival.



Bachelor of Commerce (Accounting and Finance)

Accounting and Finance undoubtedly forms the crux of any business institution, right from its inception stage. It's not for nothing that employers have been investing so much of their energies in getting the proficient professionals to maintain their account books and take crucial money related decisions.

B.A.F Department of L.S. Raheja College aims to impart knowledge to students that prepares them for their future in the field of Accounting and Finance. Our students are moulded to take challenges of the practical world head-on and emerge as successful personnel in their chosen career path.

Departmental Activities

Like the previous years, BAF department in the year 2022-23 stayed true to its motto – Work is work-shop. An orientation programme for the first-year students was held on 10th August 2022. The session provided information about rules and regulations on various matters such as examination, discipline, extra - curricular activities to students. Subsequently, the SY and TY students welcomed the FY students by organizing a Fresher's Party on 10th September 2022.

#TRENDS association is BAF department's Student Association which functions with the motto - of the student, for the student and by the student. The motive is to update students about the global affairs as it widens their horizon of knowledge. #Trends provides students with a stage to discuss the recent developments and trending industry related issues through innovative means like debate, mock stock, group discussion, face off and more. Senior members of #TRENDS Association organized interactive session for the new members and explained the motive of the Association.

Later the association organized a BUSINESS DAY for the students of their first year to bring out their talents and business strategies. #TRENDS came up with the idea of *Frolic Fiesta* wherein various games stalls and food stalls were kept for all the students & staff members of the college on 22nd September 2022. #TRENDS Association organized 4th INTRA COLLEGE EVENT on 27th & 28th September 2022, where various events such as debate, branding agent, surprise event, mock stock & many more were conducted which gave experiential learning to students.



Later in this year, the department celebrated World Food Day on 16th October 2022, by distributing healthy food packets to the needy. Many students joined hands in this event, and sensitized youth that many people go hungry without meeting their daily food needs. Department celebrated children's day at Umeed Foundation by distributing books, pens, pencils, scales & other study material to more than 70 kids. Students enthusiastically organized an Inter-College festival Parallax on 19th 20th & 21st January 2023.

Further the association celebrated an Appreciation Day on 10th March 2023 wherein all the senior members were felicitated by a memento & certificate. The department also organized an intra department Sports Event i.e., Game of throne on 11th March 2023, all the students of BAF department actively participated and showed their enthusiasm in games like Cricket, Seven stones, Tug-of war.

Department collaborated with Narsee Monjee Finance and Investment Cell on project Samridhhi to create the world record for the World's Largest Financial Literacy Drive.

Students of BAF department visited Rajasthan for their industrial visit from 1st to 8th February 2023. The students of BAF visited the Dainik Bhaskar printing facility where the students were provided the exposure about various aspects of news collection, newspaper layouts, and marketing. Students were imparted with a session on news as a business, handling finances and dynamics of its trade. The students also visited the war of museum in Jaisalmer. The museum that highlighted the valour of Indian army allowed students to take a bite of Indian history, and the evolution of Indian army. It was overall a visit to cherish.



Students of BAF, BBI BFM and BMS visited IBS Mumbai campus on 29th March 2023 and have successfully completed a Certificate course on "Soft Skills and Presentation Skills" under the student development Programme.

Seminars, Workshops and Guests Lectures:

Department organized 56th A. D. Shroff Elocution competition in association with Forum of Free Enterprise, round 1 in college on 14th November 2022. First three students got cash prize and certificate. The first prize winner got selected in inter college round two.

A guest lecture on Recent trends in FinTech was delivered by Shri Aniket Ranjan, Manager- FinTech Department – Reserve Bank of India on 17th February 2023. Shri Ranjan interacted with our students and discussed the recent trends in the FinTech department and the future of FinTech in India.

A series of lectures were conducted on Financial Management by Mr. Vijay Paridkar, Ex-Vice President- M&A, Mahindra & Mahindra

An online COIL (collaborative online international learning) Project Fall 2022 was conducted from 16th to 30th November 2022. The students worked in teams and had cross borders interaction and exchange of ideas while on this project. It gave exposure to students on how to work in diverse team across national boundaries.



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Cultural Events

At Raheja College's BAF department, students are encouraged to participate in various intra-collegiate and intercollegiate competitions. This academic year BAF students actively participated in various intra and intercollegiate festivals held at various Colleges across Mumbai.

Students of BAF department actively participated in more than 25 inter college festivals this year such as Pravaah – NL College, Malang & Mumbai Dreams – National College, Prodigy & Ignite – Lala Lajpat Rai College and many more. Participation of BAF students did not end here, all the students actively participated in all the intra-college festivals such as Technika 4.0, MYOB, Finzard, Banking Yards and Mass Media festival.

Awards and Recognitions

The BAF students bagged the "Best College & Best PR" In the fest Malang organized by R.D. National College. Students also won best college in Pravaah by Nagindas Khandwala College. Students won and "Best College & Best PR" in the fest Prodigy and best college in Hoonar festival both organized by Lala Lajpat Rai College. Students also won best College trophy in Vidyut organized by Thakur College. They also bagged second runner up trophy in Mumbai Dreams organized by R. D. National College. Adding to the list, best PR in Inferno organized by ISDI College.

Students won "Best Course" for the third consecutive year at BMS department's intra-collegiate festival, also Won "Best course" at BAMMC department's intra-collegiate festival and also bagged "Best course" at BFM department's intra-collegiate festival "FINZARD."

Adding more, students also won 2nd Runner – up trophy in TECHNIKA 5.0 and won "best CL" at BBI department's intra-collegiate festival Banking Yards.



Bachelor of Commerce (Banking & Insurance)

Banking and Insurance sector plays an important role in the economic growth of our country. The Department of Bachelor of Commerce (Banking & Insurance)-B.B.I. course of L. S. Raheja College endeavours to provide comprehensive training to students in the field of Banking and Insurance, to help acquire new insights into the complexities of banking in the 21st century and thereby making the students employable in the concerned field. The programme imparts strong foundational knowledge in the field of Banking and Insurance and equips the learners with practical application of the same. Our students are trained to adapt to the stimulating as well as ever-changing atmosphere of the industry and make a sound and stable career in the field of banking and insurance sector. The activities are designed to provide exposure to the corporate arena thus inculcating confidence in the students to grab upcoming opportunities in the industry.

Departmental activities:

On 27th July 2022, the department had organized a Quiz Contest to promote awareness regarding recent trends in banking and insurance sectors. The contest was open for all the departments. It was conducted via Google forms but under offline supervision of volunteers. Participants were awarded E-certificates.

On 15th September 2022, the second year and third year students were thrilled to host fresher's party for the enthused first year students. It served the purpose of an informal orientation of the college coupled with relation building with fellow aspirants. The Fresher's event was planned and executed by the students. It involved number of recreational and team building activities.



On 26th November 2022, a quiz contest was organized for the first-year students. The topic for the same was 'Know your Leaders.' It was aimed at promoting competitive spirit and familiarization with our political leadership.



Under Bankers' Association, the intra-collegiate festival, "Banking Yard" was devised and executed in two phases. Phase-1 of the same was conducted on 3rd and 4th October 2022. The working committee formed by students of all three years worked on planning, budgeting, and execution of all the activities. The students of other departments were offered a creative invitation crafted by the working committee. On 4th October 2022, the festival was declared open in an Inauguration ceremony followed by Inter- Department Competitions namely



Recurring Baatein, Jumble Fumble, Style your Aakasmik, Idiom Chase each of it emphasizing of competitive learning and skill enhancement.



Phase- 2 of banking yards was conducted on 27th and 28th February 2023. The day one included departmental contests namely Beg, Borrow & Steal, Flash Mob, Rabne Bana Di Jodi, and War of ACL's. While day 2 had contests like Nidhi Khoj, Best of 3R and Elevator Pitch. The activities have attempted to provide exposure to learn new skills, promote competitive spirit and encourage holistic development. The festival was concluded successfully with closing ceremony coupled with Prize distribution ceremony.

BBI Intra Collegiate Management Fest "Earning while learning" was organized on 27th February 2023. The objective of the fest was to help students to understand and get hands on experience & put theory aspects in to practical learning in terms of marketing and selling their products. Wide range of food stalls were set up in our festival named 'Food Depot'

An Industrial Visit to Mysore Silks, Mysuru Karnataka was organised for FYBBI, SYBBI and TYBBI students from 26th January to 1st February 2023. 30 Students had an opportunity to interact, learn about the working methods and employment practices in the industrial world.



An excursion was organized to The Reserve Bank of India Monetary Museum on 1st March 2023. It was aimed at facilitating an educational deviation from routine learning methods by providing an open learning environment.

The students of BBI enthusiastically participated in organising an Inter-collegiate festival PARALLAX being appointed as Assistant contingent Leaders and other roles. Under the banner of DLLE many students contributed towards society and environment by participating in social activities organized by DLLE.



Seminars, Workshops and Guests Lectures:

BBI department in association with IQAC of L.S. Raheja College of Arts and Commerce organised a Workshop on 'Overview of Insurance Sector & Career prospects' conducted by Mrs. Archana Vaze, Professor, Insurance Institute of India, on 23rd February 2023. The session was aimed to enhance students' knowledge and exposure to career opportunities in insurance industry. 123 students of FYBBI, SYBBI and TYBBI attended the workshop.

A workshop on "Tips & tricks to crack interviews" was conducted by Mr. Sumit S. Pareek, on 30th November 2022. The main takeaways from this session were that the students gained valuable insights on preparation for interviews. The students gained understanding of various career opportunities to apply for.

BBI in association with IQAC of L.S. Raheja College of Arts and Commerce organised a seminar on 'Roadmap to Career in Banking and Financial Services' on January 5th, 2023. The seminar was conducted by Mr. Divesh Mishra, Founder, Ursa Minor Consulting Pvt. Ltd. The objective of the seminar was to help students get information regarding avenues and career prospects in Banking and Insurance sector.



Attendance:

Parents – Teachers Meeting was called upon for the parents and students of SYBBI & TYBBI on 17th September 2022. Before this meeting all the students with low attendance percentage were identified. The parents were shown the defaulters' lists and counselled regarding the need for their wards to have 75% attendance in every month.

Similar Meeting with parents was held for FYBBI on 23rd November 2022 for attendance defaulting students of FYBBI.



Extra-curricular Events:

The post pandemic era was embarked upon with great enthusiasm and our students participated and won laurels in multiple intra and inter collegiate festivals.

Awards and Recognitions

Mr. Aaditya Waghela from TYBBI participated in District/Zonal Inter Collegiate Youth Festival and secured 3rd Rank in the category of Western Instrumental Solo. SYBBI student performed classical dance form in the cultural program organized for NAAC peer team. Other few students' we participants in Lazim performance for welcoming the peer team.

Ms. Shazia from TYBBI secured the position for Best Cultural Student of the year and secured second rank in poster making contest organised by DLLE.

Mr. Raj Sutar from FYBBI participated and won laurels for creative artworks at various intercollege events like Fantasis, Prodigy, Vigour to name a few.

Mr. Smit Redkar from SYBBI participated and won in several intercollegiate contests - in performing arts Mono Acting – namely at Inferno fest, ISDI College, Kurla, Vigour, Vidyalkar College, Wadala, TECHTRIS, R.D national College, Bandra and more.

Students won Best College and Best PR in Syntech-X fest of R.D National College, Bandra. Students won the 1st Runner up in Epitome festival of Lala Lajpat Rai College, Mahalaxmi and 2nd Runner up in Mathematix, R. A Podar College, Matunga



Bachelor of Science (Information Technology)

Department of B.Sc. (IT) at L. S. Raheja College of Arts and Commerce focuses on technology-oriented learning to boost students' enthusiasm and to encourage them to be active thinkers. Students are motivated to actively undertake activities that facilitate their inclusive progress and expose them to the practical know-how of IT field.

Traditional classroom teachings are integrated with stimulating practices like virtual classrooms, webinars, tutorials, etc. to impart a holistic learning experience to the students. Highly experienced and qualified faculties ensure to build strong technical foundation among students, by motivating, counselling, and offering them guidance at every phase. Over the years, several successful campus placement drives have been initiated to facilitate students with opportunities to work with renowned organisations from IT and other sectors.

Students have pro-actively participated and organized various technical and cultural events and festivals on both collegiate and intercollegiate levels. We have continuously developed our ideas and methods to ensure comprehensive development of our students throughout the year.

Departmental activities:

The department of BScIT conducted a workshop "Mobile Literacy for Golden Agers" on 30 July 2022, to teach basic application and usage of smartphone and social media under Technika's vision of social inclusion. Fair appreciation was received for the presentation and interactivensess of the session.



On 10th August 2022, an engaging syllabus-cum-general orientation program was organized for first-year students. This informative session covered a range of important topics, including the rules and regulations governing examinations, discipline, committees, and extracurricular activities. This tailored program provided the students with the opportunity to gain a deeper understanding of their specific syllabus and coursework, setting them up for success in their academic journey. Overall, the orientation program was a resounding success, providing our students with the tools and knowledge they need to thrive at our institution.



On 8th September 2022, an exhilarating IT themed sports event IT Cele-Fiesta was organised. The event aimed to bring together students from various years (FY, SY, TY) of the IT department to showcase their physical prowess, agility, and



teamwork and compete for the best batch. The event featured a wide range of sports, including, soccer, tug-of-war, badminton, and more.

The department organised the first phase of Technika's 5th Edition on 29th and 30th September 2022. This year's events included the competitions of Artistry, Majesty De-Coder, Republic Bharat, and The Tech Panel, Get your Stock, and Indiana Jones. These challenges offered a platform for students to showcase their skills, creativity, and talents, while also competing with their peers and learning from one another. Students also arranged food stalls under the banner of Tech Savoury Street consisting of various items ranging from momos to mojito and much more.



On 14th October 2022, the department kicked off its intra-collegiate events with the Inauguration Ceremony and CL Meet of "Technika 5th Edition". The attendees were given a brief introduction regarding the PR structure along with a hot bidding session and presented a wide range of competitions, all organized under the banner of Technika 5th Edition.

On account of the World Computer Literacy Day, the department of B.Sc. (IT) organised Quiz Competition for all students of various departments to show their knowledge in the tech domain on 2nd December 2022.

On 11th February 2023, TECHMANIA 2k23, an IT exhibition, was organized at the college auditorium. The event brought together bright minds from various colleges with the aim of showcasing the latest innovations, trends, and advancements in the industry.



The event served as a platform for learning, networking, and collaboration, providing visitors with a glimpse of the future of technology and its endless possibilities. Participants appreciated the event and expressed their excitement to be the part of the next edition of TECHMANIA.

On 1st and 2nd March 2023, BSc IT department organised the 2nd Phase of Technika 5th Edition. This included the exciting competitions of Call of Duty, Typing Master, Cue Soccer, Escape Room, IT Pageant, and PR Rally. These challenges offered a platform for students to showcase their skills, creativity, and talents, while also competing with their peers and learning from one another. Students also arranged food stalls

under the banner of Tech Savoury Street consisting of various items ranging from momos to mojito and much more.

Annual Prize Distribution & Closing ceremony of "Technika 5th Edition" was organised on 2nd March 2023, indicating the culmination of the same.

The industrial visit this year was organised to Bangalore & Mysore on 26th January 2023. With beautiful sightseeing, visits were organised to Brindavan Gardens, Shri Chamundeshwari Temple, and St. Philomena's Cathedral.

After a 2-day stay at Mysore, students left for Bangalore where they visited Lalbagh botanical garden, the grand Bangalore palace, the scenic Tipu Sultan Summer Palace, and the ISKCON Temple of Bangalore. Students visited STPI Industry where they were exposed to IOT based live projects which helped us to gain knowledge understand the work environment in such companies.

Seminars, Workshops and Guest Lectures

The guest lecture on IT trends and components was an enlightening experience for all attendees. The speaker Mr. Anjaneya S. Bondre discussed the latest trends in IT, including cloud computing, cybersecurity, and AI. He also delved into the various components that make up modern IT systems, such as servers, networks, and databases. The lecture provided valuable insights into the world of IT and its growing importance in today's society. Attendees left the lecture with a better understanding of the latest trends and components in the IT industry.

Various Add-on courses were also conducted in association with Technolytics;

1. FYB.SC. (IT) – Computer Graphics and Animation
2. SYB.SC. (IT) – Web Designing with Bootstrap
3. TYB.SC. (IT) - Analytical model building (ML)



Attendance

As per the university guidelines a student is required to maintain minimum 75% attendance in each subject in every semester.

The Department displays attendance records to students twice a semester. Students whose names appear in the 1st attendance list as Defaulters are given a verbal warning and an undertaking is collected by the coordinator. If the same student appears in the second list as Defaulters, his/her Parents are called for the



meeting and the student is given with an extra project work related to the subject in which he/she has defaulted in attendance.

Cultural Events

During the academic year 2022-23, students enthusiastically participated in a variety of cultural events. They made an impressive showing at Raheja Week, contributing to its success with their energetic performances. In addition, B.Sc. (IT) students competed at the university level sports competition, showcasing their talents in games such as Carrom and Chess, among others. Their dedication and hard work were commendable, and we are proud of their achievements.



Awards and Recognitions

Students won the Best college trophy in VIGOUR fest of Vidyalankar college. Students also won the Best college and best CL in TECHTRIS fest of R D national college. BSc IT students also won the best college and best PR in SYTECHX fest of R D national college.

Apart from proving their prowess in the intercollegiate events, students won the Best course in BANKING YARD fest of BBI department, 2nd Runner up in MYOB fest of BMS department and the Best CL in BAMMC department fest.

Bachelor of Commerce (Financial Markets)

The main motive of BFM at L. S. Raheja College of Arts and Commerce is to inculcate in the students the drive to acquire knowledge about Financial Services and help the students to have a great future ahead in Financial Markets. A comprehensive training is provided to students via various lectures, sessions, projects, and workshop. The students are trained perfectly to fit in with the requirements of an ideal person in the field of Financial Market who knows how to make proper analysis, correct decisions, and most importantly to ensure the proper execution of the decision.

At L. S. Raheja College of Arts and Commerce we are striving to create additional avenue for self – employment to the students and to provide suitable and trained persons for financial service sectors, to prepare graduates to compete with the degree holders of private and foreign universities and to establish strong coordination between the service sector and the institution of higher education.

Departmental Activities:

The academic year 2022-23 commenced with the orientation programme for FYBFM on 10th August 2022. On 19th September 2022 the SY & TY students gave an official welcome to the FY into the BFM clan by organizing an online ice breaking and a "Freshers party". The Students of SY & TYBFM continued the "Stocker's Association" in BFM Department where the members met each other once in a week to discuss and share their insights on live trading and stock market for the sixth year of its initiation. FYBFM students were also introduced into the association. A 7 night 8 days industrial visit to Jodhpur-Jaisalmer was organised for the BFM students between 1st February 2023 to 8th February 2023. The students visited the Dainik Bhaskar printing facility where the students were provided with the exposure of various aspects of new collection, information on newspaper layouts, and marketing. Students were imparted with a session on news as a business, handling finances and dynamics of its trade. The students also visited the War of Museum in Jaisalmer highlighting the valour of Indian army, the visit allowed students





to take a bite of Indian history, and the evolution of Indian army. A 1-day RBI Monetary Museum visit was organised for the BFM students on 28th February 2023 to understand the history of currency evolution. The TYBFM visited IBS Mumbai campus on 29th March 2023 and successfully completed a Certificate course on "Soft Skills and Presentation Skills" under the Student Development Programme. Add-on certificate course were offered for all BFM students like Basics of Financial Statement Analysis was introduced to FYBFM students in collaboration with Financial Planning Academy, Data Science and Business analytics was introduced for SYBFM in collaboration with Progressio MCS Pvt Ltd

and Financial Modelling and GST and Taxation was introduced for TYBFM in collaboration with Vocskill India. All students who successfully completed the course were awarded with a certificate.

Under Stockers' Association, the BFM students organised a FINMAZZA week between 9th January 2023 to 11th January 2023. The BFM students organized an intra-collegiate festival "Finzard" on 16th and 17th March 2023 successfully where students of all other programme participated. The prize distribution ceremony was organised on 18th March 2023 in college auditorium and was graced by the Principal Dr. Debajit N. Sarkar, who handed over the prizes to four contingents viz., BAF (Best Course), BAMMC (1st Runner Up), JC (2nd Runner Up) and BMS (Best CL). The winners were awarded with trophies and certificates.



Essay Competition was organised to celebrate the National Cleanliness day in association with IQAC on 30th January 2023 and the top 3 winners were awarded with certificates. A farewell for TYBFM students was organized on 13th April 2023 by FY and SY students. The prize distribution ceremony was held for the BFM students on 20th April 2023 to appreciate the students who excelled in curricular and extra-curricular activities. The degree distribution ceremony was organised on 27th April 2023 to felicitate BFM students for the completion of their programme successfully. Under the banner of DLLE many BFM students showcased their sensitivity towards society and environment by participating in various activities.



Webinars, Workshops and Guest Lectures

This academic year witnessed many interesting webinars and workshop in the department. On 29th August 2022 a "Capital market quiz competition 2022" was organised for the students. 91 students participated in the event and the top 3 winners were awarded with Cash Prizes, certificates, and T Shirts. On 11th October 2022 "an Investor Awareness programme on Capital markets" was organised. The speaker for the session Mr. Amogh Ghotuskar, Trainer BSE explained the topic in a very lucid manner for the audience to understand. The students interacted with the speaker in the Q&A session and many doubts were resolved regarding. An online COIL (collaborative online international learning) Project Fall 2022 was conducted from 16th to 30th November 2022. The students worked in teams and had interaction cross borders and exchange of ideas while on this project. It gave exposure to students to how to work in diverse team across national boundaries. On 16th January 2023 "An Investor Awareness Program on Commodity Derivative Markets" was organised. The speaker of the session was Dr. Narendra Singh from NSDEX. On 1st February 2023 Live screening of Finance Bill 2023 was streamed in the college auditorium by the BFM department in association with the Accountancy department for the staff and students. Everyone appreciated the efforts of organising the live screening as it gave them the insights about the various economic and fiscal policies planned by the GOI. BFM in association with Staff Academy organised a Financial Literacy Workshop for the teaching staff on "How to achieve Financial Goals." The resource person was CA Pravin Kakade, who educated and empowered the staff to understand money and investment alternatives enabling them to make better financial decisions and plan more effectively for their future.

Attendance:

As per the university guidelines a student is required to maintain minimum 75% attendance in each subject in every semester.

The Department displays attendance records to students twice a semester i.e., one in mid-July and other in mid-August and for second half of the Academic year – one in mid-January and other in mid-February. Students whose names appear in the 1st attendance list as Defaulters are given a verbal warning and an undertaking is collected by the co-ordinator and if the same appears in the second list, Parents are called for a meeting and the attendance defaulter student is given an extra project work related to the subject in which he/she has defaulted in attendance.



Cultural Events

We, at L. S. Raheja College always encourage our student's creativity and give a boost to their hidden talents by motivating them to participate in various collegiate and inter-collegiate events.

This year BFM students attended many intercollegiate festivals in which remarkable achievement was reflected which is worth a mention. The BFM students won the 1st runner up trophy at intercollegiate festival *Fantasies* of SIES College Sion. The BFM students won 2nd Runner up trophy at intercollegiate festival *Finnac* of R. A. Poddar College.



The list of individual achievements of the department students is exhaustive. Students participated in many more intra as well as inter collegiate festivals. The students exuberantly organized an interdisciplinary intercollegiate festival "Parallax" which is a blend of academic and cultural activity on 19th, 20th & 21st January 2023.

Department of Life-Long Learning and Extension Yearly Report 2022-23

Extension Education, the third dimension of the University system is a two-way process which visualized mutual sharing of resources between the community and the University for the Development of both the citizens of India and the Students.

At L. S. Raheja College of Arts & Commerce, the DLLE team is proud to celebrate its eighth year of success under the mentorship of Ms. Divya Kanchan and guidance of Ms. Prajakta Joshi (DLLE Chairperson) and our esteemed Extension teachers: Mr. Mehul Barai, Ms. Heta Parekh, Mr. Raju Gole, Mr. Siddhesh Hadkar, Mr. Prashant Shelar, and Mr. Rahul Gollar.

In total 600 students were registered under the extension activity. Department of Life-long Learning & Extension (DLLE), under the dynamic activity program of Population Education Club, aimed at sensitizing students towards socio-cultural realities and environmental issues.

Despite the various hindrances, DLLE students have remained enthusiastic and have successfully organized various college and community-level activities.





The Clean-up Drive after Ganapati Visarjan at Juhu beach on 10th September 2022 was a huge success. Volunteers from all walks of life came together to clean up the beach and restore its natural beauty. The event was a shining example of how collective action can make a positive impact on the environment. The organizers were grateful for the overwhelming support and enthusiasm from the participants.

On World Heart Day, 29th September 2022, an awareness campaign on the effect of pollution on the heart was organized. Participants made handmade posters to illustrate the impact of pollution on cardiovascular health. The posters

depicted the alarming statistics of heart disease and how pollution exacerbates the problem. The campaign aimed to spread awareness about the importance of a clean environment in promoting heart health.

The First Term Training program on 1st October 2022 featured a dynamic and insightful talk by Dr. Shrima Banerjee. Dr. Banerjee's expertise and experience in the field of education provided invaluable insights to the attendees. Participants learned about the latest teaching methodologies and strategies to enhance student learning outcomes. The event was an excellent opportunity for educators to network and exchange ideas and best practices.



The session on E-waste management on 20th October 2022 featured an informative talk by C.A Garima Jindal from Threco. Participants learned about the hazards of electronic waste and the importance of proper disposal methods. The session covered the latest technologies and strategies for the safe and effective recycling of electronic waste. Attendees were inspired to take responsibility for their e-waste and to do their part in creating a sustainable future.



The Prabhat Pheri conducted in association with BMC on Beach Cleaning on 9th December 2022 was a great success. Participants gathered early in the morning to begin the cleanup efforts on the beach. The event was a collaborative effort between citizens and the BMC to keep our beaches clean and free from waste. Volunteers worked tirelessly to collect and dispose of the litter and debris, restoring the beach to its natural beauty.

On Anti-Dowry Day, 26th November 2022, a thought-provoking street play was performed to raise awareness on the issue. The play highlighted the negative impact of dowry on women and their families. The actors skilfully portrayed the various social, psychological, and legal implications of this harmful practice. The street play was well received by the audience and succeeded in sparking meaningful conversations about the issue.

The CPR workshop organized by the Rotary Club on 23rd February 2023 was an excellent opportunity to learn life-saving skills. Participants were taught the proper techniques for CPR and how to use an AED device in emergency situations. The workshop was conducted by experienced trainers and provided hands-on practice sessions to reinforce the learning. Attendees left the workshop feeling more confident and equipped to handle emergency situations.



The Case Study session on National Consumer Awareness held on 10th January 2023 was an insightful and informative event. The session featured several case studies on consumer rights violations and the legal framework for consumer protection. Participants learned about the various consumer protection laws and the mechanisms for redressal in case of grievances. The case studies highlighted the importance of consumer awareness and the need for businesses to uphold ethical and fair practices.

The 2nd term training program held on 18th April 2023 was an enlightening and engaging event, with Dr. Shrima Banerjee as the keynote speaker. Dr. Banerjee, an acclaimed expert in her field, shared valuable insights and practical tips on the latest trends and developments in the industry. Participants were given a unique opportunity to learn from Dr. Banerjee's wealth of experience and were inspired by her passion for the subject matter. The event was a resounding success, with attendees leaving with a renewed sense of enthusiasm and a deeper understanding of the subject matter.

The DLLE program is a unique opportunity for students to engage with their community and make a difference. From tackling social and environmental issues to developing leadership and communication skills, this program equips students with the tools they need to thrive in today's world. A total of 528 students successfully completed the DLLE program! After months of hard work and dedication, it's exciting to see the completion of the second term program and the submission of project reports to the field coordinator and annexures to the University.



Self-Financing Course Students Contributions

Worthwhile!!!

- Khushi Chheda
(SYBAMMC)

The pain lingers on,
Yet these dark days have meaning.
They force me to reflect,
On all that I have been through and
achieved alone.

I remember your words,
The way you saw me and judged
me.

But now I realize,
They were just baseless opinions.

It may hurt for a while,
But that pain will drive me,
To be the best version of myself,
To shine like gold, bright and free.

You Are Not Lost!!!

- Khushi Chheda
(SYBAMMC)

I got nothing to say,
You were the best everyday.

Even tho at times i neglected you
But It meant nothing
I just had so much to do

Nonetheless,
Now i fell like it's all over
And I won't be able to see u

But I'll cherish memories of you,
And whenever I do, tears ensue.

All I'm left with is missing you,
A feeling that is deep and true.

Unseen Fate!

- Khushi Chheda
(SYBAMMC)

There's a big bang in my brain, Whenever I have to face this unseen fate.

Why do I have to co-operate, It makes me want to burn this state.

All these expectations that I can't exactly imitate,
Feels like a burden to my frame.

It feels sick to me mate, Can you supply some aid to this state?

Eventually, It all lines up Just to make it a big deface,
Turning all my efforts into a huge bane.

But here I am again, Trying to make it all operate,
For the sake of all this unseen fate.





Junior College

Annual Report of the Junior College

The following is the result analysis of HSC students of 2022-23:

SYJC Arts							
Appeared	Pass	Pass %	Distinction	First Class	Second Class	Pass Class	Fail
119	111	93.27%	21	38	33	19	8

SYJC Commerce							
Appeared	Pass	Pass %	Distinction	First Class	Second Class	Pass Class	Fail
354	338	95.48%	90	122	95	31	16

The Academic year was very productive for Junior College Cultural Committee. We started a new fest – Intra-fest SAFAR in the month of October, to get the best talent and test the capabilities of students. More than 500 students participated in 25 different activities ranging from dance, singing, fine arts, sports etc.

We also successfully conducted our intercollegiate festival UDAAN for the seventh year in the month of December. There was enthusiastic participation from more than 15 colleges, with nearly 3000 students participating in more than 30 activities.

Representatives of the Student Council motivated the students to participate in other college events and won many awards and accolades as follows:

Event Name	Level	Achievement
Aether	Intracollegiate (Safar)	Best A.C.L.
Inferno	Intracollegiate (Safar)	Best P.R.
Nirvaan	Intercollegiate (Udaan 2022)	1 st War of C.Ls' & A.C.Ls' 1 st Miss, 1 st Group Dance, 1 st Fashion Show
Prodigy	Intercollegiate (Udaan 2022)	Best College
Fantasies	Intercollegiate (Udaan 2022)	1 st Runner Up
Pravaah	Intercollegiate (Udaan 2022)	3 rd F.S.
Malang	Intercollegiate (Udaan 2022)	1 st F.S. Best College
Maharashtra Utsav	Intercollegiate (Udaan 2022)	Best C.L.
DLU	Intercollegiate (Udaan 2022)	Best C.L.
Springz	Intercollegiate (Udaan 2022)	1 st F.S., Best College
Mumbai Dreams	Intercollegiate (Udaan 2022)	2 nd Runner Up
Stock Watch	Intercollegiate (Udaan 2022)	Best College
MYOB	Intercollegiate (Udaan 2022)	Best C.L.
Finzard	Intercollegiate (Udaan 2022)	2 nd Runner Up
Trendz	Intercollegiate (Udaan 2022)	1 st Runner Up



Contributions by the Junior College Students

My Journey

- Tanvee Gaikwad (SYJC Arts)

Started off with a moment on a boat,
Never thought someone would make my heart float.

Falling in love was easy to do,
Like I fell for you out of the blue.

Started to live in my dream land,
Just a thought of you would make my every moment grand.

Soon then I realized,
That my dream land was disguised.

My feelings took a bad turn,
And the world started to burn.

Found out that I was the only one,
Painting this beautiful dream all alone.

Nights were getting colder,
Heart started to get heavier.

How could've this one-sided love been Without a barrier?.

My College

- Shamoil Tinwala (SYJC)

The day begins with the morning light,
As I rise from my bed, the day in sight.
Off to college, classes to attend,

The lecture halls are buzzing with sound,
As students chatter, and notes are bound.

The lunch break comes, a time to dine,
With friends and peers, a moment to unwind.
The afternoon passes, with classes to attend,
As the day moves on, towards its end.

I know that tomorrow, the cycle will repeat,
With college, classes, and new things to meet.

My Little Dove

- Khushnaaz Irani (FYJC Arts)

My little Dove,
why do you cry?
My little Dove,
All you wanted to do is fly.

You aimed for the moon,
but that brought you gloom,
everyone else had won,
you were still undone.

They say, "If not moon, then the stars"
So you aimed for the stars,
And now you've won,
But with your heart still undone.

Don't you feel happy, My little Dove?
Now that you've caught the star.
Do you feel it in your heart?
My oh my! your heart has a scar.

It isn't fair,
Others have won
But your poor heart,
Your heart is still undone.

The Moon is what you really need,
And you will pray for it till you bleed.
With your broken wings you try,
Hoping just like others you could fly
high.

With the star in your arms you cry,
Oh! my little Dove,
All you wanted to do is fly.

Is Your Mobile Controlling Your Life?

- Suaad Shaikh, FYJC Arts

There is no denying it that smartphones have become an essential part of our daily lives, with the entire population relying on them for communication, entertainment and even work, these devices have taken a toll on our life, even though they have many benefits, such as providing access to information and allowing us to stay connected with others, they can also have a significant impact on our well-being and how we interact with the world around us.

One of the most significant ways that phones control our lives is through their addictive nature. The constant notifications, social media updates, and messages can create a sense of urgency and need for instant gratification, leading us to feel like they need to check their phones constantly. This can lead to a lack of focus, productivity, and even sleep deprivation, as we stay up late scrolling through their feeds or respond to messages instead of getting rest.



Phones also have a negative impact on our mental health. Studies have shown that excessive use of phone can lead to anxiety, depression, and feelings of loneliness and isolation, this can also be the reason as to why so many people nowadays feel isolated and sleep deprived. Social media, in particular, can contribute to these negative emotions by creating unrealistic expectations and comparisons to others, which can lead to feelings of inadequacy and low self-esteem. For Eg. We are all

ordinary at the end of the day but nowadays people pretend to have a perfect life on their social media handles acting as if there is no struggle in their life and everything is perfect when in reality no one shares they struggle this has led to a toxic culture in the world of technology where people seek perfection and get depressed when they can't achieve it.

We see influencers getting paid to travel, party, and receive free gifts it leads us to wish - why isn't my life like them? Influencers use filters and makeup to attain unrealistic standards of beauty and pretend that the product they are marketing is what makes them look unreal, when in reality they have gotten surgeries done on their face, body etc. This creates a sense of inferiority in the minds of young users and people leading ordinary lives. They end up disappointed in themselves.

Another way that phones control our lives is through the way they shape our behaviour and decision-making. For example, the algorithms used by social media platforms and other apps can create "echo chambers" where people are only exposed to information and opinions that confirm their existing beliefs and biases. This can lead to a lack of critical thinking skills and an inability to consider alternative viewpoints which is extremely hazardous to brain as it loses its ability to be creative and spontaneous.

Finally, phones can also have a physical impact on our lives. The blue light emitted by screens can disrupt our natural sleep patterns, leading to insomnia and other sleep-related disorders. Additionally, the constant use of phones can lead to poor posture, eye strain etc. In conclusion, while phones have many benefits, they can also have a significant impact on our lives, both positive and negative. To ensure that we maintain a healthy relationship with our devices, it is important to set boundaries for phone use, prioritize face-to-face interactions, and take breaks from technology when needed. By doing so, we can regain control of our lives and use phones as the helpful tools they were intended to be. We should make sure our usage is in a healthy amount to prevent ourselves from addiction to the technology.



Personally, I have been on a journey to end my addiction to my phone as Phone addiction can be a real problem and it has affected my personal life in many ways and I can only guess it is the same for many people, but there are steps you can take to overcome it. Here are some tips:

1. Set goals: Identify why you want to reduce your phone usage and set some goals for yourself. Are you looking to be more productive, improve your mental health, or spend more time with loved ones? Whatever your reasons, make sure your goals are clear and measurable. For e.g. I make sure to set my phone aside and prioritize finishing my chores. And when I am done, I reward myself with 20 minutes of screen time and then set my phone aside again.

2. Track your usage: Use apps or features on your phone to track how much time you spend on your phone each day. This can help you identify patterns and areas where you may need to cut back. For me, I used Instagram the most throughout the day so every now and then I log out and deactivate my accounts so I can spend some time away from Instagram, these breaks usually last for a couple of weeks.

3. Create boundaries: Set some boundaries around your phone usage. For example, avoid using your phone in bed, during meals, or during important conversations. You can also set specific times of day when you check your phone, such as during designated breaks.

4. Find alternatives: Find other activities to replace your phone usage. This could include exercise, reading, or spending time with friends and family.

5. Turn off notifications: Turn off notifications for non-essential apps or put your phone on silent mode during certain times of the day.

6. Use screen-time features: Use the built-in screen-time features on your phone to limit your usage, such as setting time limits for specific apps or turning on "do not disturb" mode during certain times.

7. Seek support: Talk to friends or family members about your goals and ask for their support. You can also join online communities or support groups to connect with others who are also trying to reduce their phone usage.

8. One of the things I do to prevent myself from using my phone throughout the entire day is that I prevent charging my phone completely, this way my phone has limited charging so I have to force myself to use it only for urgent reasons.

9. Avoid texting all day and instead have conversations in real life goals. Take out time to talk to yourself or write down your thoughts.

10. Pursue a hobby or even better focus on your fitness goals.





Hindi Section

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एल. एस. रहेजा आर्ट्स एण्ड कॉमर्स, इसमें हिन्दी युवा मंच का निर्माण किया गया जिससे प्रेरित होकर छात्रों को हिन्दी भाषा के प्रति रुचि उत्पन्न हो। छात्र के भीतर होने वाला डर निकल जाए और वह आत्मविश्वास के साथ लेखन वाचन और अभिनय कर सके। अपने भीतर होने वाले विभिन्न कलाओं को प्रस्तुत कर सके उन्हें अपने कला गुणों को सादर करने लिए मंच मिले इसी आधार पर हिन्दी युवा मंच पूरे साल भर विभिन्न प्रकार के कार्यक्रमों का आयोजन करता है जैसे की निबंध प्रतियोगिता, वैसे ही साहित्य को बढ़ावा देने के कथाकथन इसका भी आयोजन किया जाता है।

अध्ययन के अलावा उनके भीतर हिन्दी के प्रति आत्मीयता निर्माण हो वो हिन्दी भाषा में लेखन कर सके, उनकी भाषा का विकास हो इसलिए 14 सितम्बर 2023 को हिन्दी को गौरवान्वित करने के लिये हिन्दी युवा मंच द्वारा विभिन्न कार्यक्रमों का आयोजन किया था जिसमें निबंध प्रतियोगिता, हस्ताक्षर प्रतियोगिता, मेहंदी प्रतियोगिता नृत्य प्रतियोगिता काव्य वाचन प्रतियोगिता, पोस्टर मेकिंग प्रतियोगिता, रंगोली आदी। इन सभी प्रतियोगिताओं में सहभागी होकर हिंदी दिवस को सम्मानित किया। सभी अध्यापक वर्ग ने हिन्दी दिवस की शुभकामनायें देते हुए छात्रों के आत्मविश्वास के साथ आगे बढ़ने के लिये प्रेरित किया।

हिंदी युवा मंच द्वारा 31 जुलाई प्रेमचंद की जयंती के उपलक्ष में प्रेमचंद की कहानियाँ इस कथाकथन प्रतियोगिता का आयोजन किया गया। 5 सितंबर गुरु पूर्णिमा के अवसर पर विद्यार्थियों ने अपने विचार कविता के माध्यम से प्रकट किए।

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जूनियर कॉलेज पास करके डिग्री में कदम रखा ही था, ज्यादा कुछ बदलाव नहीं आया था, सिवाय इसके कि, जूनियर कॉलेज में लड़कियों से दोस्ती करने की उम्मीद में नज़रें बिछी रही और यही उम्मीद पास होके डिग्री में पहुँचा और यहाँ मेरी उम्मीद को बल मिला जब एक लड़की कई दिनों से लाइन पर लाइन दिए जा रही थी।

वो चौथी कतार में सबसे आखरी बेंच पर बैठती और मैं पहली कतार की दूसरी बेंच से उसे निहारा करता और बदले में वो भी मुझे रिसपांस देती

मेरी जूनियर कॉलेज के दो साल की तपस्या तीसरे साल में रंग लाई, लड़की खबसूरत थी, बड़ी शालीन और सबसे बड़ी बात उसकी नज़रें मुझ पर ही रहती थी, चाहे वो अपनी सहेलियों से बात कर रही हो या क्लास में सर् के सवाल का जवाब दे रही हो, नज़रें बस मुझ पर

बस इस पल को खोना नहीं चाहता था, इसलिए किसी और लड़की को देखना बन्द कर दिया, अब मेरा हर पल सिर्फ और सिर्फ उस लड़की के नाम जिसका नाम मुझे अभी तक पता भी नहीं था पर जल्द पता करना चाहता था ताकि उसका नाम मैं अपने बेंच पर लिख सकूँ



कुछ दिन बाद मेरी माँ ने जबरदस्ती मेरे आँखों का चेक अप करवाया क्योंकि माँ के कहे अनुसार एक रात खाने में नमक की जगह चीनी डाल दी थी

चेक अप में पता चला कि दूर की नज़र कमज़ोर है, पर मैं चश्मा लगाकर चश्मिश नहीं कहलाना चाहता था, क्योंकि उस समय चश्मिश लड़कों से दोस्ती का चलन नहीं था और मेरी दोस्ती तो अभी शुरू हुई थी, चश्मा लगाकर अपने इश्क को परवान नहीं चढ़ाना चाहता था

डॉक्टर ने मुझे चश्मे की जगह लेन्सेस उपयोग करने को कहा जो उस समय काफी चर्चे में था, मुझे पसंद आया और मैंने लेन्सेस के लिए हाँ कह दी।

दूसरे दिन मैं नए अवतार में कॉलेज पहुँचा, पहली कतार की दूसरी बेंच पर मैं बैठा और वो पहले की तरह चौथी कतार की आखरी बेंच पर, यह क्या वहां कोई और ही लड़की बैठी थी जिसकी एक नज़र मुझपर थी तो दूसरी नज़र दूसरे कतार में बैठे हुए एक लड़के पर थी, वो लड़की भेंगी थी

उसकी दोनों नज़रें उत्तर दक्षिण

मुझे लगा वो मेरी वाली नहीं है, दूसरा, तीसरा, चौथा दिन बीत गया वही लड़की उस जगह पर बैठी दिखी।

मैं फौरन वॉश रूम गया और अपनी आँखों की लेन्सेस निकाली और फिर से क्लास में जा बैठा, यह क्या वही लड़की, ड्रेस का कलर भी वही, मुझे देख रही है ठीक पहले के जैसे

अब समझ में आया कि मेरी दूर की नज़र पहले से ही कमज़ोर थी।

खैर मुझे दुख नहीं था, किसी लड़की ने इसी बहाने मुझे देखा तो सही वरना कोई अच्छी लड़की भूले भटक के कभी हमारी तरफ देखती तक नहीं थी।

उस लड़के से मुलाकात की जिसे उस लड़की की दूसरी निगाह देखा करती थी और वो भी मेरी तरह उस लड़की के लिए कई सपने देख चुका था उसे एक सच्चाई बतानी थी... नहीं नहीं, लड़की के बारे में नहीं

मैंने उससे कहा "तुम्हारी आँखों की दूर की रोशनी कमज़ोर है, चश्मा पहना करो"

उसने कहा "तुम्हें कैसे पता चला"?

अब मैं उसे क्या क्या बताता की पर्सनल एक्सपीरियंस से कह रहा हूँ क्योंकि उसे भी वही नज़र आ रहा है जो कुछ दिन पहले मुझे नज़र आ रहा था।

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क्यों करें खुद पे शक तू

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क्यों करें खुद पर शक तू
हर महफिल की चमक तू

हर सवाल का जवाब तू
प्राण का महकता गुलाब तू
मुकुट में सजे हीरे जैसी नायब तू
हर किसी के दिल का अप्रतीम
ख्वाब तू

काली, दुर्गा, चंडी का है अंश तू
अहिल्या, जीजाबाई,
लक्ष्मीबाई का वंश तू

गलत नहीं बस सबसे अलग तू
दोहरे चेहरों से है सजग तू
जंगल का मनोहरतम मृग तू
जुगनू सी अधरों में भी जगमग तू

सावित्रीबाई जैसी प्रज्ञा तू
रुद्रमादेवी जैसी अभिज्ञा तू

क्यों करें खुद पे पर शक तू
हर महफिल की चमक तू

नया शहर

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दूर क्या हुये हम तो अपने से खुद
ही खुद से अंजान हो गये।
इस पहाई के चक्कर में अपने ही घर
के हम मेहमान बन गये।

साल में दो दफा मुश्किल से उन
चेहरे का दीदार हो जाता है।
वही यादों से जीना आसान सा लगने लग जाता है।

अब मैं पता गोबी कह कर लौकी खिलाती नहीं।
अब पापा दर से जागने पर चिल्लाते नहीं।
याद आती है मगर अब बहन बताती नहीं।
और फिर हँस के कह देती है
में तुझ से कुछ छुपाती नहीं।

वीडियो कॉल पर भी देख लेती हूँ चेहरे
उनके मगर भाँप नहीं पाती दर्द गहरे है उनके।
अब व्हाट्स बातचीत का जरिया बन गया है।
देर सारी बातें और वक्त कम पड़ गया है।

अब डिनर नेटफिल्स के साथ होने लगा है।
वो एक साथ छीन छिन के खाना बड़ा याद आराहा है।

अजीब दुविधा है बाहर रहने की अपना घर
होते हुए भी औरों का किराया भर रहे है।
पहले छुट्टियों में बाहर घूमने जाया करते थे
अब छुट्टियों में घर भाग जाया करते है।

एक अरसा

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काफी अरसा हो गया देखे उसे,
एहितेराम तो करते है उसकी
बातों का पर अब हम उनके हाल
से मेहरुम ही अच्छे,
मुसलसल याद करने की
ख्वाइश नहीं बची

बस तुम जिसको दस्तयाब हो
उसे कहना,
की तुम्हारी तबस्सुम का सदका
दिया करे,
तबज्जो तो हमे भी किसीका
अच्छा नहीं लगता क्या करे??

जिन्दगी का सफर

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जिन्दगी का सफर एक
खूबसूरत खेल है,
हर किनारे में छुपा हुआ
मुश्किलों का ढेर है,
चिरागों की रोशनी हमेशा
जलती रहे,
उम्मीदों की आगाज हमेशा
मचलती रहे,
खूशियों की गुन गुनाहट हमेशा
गुन गुनाती रहे,
हर पल, हर लम्हा लिखा
जाए एक नया,
अनोखा किस्सा,
जिंदगी का सफर यूँ ही चलता रहे...



Marathi Section

मराठी वाङ्मय मंडळ अहवाल

दरवर्षीप्रमाणे येदा मराठी भाषेमधून विविध स्पर्धा घेण्यात आल्या. मराठी भाषा संवर्धन पंधरवडा दिनांक १४ जानेवारी ते २८ जानेवारी दरम्यान साजरा करण्यात आला. त्यासाठी विद्यार्थ्यांचा भरपूर प्रतिसाद मिळाला. त्याचा अहवाल जोडण्यात आला आहे. दिनांक २७ फेब्रुवारी ला मराठी राजभाषा दिवस साजरा करण्यात आला. या निमित्ताने कविविश्रेष्ठ कुसुमाग्रजांना आदरांजली म्हणून कविता वाचनाचा कार्यक्रम आयोजित करण्यात आला. हस्तलिखित अंकुर मासिकाचे प्रकाशन करण्यात आले. प्राचार्य, सर्व प्राध्यापक, कार्यकारी मंडळ आणि संपादक मंडळाचे विशेष आभार.

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प्राध्यापक प्रमुख

मराठी भाषा संवर्धन पंधरवडा दि. १४ जानेवारी ते २८ जानेवारी २०२३

साधना एज्युकेशन सोसायटीच्या एल.एस.रहेजा महाविद्यालयात मराठी वाङ्मय मंडळ १९८६ पासून कार्यरत आहे. मंडळाचा मुख्य उद्देश्य हा मराठी भाषेवर प्रेम करणाऱ्या सर्वांसाठी व्यासपीठ उपलब्ध करून देणे हा आहे. विविध स्पर्धा व कार्यक्रमांद्वारे मराठी भाषेतून वाचन व लिखाण याची विद्यार्थ्यांना गोडी लागावी यासाठी वर्षभर प्रयत्न केले जातात. ज्येष्ठ आणि कनिष्ठ महाविद्यालयातील विद्यार्थी मंडळाचे सभासद होऊ शकतात.

मराठी वाङ्मय मंडळ समिती २०२२-२३

- डॉ. अनुपमा नेरुरकर
- श्रीमती. पल्लवी शेजवळ
- सी. ए. हिषीकेश वांद्रेकर
- श्री. सिद्धेश हडकर
- डॉ. सीमा उकिडवे

वरील पंधरवड्यात महाविद्यालयात खाली कार्यक्रम आयोजित करण्यात आले.

१४ जानेवारी- 'हसवाफसवी' या दिलीप प्रभावळकर लिखित आणि त्यांच्या सहजसुंदर अभिनयाने नटलेल्या मराठी नाटकाचे प्रदर्शन करण्यात आले. शिक्षक, शिक्षकेतर कर्मचारी आणि विद्यार्थ्यांनी या कार्यक्रमाचा आस्वाद घेतला. वाचनालयातर्फे मराठी पुस्तकांचे खुले प्रदर्शन ठेवण्यात आले.

१६ जानेवारी- भिक्तीपत्रिका (पोस्टर मेकिंग) स्पर्धेचे आयोजन करण्यात आले. डॉ. अक्षता कुलकर्णी या स्पर्धेच्या आयोजक होत्या. स्पर्धेचे विषय खालीलप्रमाणे:

- माझा आवडता सण
- मराठी साहित्यिक, खेळाडू, कवी, लेखक यांचे स्केच
- माझा आवडता ऋतू
- महाराष्ट्रातील माझे आवडते पर्यटन स्थळ
- शिवाजी महाराजांच्या जीवनातील माझा
- महाराष्ट्रातील संस्कृती
- आवडता प्रसंग
- महाराष्ट्रातील पारंपारिक दागिने



१७ जानेवारी - 'महाराष्ट्राची लोकधारा' या सांस्कृतिक कार्यक्रमां अंतर्गत नृत्य, गायन आणि अभिनय या स्पर्धा घेण्यात आल्या. या स्पर्धेला भरपूर प्रतिसाद मिळाला. स्पर्धेचे आयोजक म्हणून सिद्धेश हडकर, श्रुती सामंत आणि पल्लवी शेजवळ यांनी काम पहिले.

१८ जानेवारीला मराठी गाण्यांची अंताक्षरी स्पर्धा घेण्यात आली. या स्पर्धेचे वैशिष्ट्य म्हणजे यात शिक्षक आणि शिक्षकेतर कर्मचाऱ्यांनी भाग घेतला आणि गाण्यांचा आनंद घेतला. स्पर्धेचे आयोजक म्हणून श्रुती सामंत, समीक्षा जाधव आणि प्रशांत शेलार यांनी काम पहिले.

१९ जानेवारीला कथाकथन स्पर्धा घेण्यात आली. विद्यार्थ्यांनी विविध कथा सादर केल्या. या स्पर्धेचे आयोजन आणि परीक्षण सीमा उकिडवे आणि प्राजक्ता जोशी यांनी केले

२० जानेवारीला श्री राजेंद्र पाटणकर, निवृत्त उद्घोषक, आकाशवाणी मुंबई यांनी आकाशवाणीवरील विविध संधी या कार्यशाळेतून विद्यार्थ्यांना मार्गदर्शन केले. मराठीच्या शिक्षिका पूर्वा कर्वे यांनी कार्यक्रमाचे आयोजन केले.

२१ जानेवारीला पुस्तकपरिचय या स्पर्धेत विद्यार्थ्यांनी आणि शिक्षकांनी वाचनीय पुस्तकांचा परिचय करून दिला. सी.ए. हिषीकेश वांद्रेकर यांनी स्पर्धेचे आयोजन केले.

२३ जानेवारीला प्रश्नमंजुषा स्पर्धा आयोजित करण्यात आली. सी.ए. हिषीकेश वांद्रेकर यांनी सामान्य ज्ञान, मराठी साहित्यावर प्रश्न विचारले. स्पर्धा रंगतदार झाली.

२४ जानेवारीला साहित्यिक गौरव या कार्यक्रमात उदयोन्मुख लेखक श्री मनोज नाईकसाठम यांचा प्राचार्यातर्फे सत्कार करण्यात आला. त्यांनी आपल्या लेखनप्रवासाबद्दल विद्यार्थ्यांना मार्गदर्शन केले. यासाठी माजी विद्यार्थी विनय ठाकूर याचे विशेष सहाय्य लाभले.

२५ जानेवारी रोजी विद्यार्थ्यांसाठी मोडी लिपी कार्यशाळा आयोजित केली होती. इतिहास विभागाच्या प्रमुख पूजा यादव यांनी मोडी लिपीचे सौंदर्य आणि इतिहास छान उलगडून सांगितला.

२७ जानेवारीला विद्यार्थ्यांनी तयार केलेल्या अंकुर हस्तलिखितांचे प्रकाशन करण्यात आले. या हस्तलिखितात स्वलिखित आणि संकलित लेख, कविता, सुविचार, निबंध, पोस्टर यांचा समावेश आहे. विद्यार्थ्यांच्या संपादक मंडळाचे विशेष आभार.

२८ जानेवारीला निबंध आणि हस्ताक्षर स्पर्धेचे आयोजन केले गेले. शिक्षक आणि शिक्षकेतर कर्मचाऱ्यांनी यात भाग घेतला. निबंधाचे विषय खालीलप्रमाणे.

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| • आमचे कॉलेज | • माझे गाव |
| • महाराष्ट्राचे राजकारण | • कामाचा ताण कमी करण्यासाठी उपाय |
| • मला आवडलेला मराठी चित्रपट | |

समीक्षा जाधव आणि राहुल दांडेकर यांनी या स्पर्धेचे आयोजन केले.

या कार्यक्रमाचे आयोजन यशस्वी करण्यात प्राचार्य, अध्यापक वर्ग, ग्रंथपाल परीता देसाई, रजिस्ट्रार रुपल कोरे, शिक्षकेतर कर्मचारी, कार्यकारी मंडळ आणि संपादक मंडळ या सर्वांचे मोलाचे सहकार्य लाभले. सरकारने हा उपक्रम सुरू केला त्यासाठी शतशः धन्यवाद.

डॉ. अनुपमा नेरुरकर
प्राध्यापक प्रमुख

डॉ. देवोजित सरकार
प्राचार्य



स्पर्धा	रैंक	पारितोषिक विजेते
हस्ताक्षर स्पर्धा	प्रथम	रोशन साळवी- तृतीय वर्ष वाणिज्य
	द्वितीय	अपेक्षा तळेकर - तृतीय वर्ष वाणिज्य
	तृतीय	स्नेहा कदम- तृतीय वर्ष वाणिज्य मयुरी कुलकर्णी- तृतीय वर्ष वाणिज्य
निबंध स्पर्धा	प्रथम	अपेक्षा तळेकर - तृतीय वर्ष वाणिज्य
	द्वितीय	स्नेहा कदम - तृतीय वर्ष वाणिज्य
	तृतीय	मयुरी कुलकर्णी -तृतीय वर्ष वाणिज्य
गायन स्पर्धा	प्रथम	(एकल गायन) निशा ठाकूर
	द्वितीय	(एकल गायन) स्नेहा कदम - तृतीय वर्ष वाणिज्य
	समूह गीत	अश्विनी आणि संघ-अश्विनी बच्चे, इशिता डांगळे, भूमी मिरास्त्रीरती तिळये, श्रुती राऊधा
रंगोळी स्पर्धा	जेष्ठ महाविद्यालय	
	प्रथम	अदिती दाभणे- नंदिनी दाभणे- द्वितीय वर्ष वाणिज्य
	द्वितीय	जागृती आघे -द्वितीय वर्ष वाणिज्य
	तृतीय	वृषाली तामोरे - तृतीय वर्ष - BFM
	कनिष्ठ महाविद्यालय	
	प्रथम	श्रावणी अंमलदार- एसवाय जेसी
	द्वितीय	मानसी फुलाने -एफवाय जेसी
	तृतीय	वेदिका पवार -एफवाय जेसी
	चौथे	इशिता डांगळे- एसवाय जेसी
भित्तिपत्रक स्पर्धा	जेष्ठ महाविद्यालय	
	प्रथम	देवेंद्र सिंग-तृतीय वर्ष वाणिज्य
	द्वितीय	द्वितीय- अर्पिता प्रजापती-प्रथम वर्ष -कला
	तृतीय	तृतीय- आहन आर्वे-तृतीय वर्ष वाणिज्य

	कनिष्ठ महाविद्यालय	
	प्रथम	आयुष् परब-एसवाय जेसी
	उत्तेजनार्थ	अनघा आंगणे -एफवाय जेसी इशिता डांगळे -एसवाय जेसी
अंताक्षरी स्पर्धा	प्रथम	आयुष्-तेजस संघ
	द्वितीय	रसिक-चैत्रवी संघ
	तृतीय	संकेत -रोशन संघ
शिक्षक शिक्षकेतर अंताक्षरी स्पर्धा	प्रथम	पल्लवी शेजवळ राजपूत अनुपमा नेहरुकर सीमा उकिडवे दिपाली पाटील
	द्वितीय	संतोष पोयेकर प्रसाद चव्हाण प्रतीक्षा दळवी कौस्तुभ पेडणेकर रीना मोहिते
	तृतीय	चंद्रकांत बिचारे पुजा मोरे अतुल खरे गौरव राजणे स्निग्धा कदम
कथाकथन स्पर्धा	जेष्ठ महाविद्यालय	
	प्रथम	समिधा रायकर-द्वितीय वर्ष-कला
	द्वितीय	प्रांजल झाड -प्रथम वर्ष वाणिज्य
	कनिष्ठ महाविद्यालय	
	प्रथम	आयुष् परब- एसवाय जेसी



महाराष्ट्राची लोकधारा-सांस्कृतिक कार्यक्रम: नृत्य	जेष्ठ महाविद्यालय	
	प्रथम	एकल-प्रगती खुशबू
	सांघिक	रिया आणि कविता
	कनिष्ठ महाविद्यालय	
	प्रथम	(एकल) इशिता
	द्वितीय	(एकल) श्रावणी पेवेकर
	तृतीय	(एकल) शिवानी दुबे आणि आदित्य
	उत्तेजनार्थ	
	प्रथम	(सांघिक) अर्पिता आणि संघ
	द्वितीय	(सांघिक) कृणाल आणि संघ
महाराष्ट्राची लोकधारा-सांस्कृतिक कार्यक्रम: गायन	जेष्ठ महाविद्यालय	
	प्रथम	कविता विश्वकरमा
	विशेष पारितोषिक	वाद्य - तन्वी आणि वेदांत
	कनिष्ठ महाविद्यालय	
	एकपात्री अभिनय	आयुष परब
शब्दकोडे स्पर्धा	जेष्ठ महाविद्यालय	
	प्रथम	चैत्रवी आंगणे
	प्रथम	रोशन साळवी - तृतीय वर्ष वाणिज्य
	कनिष्ठ महाविद्यालय	
	प्रथम	निशीता नाईक
	द्वितीय	इशिता डांगळे - एसवाय जेसी
पुस्तक परिचय स्पर्धा	प्रथम	आयुष परब-एसवाय जेसी
	द्वितीय	प्रांजल झाड- प्रथम वर्ष वाणिज्य
	तृतीय	रसिक सतेलकर -तृतीय वर्ष वाणिज्य



प्रश्नमंजुषा स्पर्धा	प्रथम	संकेत दिघावकर- तृतीय वर्ष वाणिज्य चैत्राची आंगणे -तृतीय वर्ष वाणिज्य-
	द्वितीय	शेख मोहम्मद फहेद -तृतीय वर्ष वाणिज्य मानसी तारवे -तृतीय वर्ष वाणिज्य
	तृतीय	रोशन साळवी-तृतीय वर्ष वाणिज्य इशिता डांगळे -एसवाय जेसी
निबंध आणि हस्ताक्षर स्पर्धा २८ जानेवारी २०२३: हस्ताक्षर	शिक्षक वर्ग	
	प्रथम	जागृती परब
	द्वितीय	सिद्धेश हडकर
	तृतीय	श्रुती सामंत
	उत्तेजनार्थ	पूजा पटवर्धन
	शिक्षकेतर कर्मचारी	
	प्रथम	संतोष पोयेकर
	द्वितीय	सागर पाधुंदकर
	तृतीय	महेश गोसावी
	उत्तेजनार्थ	पूजा मोरे
निबंध आणि हस्ताक्षर स्पर्धा २८ जानेवारी २०२३: निबंध	शिक्षक वर्ग	
	प्रथम	श्रुती सामंत
	शिक्षकेतर वर्ग	
	प्रथम	सिद्धेश कदम
	द्वितीय	रुपात कोरे
	तृतीय	प्रसाद चव्हाण
	उत्तेजनार्थ	संतोष पोयेकर

प्रथम विनवू गणपती
- आयुष परब, SYJC

प्रारंभी विनंती करू गणपती
चौदा विद्या, चौसष्ट कलांचा अधिपती
गोड तुझे रूप कीर्ती
पाहुनिया तुझी मूर्ती
चिंतामुक्त भक्त होती
विघ्नविनाशक मंगल मूर्ती तु गणपती ॥ १ ॥

तुझिया येण्याने धरती सजली
भक्तजन आनंदती
ढोल - ताशे वाजती
गुलाल उधळती
पूजा- अर्चा तुझी करती
विघ्नविनाशक मंगलमूर्ती तु गणपती ॥ २ ॥

मुषकावरी तु स्वार होशी
एका हाती परशु घेशी
एका हाती त्रिशूल घेशी
एका हाती खड्ग घेशी
एका हाती मोदक घेशी
भक्तजन गुणगान करिती
विघ्नविनाशक मंगल मूर्ती तु गणपती ॥ ३ ॥

कार्यारंभी तुच गणपती
थोर तुझी महती किती
तुझिया नावे दुःख हरती
सुर - असुर दूर पळती
थोर तुझ्या नामाची ख्याती
विघ्नविनाशक मंगल मूर्ती तु गणपती ॥ ४ ॥

मित्रा तू कुठे असतोस?
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बाजूला नसलास तरी असतोस,
आवाज येतो पण शेजारी नसतोस!
बोलून चालून दूरच असतोस,
मित्रा तू कुठे असतोस?

सारे काही देतो, पण घेत मात्र नाही
काही,
बरच काही ऐकतो, पण बोलत मात्र
काही नाही!
सावलीप्रमाणे सांगाती, पण दिसत
कधीही नाही,
बोल तरी मित्रा तू कुठे असतोस?

बाजूनेच चालतोस, पण दिसेनासा
असतोस,
बोलत नाहीस, पण वाट मात्र
दाखवतोस!
अटश्य होण्याचीही जादू तुकशी काय
करतोस?
सांग ना रे मित्रा तू कुठे असतोस?

कोडे अवघड झाले, की हळूच तुझी
चाहूल भासते!
वाळातली सुई कशी, अगदी सहज
सापडते,
मित्र म्हणता म्हणता, हा विचार परत
येतो बरं!
सांग नारे बाबा तू असतोस कुठे खरं?

पारिजात
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(शारीरिक शिक्षण संचालक)

बहरलेल्या पारिजातकाचा सुगंध
क्षणभर हातात दरवळला
तुझ्या माझ्या प्रेमाचा पाऊस
काही क्षणातच ओसरला

वेड्या नजरेनेच मांडले
भाव माझ्या मनातले
तू ही जाणुनी आहेस
अबोल भाव नयनातले

भेट तुझी माझी होणे
अवघड जरि तरीही
पहावे एकवार डोळेभरूनी
घडपड याची काहीतरी

राजकुमाराची स्वप्न पहाते
जणु निस्तेज हरविलेले रानफुल
क्षुद्र जरि तुजसमोर तरिहि
पारिजात ते माळरानातील

स्वप्न असेल की सत्य हे
अबोल नाते तुझ्या माझ्यातले
तू ही उलगडूनी द्यावे हळूवार
कोडे हे माझ्या मनातले

नजरेतील भावनांच्या
शब्दांचा ऊबरठा मी ओलांडला
तुही करावी सुरुवात कधीतरी
या आशेवर खेळ थांबला

पुन्हा प्रेमाच्या पावसाची
वाट मी पाहत आहे
पुन्हा पारिजातकाचा सुगंध
हाती माझ्या मी शोधत आहे

तू असं यावं

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जुलैच्या पावसात,
कमरेपर्यंत पाण्यातून चालताना,
तू बोट होऊन यावं.

विरार प्लॅटफॉर्मवर गर्दीच्या वेळी
तू रिकामी ट्रेन होऊन यावं.

पाय ठेवायला जागा नसताना
तू चौथी सीट होऊन यावं.

पोटात भूकेचा आगडोंब असताना
वडापाव होऊन तू यावं.

ऑफिसमध्ये डोकं बधिर झाल्यावर
वाफाळता चहा बनून तू यावं,

थकून भागून घरी आल्यावर
दरवाजा उघडायला सामोरी तूच यावं.

मेच्या उन्हात रस्ता पायदळी तुडबितांना
तू छत्री होऊन यावं.

चारी बाजूला अंधार असताना
जिकण्याची शून्य शक्यता असताना
तू उमेद होऊन यावं

बँक तू बँलन्स संपलेला असताना
महिण्याच्या पहिल्या तारखेची
सॅलरी होऊन यावं.

ऊर दाटून आल्यावर
तू मिठी होऊन यावं.

सर्व धागे दुरावलेले असताना
शेवटचा धागा होऊन तू यावं.

मृगाची चाहूल लागल्यावर
मोराचा पिसारा बनून तू यावं.

कोकिलेचा सुर बनून तू यावं.

माणसांच्या महासागरात
माझ्यातला माणूस हरवितांना
तू कविता होऊन यावं.

माझे कॉलेज

जे विद्यार्थी शिकण्यास मनापासून उत्सुक असतात ते महाविद्यालयात चांगले करिअर, जबाबदारीची भावना व चांगल्या सवयी विकसित करू शकतात. महाविद्यालय ही एक शैक्षणिक संस्था आणि समाजाचा महत्त्वाचा घटक आहे. त्यामुळे महाविद्यालयाचा अर्थ देशात शिक्षण देणे एवढेच नाही तर आपल्या देशाच्या युवा वर्गाचा भक्कम पाया करणे हे आहे. हे झाले विद्यार्थी आणि समाजाचे पण त्या विद्यार्थ्यांना घडविणारे, प्राचार्य, शिक्षक आणि त्यांच्या बरोबरीने त्यांच्या अशैक्षणिक कामाची जबाबदारी घेणारे शिक्षकेतर कर्मचारी आणि मी एक शिक्षकेतर कर्मचारी म्हणून मला मी कार्य करत असलेल्या सेवेबद्दल बोलायला सांगायला नक्की आवडेल.

१ एप्रिल १९९१ चा दिवस, नियुक्तीचा पाहिला दिन, पाहिला काँऊटरवरचा दिवस त्याच दिवशी घेतलेली मुलांची फी, कामाचा आवाका, त्याची घेतली गेलेली दखल आणि त्यावेळचे रजिस्ट्रार आणि ग्रंथपाल यांनी केलेले कामकाज सगळे सगळे आठवते. आपण घाबरून राहिलो तर आपलं कोकरो होऊन जाईल आणि कामात घोब असले तर कोणालाही घाबरायची गरज नाही हा विश्वासही याच महाविद्यालयाने दिला. या कॉलेजने मला खूप काही दिले. खास करून माझ्याबरोबर नियुक्त झालेली स्वाती मला आयुष्यभराची मैत्रिण म्हणून मिळाली.

कॉलेजमध्ये नोकरी करतो म्हणून समोरच्या डोळ्यात असलेला आदर पाहिला. मुलांची अडचण सोडवताना त्यांच्या डोळ्यात काम झाल्याचा आनंदही पाहिला. एखाद्या विद्यार्थी पैशाअभावी पूढे शिकू शकत नाही हे कळल्यावर इतर सहकाऱ्यांच्या मदतीने त्यांच्या शिक्षणाचा मार्ग सुकर केल्याचे पुण्यही पदरी पडले ते याच महाविद्यालयामुळे. महाविद्यालयाने आर्थिक स्थैर्य दिले, मानमरातब दिला व पुढील भविष्याची सोयही केली. निवृत्तीनंतरचे जीवन सुकर होईल ते ही याच महाविद्यालया मुळेच.

महाविद्यालयाने पैसा दिल्या, आत्मविश्वास दिला खूप काही दिले, खूप काही घेण्याचे बाकी राहिले. आजूबाजूला विद्वानाची मांदियाळी असताना शैक्षणिक क्षेत्रात स्वतःची उन्नती करण्याची इच्छा संसारिक अडचणी असल्याने पूर्ण करता आली नाही, ही खंत असली तरी पेला अधी भरला आहे की अधी रिकामा हे तुम्ही कसे पाहता यावर अवलंबून आहे, आणि माझा पेला अर्धा नाही पूर्ण भरलेला आहे.

मी स्वतःला भाग्यवान समजते की अशा महाविद्यालयात सेवा करते जे ३५०० विद्यार्थ्यांना उच्चशिक्षित, राष्ट्राच्या विकासासाठी एक मजबूत, आत्मविश्वास व्यक्तीमत्व घडवते. रुपल कोरे, प्रबंधक

कामाचा ताण कमी करण्यासाठी उपाय

ताणतणाव हे आजच्या काळातलं, आपल्या जीवनशैलीचं व्यवस्थेदक लक्षण होऊन बसलं आहे. काहीवेळा दुरापास्त असला, तरी तो आटोक्यात ठेवता येतो. काही छोट्या छोट्या गोष्टी पाळल्या, कामाचं नियोजन नीट केले तर या तणावाला लांब ठेवता येईल. आपलं जगणं अधिक आनंददायी बनविता येईल. तणाव दूर करण्यासाठी शारीरिक व्यायाम हा सर्वात उत्तम उपाय असतो.

तणावामुळे रक्तातील साखरेची पातळी कमी होते, त्यामुळे उपाशी पोटी न राहता किंवा अचानक खूप खाण्यापेक्षा, दर ३-४ तासांनी थोडा थोडा उर्जादायक आहार घ्यावा. चिंता आणि ताण दूर करण्यासाठी मध्यप्राशन आणि धूम्रपान टाळावे. तणावाच्या जोडीला या व्यसनांनी आरोग्य ढासळतं. तणावामुळे होणारे शारीरिक व मानसिक त्रास नियमित आणि वेळेवर घेतलेल्या झोपेमुळे कमी होतात. ध्यानधारणा, संगीत श्रवण, रिलॅक्सेशन टेक्निक्स यांनी तणावग्रस्त मन स्थिर राहते.

ताणतणावाच्या व्यवस्थापनात स्वतःच्या भावनांना आवर घालणे महत्वाचे असते. सहकाऱ्यांशी, मदतनीसांशी, हाताखालील कर्मचाऱ्यांशी वाद घालणं टाळावे. विनोदबुद्धीचा वापर करून भावना व्यक्त केल्यास, दिलखुलासपणे हसून बोलल्यास पेचप्रसंग टळतो.

जीवनात तणावमुक्त राहायचं, की ताणतणावात हे आपल्याच हातात असतं. आनंद दिल्याने वाढतो, त्यामुळे आपल्याला गवसलेली तणावमुक्त होण्याची गुरुकिल्ली आपले कुटुंबीय मित्र - मैत्रिणी, नातेवाईक, सहकारी यांना सुपूर्त केली, तर त्यांचेही तणाव दूर होऊन आपल्या आजूबाजूचं वातावरण तणावविरहीत बनू शकतं.

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'समाज माध्यमे': उपयोग, दुरुपयोग

इंटरनेटवर आधारित जी माध्यमे आहेत, त्यासाठी 'सोशल मीडिया' किंवा 'समाज माध्यमे' हा शब्द वापरला जातो. फेसबुक, ट्विटर, युट्युब अशा अनेक माध्यमांचा सोशल मीडियात समावेश होतो. या माध्यमांत खरंच किती सामाजिकता आहे, की है, आभासी जग आहे हा एक गहन प्रश्न आहे. समाजमाध्यम 'सोशल नेटवर्क' सेवेमुळे त्याचे उपयोग व दुरुपयोग आपल्याला आढळतात

सोशल नेटवर्क सेवेमुळे एकाच वेळी अनेक लोकांशी संपर्क व ओळख ठेवता येते. ह्यात वेळ, स्थान इ. गोष्टी येत नाहीत. मात्र या ओळखीचा प्रत्यक्ष आयुष्यात उपयोग होतो की नाही हे सांगणे कठीण आहे. सोशल नेटवर्किंग संकेतस्थळांवरिल माहितीचा वापर अनेक कंपन्या, अर्थवित्तीय संस्था, मोबाईल इ. करतात. अनेक वेळा या माहितीचा गैरवापरही केला जातो. समाज माध्यम हे एक विज्ञान आहे, ज्याचा अभ्यास करून वापर करण्याची गरज आहे, 'समाज माध्यम' समजून घेणे ही काळाची गरज आहे. सोशल मिडियाचे जसे फायदे आहेत तसे त्याचा गैरवापर केल्यामुळे तोटेही होतात.

सोशल मिडियाच्या माध्यमातून अफवा देखील सहज पसरवता येते. जास्तवेळ घालवल्याने तरुणांची दिशाभूल होते. 'सोशल मिडियाच्या वापरामुळे विविध प्रकारच्या सायबर क्राईम घडतात.

जगातील कोणत्याही गोष्टीचा शोध कधीही शाप म्हणून लावला जात नाही. कोणतीही वस्तू चांगल्या हेतुने बनवली जाते, परंतु ती वस्तू वरदान किंवा शाप असेल, ती त्या व्यक्तीने वस्तू कशी वापरली यावर अवलंबून असते.

यावेळी सोशल मिडियावर लोकांचे कोणत्या सर्व काम सोशल मिडियावर केले जाते. सोशल मिडियाच्या मर्यादित आणि योग्य वापरामुळे ते वरदान ठरेल.

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माझा आवडता मराठी चित्रपट - सिंहासन

मी जेव्हा पत्रकारिता करित होते. तेव्हा आमच्या शिक्षिका, जेष्ठ पत्रकार श्रीमती उपाध्याय ह्या आमच्या मुख्य शिक्षिका होत्या. पत्रकारितेचे धडे, उत्तम रित्या आम्हाला कळावे व पत्रकारिता कशी असते, त्याचा आपल्या आयुष्याशी होणारा बदल, समाजात पत्रकाराचे स्थान या सारख्या अनेक गोष्टी त्यांच्याकडून आणि आमच्या इतर शिक्षिकांपासून आम्हाला मिळाला.

एके दिवशी आम्हा सर्व विद्यार्थ्यांना चर्चगेट येथील जुन्या काळच्या एका चित्रपट गृहामध्ये चित्रपट पाहण्यासाठी नेले होते. आणि त्यावेळी चित्रपट त्याच चित्रपटगृहामध्ये प्रथम प्रदर्शित होत असे. आम्ही सर्व विद्यार्थी तेथे गेलो. त्यानंतर चित्रपट सुरु झाला व त्यानंतर आम्हाला सांगितले होते की चित्रपट संपल्यानंतर या चित्रपटा विषयी आपण चर्चासत्र सुरू करणार आहोत. चित्रपटाचे नाव "सिंहासन" असे होते.

हा सिनेमा नाही, ती एक "कलाकृती" आहे. एक परिपूर्ण कलाकृती. असल देशी विषय. बांधीव पटकथा दोन सशक्त लेखणी मधून उमटलेला हुंकार अरुण साधु सारख्या प्रथितयश पत्रकार लेखक ज्यांच्या "सिंहासन" आणि "मुंबई दिनांक" या दोन शक्तिशाली कादंबऱ्या वरून घेतलेला परिपूर्ण अनुभव ! संवाद तेवढ्याच ताकदच्या माणसाने लिहिलेले - "विजय तेंडुलकर" एखाद्या दिवशी आमटी किंवा भाजी एवढी सुंदर जमून येते की खाणारा गोष्टी चपखल जेवढ्यास तेवढ्या वैगरे. छे अजिबात चान्स नाही. प्रत्येकाची भूमिका जेवढ्यास तेवढी. आणि विषय तरी काय आपण रोज पेपर मध्ये वाचतो जसा काही पेपरच वाचतो आहे. ह्या सगळ्या किमयागाराचे नाव "जब्बार पटेल" ह्या माणसाने मराठी सिनेमा ही वेगळी कलाकृती आहे. उदा. जैत रे जैत, एक होता विदूषक इत्यादी ... पण सगळ्याच सिनेमा मध्ये सगळ्यात क्रांतीकारी ठरला तो. सिंहासन हा सिनेमा नाहीच मुळी! हा अनुभव आहे जशी तेंडुलकरांची पटकथा. तसाच जब्बारांचा पात्र नियोजन बारीक सारीक बाबींचा अगदी बारकाव्याने विचार केला आहे

पात्र संयोजनाने सिनेमा किती उच्चप्रत गाठू शकतो त्याच "सिंहासन" हे उत्कृष्ट उदाहरण. अगदी मुख्यमंत्री ते मुयाशेट पर्यंत परफेक्ट फ्रेम. प्रत्येक जण आपल्या भूमिकेत चपखल बरे नट / नटी म्हणावेत, तर सगळी मराठी चित्रपट सृष्टीच लोटली आहे. असं म्हणाव लागेल. निळू फुले, डॉ. श्रीराम लागू, दत्ताभट, मधुकर तोंडमल, डॉ. मोहन आगारो, माधव वाटवे, उषा नाडकर्णी, रीमा लागू, आणि अरुण सरनाईक अरुण सरनाईकांच्या आयुष्यातील अविस्मरणीय भूमिका त्यांना मिळाली म्हटले तर वावगे ठरू नये. डॉ. लागू नेहमी प्रमाणेच अप्रतिम आणि निळू भाऊंचा तर जबाबच नाही. ती व्यक्तिरेखा लेखकानेच फार प्रेमाने रंगवलेली आहे. इतर कोणाचाही विचार आपण करू शकत नाही. मुळात अरुण साधूनी कादंबरीत जी पात्र लिहिलेली ती समोर जिवंत झाल्या सारख्या वाटतात.

या सिनेमात एकमेव गाणे आहे " उषः काल होता होता " आणि सगळ्या कक्षा मोडून पाडणारे आहे. सुरेश भट्टांच्या शब्दांना हृदयनाथ मंगेशकरांनी चाल दिली आहे. त्याला तोड नाही. ते टोकदार शब्द, आशाचा टिपेचा आवाज, रविंद्र साठेचा खोल गंभीर आवाज आणि मंगेशकरांचे संगीत आणि हो या गाण्यातील कोरसचा उल्लेख व्हायलाच हवा. ह्या गाण्याच टिकिंग ही त्या काळापेक्षा खूपच वेगळे. गाणे पार्श्वभूमीवर वाजतेय आणि कैमरा मुंबई भर सरसर फिरतोय. सगळी व्यथा अंगावर येते.

या सिनेमाचा वेगळेपणा म्हणजे पहिल्यांदाच स्वऱ्यासुऱ्या विधान सभेत ह्या सिनेमाच चित्रिकरण झालं होत. विधान सभेत - चालणाऱ्या गमती, तिकडच कॅटीन, आमदारांची मस्ती, हेरगिरी, आमदारांना फोडण्याचे प्रकार, भोंदू युत्या इत्यादी सगळे अगदी यथार्थ चित्रण. ह्या सिनेमाने मला काय दिलं? सिनेमा बघायची दृष्टी! खरंच सिनेमा कोणताही असो. चांगला वा वाईट ते बघायला एक दृष्टी लागते. प्रत्येक सिनेमात एकदम काहीतरी सापडतेच. आपल्याला कोणत्या प्रकारचे सिनेमे आवडतात हा शोध लागणे हे महत्त्वाचे.

सिंहासन ने चित्रपट सृष्टीला खूप काही तरी भरीव दिलं सिनेमा हे किती ताकदीच माध्यम आहे आणि असा क्लिष्ट विषय लोकप्रिय होवू शकतो, हे या सिनेमाने दाखवले. ह्या बाबतीन जब्बार पटेल, आणि तेंडुलकर यांच करावे तेवढे कौतुक कमीच. तेडुलकरांचे लिखाण मला

नेहमी असे दूर - ध्रुवा वरून केल्यासारखे वाटायचे. पण त्यांची पटकथा ह्या प्रकाराबद्दलची समज वादातीत आहे. मुळात अरुण साधूनी दोन कादंबऱ्यात मांडलेला पसारा तीन तास उरकणे काही खावचं काम नाही.

मराठीतला मैलाचा दगड असलेला चित्रपट व माझा सर्वात आवडता राजकारणी आणि पत्रकारतेवरून असा हा सिनेमा. सर्वात माझा आवडत्या सिनेमा बदल मला लिहायला मिळाले हे माझे भाग्यच!

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माझे महाविद्यालयीन जीवन

महाविद्यालयीन जीवन सर्वांचे सारखे नसते. वेगवेगळ्या अनुभवातून सर्वच शिकतात. महाविद्यालय हा आपल्या जीवनाचा सर्वात महत्वाचा काळ असतो. या काळात मुले शालेय जीवनातून पुढच्या वाटचालीसाठी निघतात. महाविद्यालय म्हटल्यावर लोकांना मोठी इमारत, मोठे वर्ग असे सगळे आठवते.

महाविद्यालयचे जीवन जगत असताना वेगळाच अनुभव येत असतो, कारण त्या काळात आपण नवीन मित्र, मैत्रीण बनवतो. काही लोकांना कॉलेज फक्त मजा मरती साठीच आहे असे वाटते. तर काही लोकांना कॉलेज म्हटलं तर पुढील जीवनाची पायरी वाटते. महाविद्यालय हे खूप मुलांच्या पुढच्या आयुष्याची वाट ठरवते. महाविद्यालयात असताना अनेक गोष्टी घडतात. नवीन विषय शिकताना वेगळीच मज्जा येते. महाविद्यालयातील शिक्षक आपल्याला जीवन भर लक्षात राहतात, का तर ते फक्त पुस्तकी शिक्षण नव्हे, तर जीवनातील अनेक गोष्टी समजावतात. त्यांची शिक्षण कधीच वाया जात नाही. शालेय व महाविद्यालयात फरक असतो, तो म्हणजे शालेय जीवनात आपण सगळ्याच गोष्टींसाठी अवलंबून असतो, तर महाविद्यालयात आपण स्वावलंबी होतो. महाविद्यालय आपल्याला पुढे काय करायचं या बद्दलची दिशा दाखवतो. या जीवनात आपण आपले मत कसे मांडायचे हे शिकतो. आपण आपले निर्णय कसे घ्यायचे हे शिकतो.

महाविद्यालयीन जीवन सर्वांनाच अनुभवायला मिळते असे नाही. ह्या जीवनात प्रत्येकाचे वेगळे अनुभव त्यांना बरेच काही शिकवून जाते. असे वेगवेगळे अनुभव या जीवनात येतात. मला असे वाटते की, महाविद्यालयीन काळातले जीवन सर्वात सुंदर काळ असतो. अशा प्रकारे हे जीवन जगताना खूप बरे वाटते.

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माझे गाव

भारताला खेड्यांचा देश म्हटले जाते, कारण देशाच्या एकूण लोकसंख्येपैकी दोन तृतीयांश लोक खेड्यात राहतात. प्रत्येकाला आपले गाव आवडते. मलाही माझे गाव खूप आवडते.

गाव हे शहरी जीवनाच्या गजबजाटापासून दूर असलेले ग्रामीण ठिकाण आहे. हिरव्यागार शेतांमध्ये वसलेले गाव सहसा शांत असते. गावातील हिरवळ आणि मातीचा सुगंध मनाला शांती देणारे असते. गाव हे असे स्थान आहे जे शहराच्या प्रदूषणापासून तसेच, आणि आवाजापासून खूप दूर आहे. तसेच आपल्याला खेड्यातील मातीशी एक संबंध आहे असे वाटते.

जवळ जवळ प्रत्येकाचे मूळ गावातील आहे आणि आम्ही नेहमीच गावाशी जोडलेले असतो. माझे स्वतःचे मूळ गाव आहे आणि माझ्याकडे माझ्या गावाबद्दल सांगण्यासारख्या अनेक गोष्टी आहेत. माझ्या गावाचे नाव काजूमळ आहे जे मडगाव गोवा इथे स्थित आहे. मी लहानपणी गावीच वाढली असल्याकारणाने मला माझ्या गावाचे खूप कौतूक आहे. मी माझ्या बालपणात गावी खूप मज्जा केली. मी लहानपणी ३ वर्ष गावी माझ्या आजी, आजोबा आणि मामांबरोबर राहिली आहे.



आमच्याकडे गावी मोठी बाग आहे, बागे मध्ये नारळ, सुपारी, काजू, मिरी, आंबे, अशी तऱ्हेतऱ्हेची फळ झाडे आणि फुल झाडे आहेत. शेती हे आमचे उत्पन्न आहे. मला शहाळे खूप आवडते, मी गावी गेल्यावर मामा माझ्यासाठी झाडावरून ताजे शहाळे काढून देत असत. गावात नदी आहे. आम्ही नदीवर आंधोळीला जातो. नदीवर आंधोळ करण्यात. एक वेगळीच मज्जा आहे. गावात डेअरी असल्याकारणाने ताजे गाईचे व म्हशीचे दूध आम्हाला मिळते. आजी आम्हाला सायंकाळी परवचा (शुभंकरोती कल्याणम आरोग्यम धनसंपदा) म्हणायला लावत असे. माझे आजोबा गावचे सरपंच होते. त्यांनी आमच्या गावात खूप सुधारणा केल्या असून त्यांचा सत्कार सुद्धा झालेला आहे आमच्या गावात.

आमच्या गावात आठवड्यातून एकदा किराणामालाची गाडी येते जिथे सगळे धान्य, साखर, भाज्या, इत्यादी रेशन कार्ड वर घेऊ शकतो आपण कमी दरात. तसेच १५ दिवसातून एकदा गैस सिलिंडरची गाडी सुद्धा येत असते. गावी आम्ही वेगवेगळ्या प्रकारचे प्राणी व पक्षी पाळलेले होते जसे की ससे, गाई, म्हशी, बकरी, कुत्री, मांजरी पोपट, इत्यादी. माझ्या गावातील बहुतेक लोक त्यांच्या पारंपारिक कामाशी निगडित आहेत. बरेच लोक शेती आणि पशुपालन करतात. पावसात आमच्या बागायतीत मोर सुद्धा बघायला मिळतात.

माझे गाव अशी जागा आहे जेथे मला माझ्या सुट्ट्यांमध्ये किंवा जेव्हा मला थकवा वाटतो आणि मला विश्रांती घ्यायची इच्छा होते तेव्हा गावी जावे असे वाटते, शहरे अशा लोकांनी निर्माण केली आहेत ज्यांना आयुष्यात खूप काही हवे होते. अधिक सुविधांच्या शोधात मग तो पैसा असो वा ऐशो आराम, खेडी सोडून शहरांमध्ये जाणाऱ्यांनी भौतिक सुखाचा अनुभव घेतला असेल, पण सुखी जीवनाचा आधार गावच असतो.

माझ्या गावातल्या बालपणीच्या खूप आठवणी आहेत. नाताळची सुट्टी लागली की आम्ही गावी जायला तत्पर असायचो. लहानपणी नाताळच्या सुट्टीत मी आणि माझी चुलत भावंड असे आम्ही गावी खूप मज्जा करत असत. आजही आम्ही गावी गेल्यावर दिवस कसे निघून जातात ते कळतच नाही. गावचे शुद्ध वातावरण, आजींनी बनवलेले जेवण, ताज्या भाज्या व फळे, हिरवगार वातावरण, हे सगळे शहरात नाही लाभत. छान ताज्या फुलांचे गजरे पण विणतो आम्ही. गावी जायचं म्हटलं तर ट्रेन च्या प्रवासापासून त्याची सुरुवात होते. आजकाल तर गावी जाणाऱ्या गाड्यांत मध्ये तिकिट मिळतच नाही. आपल्याला गावी जायचे असेल तर बरच आधी बुकिंग करावे लागत असत.

सध्याच्या ह्या धावपळीच्या जीवनात गावी जाणे थोडेसे कठिण होत जात आहे. सगळीजणे आता गावी एकत्र भेटण कठिण झालं आहे कारण जो तो आपआपल्या कामात व्यस्त झालेला आहे. आता असे वाटते की आमचे बालपणच किती छान होते जिथे आम्ही सगळी भावंड एकत्र येऊन गावी मज्जा करत असू. गावी जायचे म्हटले कि ह्या बालगीताची आठवण येते.

“झुक झुक झुक झुक अगीनगाडी, धुरांच्या रेघा हवेत काढी,
पळती झाडे पाहूया, मामाच्या गावाला जाऊया”

श्रुती सामंत
सहाय्यक प्राध्यापिका



॥ महाराष्ट्राचे राजकारण ॥

महाराष्ट्रातील राजकारण हे भारतीय राजकारणावर प्रभाव टाकणारे आहे. २०१४ च्या महाराष्ट्र विधानसभा निवडणुकीनुसार, राज्यात प्रामुख्याने भाजप, काँग्रेस व राष्ट्रवादी काँग्रेस असे तीन राष्ट्रीय पक्ष आणि शिवसेना हा प्रादेशिक पक्ष असे चार मुख्य भूमिकेतील पक्ष आहेत. २०१८ मध्ये वंचित बहुजन आघाडी या पक्षाची स्थापना करण्यात आली. १५ मार्च २०१९ रोजी, भारतीय निवडणूक आयोगाने जाहीर केलेल्या राजकीय पक्षांच्या यादी नुसार महाराष्ट्रात एकूण १४५ नोंदणीकृत पक्ष आणि दोन प्रादेशिका राज्यस्तरीय पक्ष आहेत. महाराष्ट्र नवनिर्माण सेना व शिवसेना हे राज्यातील दोन प्रादेशिक पक्ष आहेत.

महाराष्ट्रातील राजकारणाचा विचार केला तर महाराष्ट्रात जातीनिष्ठ राजकारणाचा प्रभाव दिसून येतो. महाराष्ट्रात मराठा, ओबीसी (इतर मागास वर्ग) अनुसूचित जाती अशा जातिनिष्ठ राजकारणाचा प्रभाव दिसून येतो मंत्रिमंडळ घडणीही जातीय समीकरणावर विभागलेली आपणास दिसून येते. सध्या च्या चालू काळात महाराष्ट्रातील राजकारण हे जातीवादी मध्ये विभागलेले आहे. महाराष्ट्रात धार्मिक गटाचे राजकारण आपणास पहावयास मिळते.

गेल्या अडीच वर्षांमध्ये महाराष्ट्राच्या राजकीय पटलावर एखाद्या चित्रपटालाही लाजवेल अशा एकाहून एक थक्क करणाऱ्या घटना घडल्या आहेत. एरवी महाराष्ट्राच्या राजकारणाचा बाज म्हणजे पाच वर्षांनी येणाऱ्या निवडणुकांवेळी होणारी उलथापालथ आणि काहीसे अपेक्षित धक्कातंत्र असा होता. गेला अडीच वर्षांचा काळ नक्कीच दमछाक करणारा, पण तितकाच उत्कंठावर्धक राहिलेला आहे. त्यामुळे साहजिकच पारंपारिक युत्या आघाड्या, विशिष्ट वर्तुळात फिरणारी राजकीय समिकरणे आणि स्थिर राजकीय परिस्थितीसाठी ओळखल्या जाणाऱ्या महाराष्ट्राच्या राजकारणाचा बाज हा कायमचा बदलला आहे एका असा सवाल अनेकांच्या मनात घौळत आहे.

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एल. एस. रहेजा महाविद्यालयात मराठी वाङ्मय मंडळाची स्थापना १९८६ साली झाली. या वर्षात आजपर्यंत कनिष्ठ आणि ज्येष्ठ महाविद्यालयात मराठी वाङ्मय मंडळाचे सर्व कार्यक्रम एकत्र होतात, पाच वर्षे मंडळात सभासद असल्याने एक छान कुटुंब तयार होत असे आणि मंडळाला चांगले कार्यकारी मंडळ मिळण्यासाठी मदत मिळत असे. यामध्ये कनिष्ठ महाविद्यालयातील मराठी शिकवणाऱ्या शिक्षकांचा नेहमीच हातभार राहिला आहे. मंडळाच्या या प्रवासात कल्पना बनसोड हिचे योगदान विशेष उल्लेखनीय आहे. मराठी भाषेवरचे त्यांचे प्रेम विलक्षण होते. मराठी वाङ्मय मंडळाचे स्नेहसंमेलन असो, बक्षीसवितरण समारंभ असो किंवा मराठी गौरव दिवस असो, त्यांचा उत्साह ओसंडून वाहत असे. मराठी गाणी म्हणत. मराठी पारंपरिक साडी आणि अलंकार, विशेषतः नाकात नथ आणि खणखणीत आवाजात आणि अलंकारिक मराठीतून बोलणारी कल्पना आजही डोळ्यासमोर येते. कनिष्ठ महाविद्यालयातील जास्तीत जास्त विद्यार्थ्यांना प्रोत्साहित करून मंडळाचे सभासद करून तिने उत्कृष्ट कार्यकर्त्यांची फौज उभी केली. त्यांना मार्गदर्शन केले. स्पर्धा आयोजित केल्या आणि यशस्वीही केल्या. सर्व माजी विद्यार्थ्यांना भरपूर आग्रह करून स्वाळ घालण्यात त्यांना आनंद वाटे. आजही सर्व मुले ही आठवण काढतात. मंडळ त्यांचे कुटुंब बनले. आणि त्यांनी मंडळाला भरभरून दिले. प्रकृती अस्वास्थ्यामुळे त्यांना एक वर्षापूर्वी स्वेच्छानिवृत्ती पत्करावी लागली तेव्हा सर्व मंडळ दुखी झाले. आम्ही त्यांचा छोटा निरोपसमारंभ आयोजित केला आणि अंकुर मासिकाचे त्यांच्या हस्ते अनावरण केले. नंतर काही कामासाठी त्या ऑफिसमध्ये यायच्या आणि भेट व्हायची. प्रकृती दिवेन्दिबस दासळत होती आणि पाहून वाईट वाटत असे. ६ एप्रिल २०२३ रोजी त्यांचे दुःखद निधन झाले आणि मंडळाचे कधीही न भरून येणारे नुकसान झाले. आठवणी तर त्या राहतीलच पण दर वाढदिवसाला मनापासून शुभेच्छा देणाऱ्या, गुरुपौर्णिमेला वंदन करणाऱ्या आणि मराठी राजभाषा दिवस मनापासून साजऱ्या करणाऱ्या कल्पनाचे मराठी भाषेवरचे उत्कट प्रेम सर्व सभासदांना प्रेरणा देत राहील. मंडळातर्फे कल्पनाला भावपूर्ण श्रद्धांजली.

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Gujarati Section

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— ‘ગની’ દર્દીવાલાએ નિષ્કળ નિષ્કળ રમતા શીખવ્યું.
— અમૃત ‘ઘાયલ’ એ શાનદાર જીવ્યા નો દાખલો આપ્યો.
— દૂધમાં સાકરની જેમ ઉમાશંકર જોશીએ પરિચય આપ્યો.
— મરીઝએ ધીમા પ્રવાસનું ભાન કરાવ્યું.
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— ધૂમકેતુ “મરિયમ ન મળી, કાગળે ન મળ્યો.” ના દુઃખદ સંદેશ લાવ્યા.
— ગુજરાતનો નાથ કર્નેયાલાલ મુન્શી પાસેથી મળી આવ્યા.
— ઝવેરચંદ મેઘાણીએ લગાડ્યો કર્સુબીનો રંગ.
— સરસ્વતીચંદ્ર આપી ગોવર્ધનરામ ત્રિપાઠીએ ધન્ય કર્યા.
— રમણલાલ દેસાઈએ દેખાડ્યું, કેમ આકાશમાં ઉડતું કિરલોલ કરતું પક્ષી એકાએક આજ્ઞાધારી વિમાન બની ગયું!
— ખબરદારએ જ્યાં જ્યાં વસે એક ગુજરાતી, ત્યાં ત્યાં સદાકાળ ગુજરાત! દાખવ્યું.
— બોટાદકર, સાથે જ જનનીની જોડ જગે નહીં જડે રે, લોલ!
— છ અક્ષરનું નામ પણ રમેશ પારેખ ઘણું ફરી ગયા.
— બાલાશંકર કંઠારીયા એ જીવન મંત્ર આપ્યું — ગુજારે જે શિરે તારે, જગતનો નાથ તે સહેજે, ગાયું જે પ્યારે પ્યારાએ, અતિ પ્યારે ગણે લેજે.”
— રાવજી પટેલએ મારી આંખે કંકના સૂરજ આથમ્યાથી હૃદય કંપાવી દીધું.
— ઈન્દુલાલ ગાંધીએ આંધળી માનો પત્ર પહોંચાડ્યો.
— અખો તમે મૂરખ બનતાં બચાવ્યા. “એક મૂરખને એવી ટેવ, પત્થર એટલા પૂજે દેવ.”
— સુદરજી બેટાઈએ પ્રોત્સાહન આપ્યું “જાવું જરૂર છે. બંદર છો દૂર છે.”
— રાજેન્દ્ર શુક્લના પ્રશ્નનો નથી જવાબ હજી — કીડી સમી ક્ષણોની આ આવજાવ શું છે?
— નરસિંહ મહેતા સાથે વૈષ્ણવજન થયા અને પીડ પરાઈ જાણી.
— હેમન્ત દેસાઈને મનગમતું ગમ્યું — “ભૂટ બાટા સિવાયના, કઠોળ ચણાદાળ સિવાયનાં, શાક રીંગણ સિવાયનાં અને કપડાં ખાદી સિવાયનાં કોઈ પણ મને ગમે.”
— માણસમાં રાખ્યા જ્યંત પાઠકએ “રમતાં રમતાં લડી પડે ભે, માણસ છે. હસતાં હસતાં રડી પડે ભે, માણસ છે.”
— બાલમુકુન્દ દવે એ સમજાવી દીધું સાનમાં
— કૃષ્ણલાલ શ્રીધરાણી સાચી પૂજા શીખવી. ઘંટના નાદે કાન ફૂટે મારા, ધૂપથી ધાસ કેંધાય; ફૂલમાંળા દૂર રાખ પૂજારી, અંગ મારું અભડાય; ન નેવેધ તારે આ! પૂજારી પાછો જા!
— “પાન લીલું જોયું ને હરીન્દ દવે યાદ આવ્યાં.”
— પ્રીતમનો હરીનો મારગ શુરાનો છે.
— મકરન્દ દવેનો ગુલાલ તો કદી ગુંજે નહીં ભરાઈ ” ગમતું મળે તો અલ્યા ગુંજે ન ભરીયે, ગમતાંનો કરીએ ગુલાલ.”

— ચંદ્રકાન્ત બક્ષીનું આ વાક્ય બહુ મોડું વાચ્યું. “ખરાબ આવતોને નાની ઉંમરથી શરૂ કરવી જોઈએ કે જેથી મધ્યવયમાં છોડી શકાય!”
— સુરેશ દલાલ, તમે વાતો કરો તો થોડું સારું લાગે
— “કું તો બસ ફરવા આવ્યો છું!” નિરંજન ભગત સાથે ફરવાની મજા આવી.
— “‘બેફામ’ તો ચે કેટલું થાકી જવું પડવું? નહીં તો જીવનનો માર્ગ છે, ઘરથી કબર સુધી.”
— ‘જયંતિ દલાલનું સચોટ વાક્ય “સૌથી ભયંકર વસ્તુ એ છે કે, આજે આપણને કશું ભયંકર લાગતું જ નથી.”
— કુન્દનિકા કાપડિયા સાથે સાત પગલાં આકાશમાં ભર્યા.
— “બાઈ રે, આપણા દુઃખનું કેટલું જોર? કલ્હો રાજેન્દ્ર શાહ
— ખરેખર રાચદા, “તું કહે છે અશ્રુ ચાલ્યા જાય છે, હું કહું છું જિંદગી ધોવાય છે.
— પિનાકિન ઠાકોર સાથે પોકારું, “હે ભુવન ભુવનના સ્વામી,”
— કલાપી તમને શું કહું, જ્યાં જ્યાં નજર મારી ઠરે યાદી ભરી ત્યાં આપની,
— કુમારપાળ દેસાઈ એ દર્દ અને દયાનો ભેદ દાખવ્યો. ‘મારી આંખોમાં દર્દ છે, દયાની ભીખ નથી.’
— “ચાહોમ કરીને પડો, ક્ષેત્ર છે આગે.” ખરું કહ્યું નમદે
— શ્યામ સાધુજી “બારી બહાર શૂન્યતા ખડખડ હસી પડી. ઘરમાં ઉદાસ મીનનાં ટોળાં ઢળી ગયાં.”
— કરસનદાસ માણેક, તમારું જીવન અંજલિ થયું
— મનોજ ખંડેરિયા તમે કલેશો કેમ આમ બને કે પકડું કલમને, ને હાથ આખેઆખો બળ છે?
— ‘સંદ્ધ’ પાલનપુરી તમે તો છો ગઝલ સમ્રાટના શિષ્ય મને બનવું તમારી શિષ્ય
— નાથાલાલ દવે, “કામ કરે ઈ જીતે રે માલમ! કામ કરે ઈ જીતે.”
— દિનકર જોશી સાહેબ, ‘પ્રકાશના કાંઈ પડછાયા હોય?
— “જુદી જિંદગી છે મિજાજે — મિજાજે, સરોદજી!
— ઘણીવાર વિચારે જગદીશ જોષીજી “ધારો કે એક સાંજ આપણે મળ્યાં અને આપણે હવે પાણી આપ્યા આ આપણાનું શું?
— “માથું અરીસામાં જ રહ્યું ને બહાર નીકળી પડી હું, સંસ્કૃતિરાણી દેસાઈ તમે કદાચ મળી જશો.
— તમારી વાત સાવ સાચી હિમાંશી સોલતજી, “જીવીએ પહેલાં પછી લખાય તો હીક છે, ન લખાય તો વસવસો નથી”
— “હાસ્ય એ દરેક રોગોનો રામબાણ છેલાજ છે.” તારક મહેતા સાહેબનું રામબાણ અકસીર છે,
— ચંદ્રકાન્ત શેઠ “કવિતા જન્મે છે વ્યક્તિમાં, પણ જીવે છે સમાજમાં.” ,,
— અશોક દવે, તમારે તો “લખવાના કારણે બપોરનાય ઉજાગરા થાય છે.”

જય જય ગરવી ગુજરાતના ખમીરવંતા સારસ્વતી

ગુજરાતી સાહિત્ય મંડળ નો અહેવાલ.

સરદાર સૌમ્ય શી વૈભવે ઊભરાતી
મળી માતૃભાષા મને ગુજરાતી
ઉમાશંકર જોશી

માતૃભાષાનું ગૌરવ વધારવા અને વિસરાતા મૂલ્યોનું સ્મરણ તાજું કરાવવા તથા વિદ્યાર્થીઓની સુષુપ્ત ભાષા ચેતના સજીવન કરવાના હેતુથી કોચડા ઉકેલ સ્પર્ધા, વાર્તા લેખન સ્પર્ધા તથા કવિતા પઠન સ્પર્ધા જેવી વિવિધ સ્પર્ધાનું આયોજન પૂર્ણ વર્ષ દરમિયાન કરવામાં આવ્યું હતું.

વિદ્યાર્થીઓમાં માતૃભાષા માટે માન વધે તથા ગુજરાતી ભાષા સંવર્ધિત થાય એવા આશયથી ગુજરાતી સાહિત્ય મંડળના નેજા હેઠળ કવિ નર્મદના જન્મદિન 24 ઓગસ્ટના દિવસે વિશ્વ ગુજરાતી ભાષા દિવસ ની ઉજવણી કરવામાં આવી હતી. આ દિવસે વિદ્યાર્થીઓએ કાવ્યગાન, વાર્તા પઠન, જોડકાણા ઉકેલ તથા ગુજરાતી ભાષાના અગ્રણી લેખકોના લેખ નો પઠન કર્યું હતું.

એ વિચારે ફૂલે ગજ મારી છાતી હું અને મારી ભાષા બંને છે ગુજરાતી.

- નર્મદ

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બોલો, આપણે સૌ બરાબર ગુજરાતી બોલીએ છીએ???

- ઘઉં વીણી લઉં.. (જ્યારે વીણતા હોય કાંકરા)
- આ રસ્તો ક્યાં જાય છે ભાઈ? (અરે પણ રસ્તો શું કામ ક્યાંય જાય?)
- તમારું ઘર ક્યાં આવ્યું!? (એ ક્યાંય ગયું હોય તો આવે'ને)
- ભાઈ, જરા લોટ દળી આપોને. (તો દળાયને આવશે એ શું હશે?)
- હું ઝાડુ કાઢી લઉં (તો કચરાનું શું કરશો?)
- ફ્લાણું સ્ટેશન આવ્યું (સ્ટેશન શું કામ આવે? એ તો ત્યાં જ છે. તું સ્ટેશન પર આવ્યો ઢગા)
- નળ આવ્યો (અરે, નળમાં પાણી આવ્યું)
- ફાનસ સળગાવી દે (હકીકતમાં એ વાટ સળગાવવાનું કહેતાં હોય)

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કાલિદાસની પરીક્ષા

કાલિદાસ ક્યાંક જઈ રહ્યા હતા. તરસ લાગી તો ફૂવા પર એક સ્ત્રી પાણી ભરી રહી હતી, તેની પાસે જઈને બોલ્યા, 'માટે, પાણી પીવડાવજો.'

સ્ત્રી બોલી, 'હું તમને ઓળખતી નથી. પરિચય આપો.'

હું જરૂર પાણી પીવડાવીશ.'

'હું પથિક છું.'

સ્ત્રી બોલી, 'પથિક તો કેવળ બે જ છે - સૂર્ય અને ચંદ્રમા, જે હંમેશાં ચાલતા રહે છે. તમે આ બેમાંથી કોણ છો?'

કાલિદાસે કહ્યું, 'હું મહેમાન છું. મહેરબાની કરીને પાણી પીવડાવો.'

'સંસારમાં બે જ મહેમાન છે - ધન અને યૌવન. એને જતાં સમય લાગતો નથી. સાચું કહો કે, તમે કોણ છો?' અત્યાર સુધીના તર્કથી કાલિદાસ હતાશ થઈ જ ગયા હતા. તેમણે કહ્યું, 'હું સહનશીલ છું. હવે તો પાણી પીવડાવો!'

સ્ત્રીએ કહ્યું, 'ના. સહનશીલ તો બે જ છે - એક તો ઘરતી કે જે પાપી-પુણ્યાત્મા બધાનો બોજ સહન કરે છે. એની છાતી ચીરીને બીજ વાવવામાં આવે તો પણ એ અનાજના ભંડાર ભરી આપે છે, બીજું ઝાડ કે જેને પથ્થર મારો તો પણ મીઠાં ફળ આપે છે. તમે સહનશીલ નથી. સાચું કહો કે, તમે કોણ છો?'

કાલિદાસ લગભગ મૂર્છાની સ્થિતિમાં આવી ગયા અને તર્ક-વિતર્કથી અકળાઈને બોલ્યા, 'હું હઠી છું.'

'ફરી અસત્ય. હઠી તો બે જ છે - નખ અને કેશ. જેટલી વાર કાપો એટલી વાર વધ્યે જ જાય છે. સત્ય કહો બ્રાહ્મણ, તમે કોણ છો?'

બધી રીતે અપમાનિત અને પરાજિત થયેલા કાલિદાસે કહ્યું, 'તો તો પછી હું મૂર્ખ જ છું.'

'ના...ના...તમે મૂર્ખ કેવી રીતે હોઈ શકો? મૂર્ખ બે જ છે. એક એવો રાજા કે જે યોગ્યતા વિના બીજા પર શાસન કરે છે અને બીજો દરબારી પંડિત કે જે રાજાને પ્રસન્ન કરવા માટે ખોટી વાત પર પણ તર્ક કરીને એને સાચી સિદ્ધ કરવાની યેષ્ટા કરે છે.'

કશું પણ બોલી ન શકવાની સ્થિતિમાં કાલિદાસ વૃદ્ધાના પગમાં પડી ગયા ને પાણી માટે કરગરવા લાગ્યા. વૃદ્ધાએ કહ્યું, 'ઊઠ વત્સા!'

કાલિદાસે ઊંચે જોયું તો સાક્ષાત્ સરસ્વતી દેવી! કાલિદાસ ફરી વાર નતમસ્તક થઈ ગયા. દેવીએ કહ્યું, 'શિક્ષાથી જ્ઞાન આવે, અહંકાર નહીં. તે શિક્ષાના બળ પર મળેલાં માન અને પ્રતિષ્ઠાને જ પોતાની ઉપલબ્ધિ માની લીધાં અને અહંકારમાં આવી ગયો એટલે જ તારા ચક્ષુ ખોલવા માટે મારે આ સ્વાંગ રચવો પડ્યો.'

કાલિદાસને પોતાની ભૂલ સમજાઈ ગઈ. વિદ્વત્તા પર ક્યારેય ધમંડ ન કરવો. ધમંડ વિદ્વતાનો નાશ કરે છે.

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હશે ભાણ્તરમાં...!!
નહિતર...!!

આર્યભટ્ટનાં દેશમાં બાળકો
ગણિતમાં નાપાસ થાય નહીં...!!
અને કાલિદાસને ભૂલી જઈ,
શેક્સપિયર ભજવાયે નહીં...!!
સુશ્રુતનાં દેશમાં સારવાર
આટલી નબળી થાય નહીં...!!

પ્રતાપ-શિવાજી છોડીને
અકબર-ઔરંગઝે પૂજાય નહીં!!
નક્કી, કંઈક તો ખામી રહી
હશે ભાણ્તરમાં...!!
નહિતર...!!

દેશનો દોકરો માતૃભાષા
બોલવામાં થોથવાય નહીં...!!
કંઈક તો ખામી રહી
હશે ઘડતરમાં...!!
નહિતર...!!

નાનાં નાનાં સ્વાર્થ પાછળ
જીવનનાં સંબંધ
જોખમાય નહીં...!!
વસુધેવ કુટુંબકમ્ ને બદલે,
માબાપ વૃદ્ધાશ્રમ જાય નહીં...!!

દિવસ હોય કે રાત,
ક્યારેય નિર્ભયા લુંટાય નહીં...!!
નક્કી, કંઈક તો ખામી
રહી હશે ઘડતરમાં...!!
નહિતર...!!

જીવનનું મૂલ્ય શૂન્ય બનાવી,
આમ આત્માહત્યાઓ થાય
નહીં!!

એક સરસ મઝાનું ઘર
Khakhrodiya Nikhil B.
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એક સરસ મઝાનું ઘર,
એમાં વસે એક નારી અને નર,
એક બીજાને હસે હસાવે,
જીવે મસ્તીમાં દુનિયાથી રહે
પર...!!

ત્યાં ઓર્યાતું એક દિવસ,
હાથ લાગ્યું એક યંત્ર,
હવે ના કોઈ હસે , ના કોઈ રમે
છિત્રભીત્ર થયું ઘરનું તંત્ર,
ના કોઈ સાંભળે, ના કોઈ બોલાવે
બસ રાત દિવસ જપે..મોબાઈલ
મંત્ર...!!

રહે એક જ ઘરમાં તોય,
જાણે જોજન અંતર,
દુનિયાના પૂળ પળની ખબર,
દૂર થયા એકબીજાના અંતર,
લાગણી પ્રેમ મરતા રહ્યા,
સંબંધોમાં વધતું રહ્યું અંતર...!!

ઓપ્સ ફેરવે, ટાઈપીંગ કરે ,
ઢગલાબંધ ઈમોજી મોકલ્યા કરે
FB આખો દિવસ જોયા કરે,
અજાણ્યા ચહેરાને રિકવેસ્ટ
મોકલ્યા કરે,
એક બીજા સામે રમત રમ્યા કરે,
ખોટે-ખોટું હસ્યા કરે,
હવે ના કોઈ હાસ્ય કે ના કોઈ
કલરવ,
ના કોઈ મસ્તી કે ના કોઈ
ગુંજારવ.

બેટરી ખતમ થતી રહી..
સંબંધો ખોખલા થતા રહ્યા...!!
તમને શું લાગે છે...?
ચાજ કરવાની જરૂર કોને...???
મોબાઈલને.. કે સંબંધોને..?

સરવાળે માણસ મોંઘો પડે

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નાની સરખી વાતમાં કેટલું લડે?
ઇંચ જેટલું હસે ને ફૂટ જેટલું રડે,
સરવાળે તો માણસ બહુ મોંઘો પડે.

મકાનો બાંધે ને સંબંધોને ચાણે,
દરેક વાતમાં બસ પૈસા જ ગણે,
સરવાળે તો માણસ બહુ મોંઘો પડે.

ચાર આનાની કમાણી ને રૂપિયાનો કરે ખર્ચ ,
પાપનો અફસોસ ના કરે, ને કરે પુણ્યનો અંહકાર ,

સરવાળે તો માણસ બહુ મોંઘો પડે.

બીજાનું સારું જોઈને દિલમાં બળે,
પોતાનાને પાડવાના મનસુબા ઘડે,
સરવાળે તો માણસ બહુ મોંઘો પડે.

વાત સિંહની કરે ને કુતરાથી ડરે,
જરાક ઓખો કાઢો તો ઉચાળા બરે,
સરવાળે તો માણસ બહુ મોંઘો પડે.

કપડા સુગંધીદાર, વિચારો સડે,
સરવાળે તો માણસ બહુ મોંઘો પડે.

વિતેલા દિવસો પાછા નહીં આવે,
સમયની કિંમત સમજતાં થઈએ...!
વાંક મારો હતો કે તારો,
એ વાત ને હવે ભુલતા થઈએ...!

અરસ પરસ થોડું સહન કરી લઈ ને,
ચાલો સંબંધો સાચવતા થઈએ...!

માત્ર "આજ" આપણને મળી છે,
કાલની કોઈને ખબર ક્યાં,
ચિંતાની ગાંઠ બાજુ એ મુકી,
ચાલ હરપળમાં જીવતા થઈએ...!

નમીએ, ખમીએ,
એક બીજાને ગમીએ,
અને સુખ-દુઃખમાં
એક બીજાને કહીએ,
"તમે ફિકર ના કરો અમે છઈએ,"

આજે એક નવો જ સંકલ્પ લઈએ,
"એક બીજાની અદેખાઈ, સ્પર્ધા તજીએ,"
એક બીજાના પુરક બનીએ,"
ચાલો થોડું માણસ-માણસ રમીએ...!!!



**Prize
Winners**

Prize Winners of 2022-23

Students felicitated at Prize distribution Function on 20th April 2023.

SOCIETY PRIZES/ ENDOWMENT PRIZES

Sr No.	Name Of The Prize	Name Of The Winner	Name Of The Student	Photo
1	Vijayshree Award In Environment Studies	Highest Marks At FYB.Com And Passed At First Attempt	Marathi Smiti Krishna	
2	Late Dr. & Mrs. Sheorey Prize	Highest Marks In Psychology At TYBA	Samridhi Thukral	
3	Shri CM Trivedi Trust	1st In TYB.Com	Somaiya Monisha Bharat Heena	
4	Elji Sunderdas Ashar Prizes	A) Highest Marks In Economics. At SYB.Com	Singh Devendra Dibas	
5	Elji Sunderdas Ashar Prizes	B) Highest Marks In MHRD At TYB.Com (Subject Name Is Changed To MHRM)	Bangera Samiksha Suresh	
6	Elji Sunderdas Ashar Prizes	(C) Highest Marks In English/Communication Skills At FYBA	Manna Riya Adir	
7	Elji Sunderdas Ashar Prizes	(D) Highest Marks In Economics At SYBA (2 Students Have Scored Same Highest Marks)	Gindra Jinal Jayantilal	

7	Elji Sunderdas Ashar Prizes	(D) Highest Marks In Economics At SYBA (2 Students Have Scored Same Highest Marks)	Khan Mohammed Mohsin	
8	Elji Sunderdas Ashar Prizes	(E) Highest Marks In Maths And Statistical Techniques At FYB.Com	Mahto Nisha Umesh	
9	Mayur Vora & Co.	1st In TYB.Com	Somaiya Monish Bharat	
10	Radha Mohan Choksey Scholarship	Highest Marks In Business Management At TYB.Com	Kavita Sharma	
11	Radha Mohan Choksey Scholarship	Highest Marks In Computer Systems At TYB.Com	Shah Aarushi Manish/Thakur Murari Manikant	
12	Mavji Lakhanji Shah Scholarship	For Best Student - Passed At B.Com Degree Exam	Somaiya Monisha Bharat Heena	
13	Laxmiben Premji Nandu Scholarship	1st In TYB.Com	Somaiya Monisha Bharat Heena	
14	Late V.G. Wandrekar Prize	Highest Marks In Direct & Indirect Taxes At TYB.Com	Shah Ayush Hitesh	

15	Prof. A.V. Wandrekar Prize	Highest Marks In Financial Accounting At TYB.Com	Waghoo Mohammed Tauhid Farid	
16	Mr. / Mrs. Wadia Prize	Highest Marks In Accounts At TYB.Com	Waghoo Mohammed Tauhid Farid	
17	D.B. Vora Award For Excellence	Highest Marks In TYBMS	Agrawal Gunjan Shyam Monica	
18	D.B. Vora Memorial Prize	Best Student Of The Year Of L.S.R.C. Degree College	Abhishek Yadav	
19	D.B. Vora Memorial Prize	Student Securing Highest Marks In TYBAF Exam	Pawar Prachi Parshuram Priyanka	
20	D.B. Vora Memorial Prize	Student Securing Highest Marks In TYBBI Exam	Sambhavi Nishad	
21	Pratiksha Memorial Prize Dr 21/01/06	Best Student Of Self Financing Course	Lakshit Jani	
22	Dr. Kunti Nagwekar	Mrs. Sita Nagwekar & Mr. Vithoba Nagwekar Trophies (For Highest Marks In 12th Board In OC & SP Paper)	O.C: Pogula Jayesh Poshraj	

			O.C.: Sawant Mayur Deepak	
			S.P.: Singh Pooja Chandan	
23	Mr. /Mrs. Wadia Prize	Highest Marks In Accounts At S.Y.J.C	Sawant Mayur Deepak	
24	D.B. Vora Memorial Prize	Best Student Of The Year OF LSRC Junior College	Mahek Tejas Tankariya	

Academic Toppers

25	1st Rank FYBA	Mistry Yukti Kamleshkumar Pranaliben
26	2nd Rank (FYBA)	Khan Ansha Zaki Ayesha
27	2nd Rank (FYBA)	Manna Riya Adir Rekha
28	3rd Rank (FYBA)	Patel Sarrah Mohammed Fatema
29	1st Rank (SYBA)	Jaiswal Khushi Vjay Savita
30	1st Rank (SYBA)	Vyas Mitali Kalpesh Sonal
31	2nd Rank (SYBA)	Dayal Vrinda Vivek Ritu
32	3rd Rank (SYBA)	Joshi Shagun Avinash Shweta
33	3rd Rank (SYBA)	Khanna Shristhi Mukesh Babli
34	1st Rank (FYBCOM)	Mukhiya Nilesh Tilai Sumitradevi
35	2nd Rank (FYBCOM)	Marati Smiti Krishna Padma
36	3rd Rank (FYBOM)	Pillai Ariya Kumar Sindhu
37	1st Rank (SYBCOM)	Patel Jyoti Raisaheb Asha
38	2nd Rank (SYBCOM)	Shaikh Mohd Fahed Rafiq Faimida Begum
39	3rd Rank (SYBOM)	Bhonsale Tanesh Tushar Shanti
40	1st Rank (TYBA)	Samridhi Thukral Savita



41	1st Rank (TYBA)	Joshi Manasee Sujit Madhavi
42	2nd Rank (TYBA)	Sanjana Sajjanhar Sangeeta
43	3rd Rank (TYBA)	Bhat Shraddha Umesh Veena
44	1st Rank (TYBCOM)	Shah Aarushi Manish Minal
45	2nd Rank (TYBCOM)	Singh Viraj Devendra Anita
46	3rd Rank (TYBCOM)	Bhavsar Dhyaan Rahul Falguni
47	Highest Scorer In HSC Commerce Feb/March 2022	1. Sawant Mayur Deepak
48		2. Singh Nirbhay Pushpendra
49		3. Patel Pratham Dinesh
50	Highest Scorer In HSC Arts March 2022	1. Nathani Zea Fatema
51		2. Kahar Avani Rajesh
52		3. Quinny Tanya Dexter
53	1st Rank (FYBAF)	Memana Heena Babu Alladdin Ayesha
54	2nd Rank (FYBAF)	Shaikh Simran Afzal Tehseen
55	3rd Rank (FYBAF)	Pandey Madhvet Prabhat Vidhu Prabhat Pandey
56	1st Rank (SYBAF)	Devadiga Swati Suresh Rathna
57	2nd Rank (SYBAF)	Damania Karan Kanak Mayuri
58	2nd Rank (SYBAF)	Pathak Saurabh Omprakash Pratima
59	3rd Rank (SYBAF)	Jain Krishna Rajesh Minakshi
60	1st Rank (TYBAF)	Pawar Prachi Parshuram Priyanka
61	2nd Rank (TYBAF)	Shah Vatsal Alpesh Falguni
62	3rd Rank (TYBAF)	Prajapati Archana Rajesh Aarti
63	3rd Rank (TYBAF)	Gupta Shilpi Sudhir Kajal
64	1st Rank (FYBAMMC)	Purohit Tanya Madanmohan Meena
65	2nd Rank (FYBAMMC)	Pujari Renuka Raghavendra Sonali
66	3rd Rank (FYBAMMC)	Rai Vishesh Shyam
67	1st Rank (SYBAMMC)	Tanna Darshit Ashwin Bhavna
68	2nd Rank (SYBAMMC)	Padvekar Sama Maheish Sunieta
69	3rd Rank (SYBAMMC)	Doshi Vrushti Nilesh Pankti
70	3rd Rank (SYBAMMC)	Patel Saloni Rajesh Priya
71	3rd Rank (SYBAMMC)	Shigwan Rahul Ganpat Geeta
72	1st Rank (TYBAMMC)	Thanawala Netra Nikunj Shilpa
73	2nd Rank (TYBAMMC)	Karnik Swarangi Devendra Kasturi
74	3rd Rank (TYBAMMC)	Patel Sakshi Viram Kajal
75	1st Rank (FYBBI)	Yashas Moolya
76	2nd Rank (FYBBI)	Tanisha Jha
77	3rd Rank (FYBBI)	Sahil Gaonkar



78	1st Rank (SYBBI)	Aaditya Vaghela
79	2nd Rank (SYBBI)	Akruti Singh
80	3rd Rank (SYBBI)	Anurag Sahani
81	1st Rank (TYBBI)	Sambhavi Nishad
82	2nd Rank (TYBBI)	Payal Nimje
83	3rd Rank (TYBBI)	Vendant Patil
84	1st Rank (FYBFM)	Dalal Urvi Dhavalkumar
85	2nd Rank (FYBFM)	Pishe Kushal Satraj
86	3rd Rank (FYBFM)	Verma Roobi Ashok
87	1st Rank (SYBFM)	Sangoi Rishabh Piyush
88	1st Rank (SYBFM)	Jain Nayan Ashok
89	2nd Rank (SYBFM)	Shaikh Bushra Mohd Hussain
90	1st Rank (TYBFM)	Mohamed Sana Salahuddin Shabana
91	2nd Rank (TYBFM)	Chougule Pragati Jotiba Sunanda
92	3rd Rank (TYBFM)	Chipate Pradnya Prakash Prajakta
93	1st Rank (FYBMS)	Singh Anjali Anil Guddi
94	2nd Rank (FYBMS)	Soni Nandini Rajkumar Gunja
95	3rd Rank (FYBMS)	Burhade Juhi Ashish Sonali
96	3rd Rank (FYBMS)	Jain Priyanshi Prakash Chand Monika
97	1st Rank (SYBMS)	Babat Zainab Asgari Sakina
98	1st Rank (SYBMS)	Chaudhary Komal Ramkumar Rajkumari
99	1st Rank (SYBMS)	Harale Aditi Parshuram Hema
100	1st Rank (SYBMS)	Sharma Nupur Sarveshwar Ansuya
101	1st Rank (SYBMS)	Mishra Aakanksha Arvind Roopam
102	2nd Rank (SYBMS)	Dumne Geeta Chandrakant Jyoti Chandrakant Dumne
103	3rd Rank (SYBMS)	Jain Jheel Subhashchandra Meenakshi
104	3rd Rank (SYBMS)	Ruparel Smruti Ramesh Shilpa
105	1st Rank (TYBMS)	Pandey Sakshi Dharmendra Sangita
106	2nd Rank (TYBMS)	Agrawal Gunjan Shyam Monica
107	3rd Rank (TYBMS)	Shenoy Kaustub Subhas Pratiba
108	1st Rank (FYBSCIT)	Aman Sharma
109	2nd Rank (FYBSCIT)	Sakshi Singh
110	3rd Rank (FYBSCIT)	Immanuel Kumar
111	3rd Rank (FYBSCIT)	Parikh Harshit Saurabh
112	1st Rank (SYBSCIT)	Sharis Rebeiro
113	2nd Rank (SYBSCIT)	Kanchwala Hatim Kutbuddin Sakina

114	3rd Rank (SYBSCIT)	Aniket Panigrahi
115	1st Rank (TYBSCIT)	Shaikh Wafaa Abdul Gaffar Sahida
116	2nd Rank (TYBSCIT)	Shaikh Usna Banu Riyaz Ameerunnisa
117	3rd Rank (TYBSCIT)	Shaikh Nahida Shafioddin Nilofer
118	1st Rank (M. Com - Advanced Accountancy)	SHRUTI SAMANT
119	2nd Rank (M. Com - Advanced Accountancy)	ROSHNI TIWARI
120	3rd Rank (M. Com - Advanced Accountancy)	SHRUTIKA SHINGRE
121	1st Rank (M. Com - Business Management)	ANISHA BARADIA
122	1st Rank (M. Com - Business Management)	DIMPLE KHERADIA
123	1st Rank (M. Com - Business Management)	RIA RAJPOPAT
124	2nd Rank (M. Com - Business Management)	IQRA MOMIN
125	3rd Rank (M. Com - Business Management)	MOHAMMED ALI BHAIJI
126	3rd Rank (M. Com - Business Management)	SAIMA SHAIKH
127	1st Rank (M. Com - Banking & Finance)	Kunal Mittal
128	2nd Rank (M. Com - Banking & Finance)	Payal Shah
129	3rd Rank (M. Com - Banking & Finance)	Siddhesh Nanal
130	1st Rank (M. Com Part I)	Vishwa Sheth
131	1st Rank (M. Com Part I)	Tania Ramavat
132	2nd Rank (M. Com Part I)	Monika Adak
133	2nd Rank (M. Com Part I)	Sagar Luhar
134	3rd Rank (M. Com Part I)	Prajakta Kale
135	3rd Rank (M. Com Part I)	Rupali Mahto

Appreciation Awards

136	Pragya Club: Best Speaker	Mr. Aman Mourya	FYBA
137	Pragya Club: Best Speaker	Ms. Dhruti Bharadia	TYBA
138	Exemplary Student Of The Batch	Krishna Jain	TYBAF
139	Inspirational Leader Of The Batch	Prathmesh Shukla	TYBAF
140	Outstanding Student Of The Batch	Rishabh Dagha	TYBAF
141	Extra-Curricular Performer Of The Batch	Samiksha Prajapati	TYBAF
142	Best Sportsperson Of The Batch	Idris Bookwala	TYBAF
144	Exemplary Student Of The Batch	Khushi Dimple Mehta	TYBAMMC
145	Inspirational Leader Of The Batch	Shigwan Rahul Ganpat Geeta	TYBAMMC
146	Outstanding Student Of The Batch	Tanna Darshit Ashwin	TYBAMMC
147	Extra-Curricular Performer Of The Batch	Nupoor Pradeep Bangera	TYBAMMC



148	Best Sportsperson Of The Batch	Padvekar Sama Maheish Suneita	TYBAMMC
149	Appreciation For NAAC Photography/ Videography / College Video	Shigwan Rahul Ganpat Geeta	TYBAMMC
150	Appreciation For NAAC Photography/ Videography / College Video	Sameep Manoj Vilankar	TYBAMMC
151	Appreciation For NAAC Photography/ Videography / College Video	Pratham Prakash Soni	SYBAMMC
152	Appreciation For NAAC Photography/ Videography / College Video	Shreyash Dhananjay Srivastava	SYBAMMC
153	Exemplary Student Of The Batch	Vishakha Sakale	TYBBI
154	Inspirational Leader Of The Batch	Saziya Khan	TYBBI
155	Outstanding Student Of The Batch	Aditi Vishwakarma	TYBBI
156	Extra-Curricular Performer Of The Batch	Aditya Vaghela	TYBBI
157	Best Sportsperson Of The Batch	Arnold Cost	SYBBI
158	Exemplary Student Of The Batch	Jain Nayan Ashok	TYBFM
159	Inspirational Leader Of The Batch	Chawda Piyush Kishan	TYBFM
160	Outstanding Student Of The Batch	Sangoi Rishabh Piyush	TYBFM
161	Extra-Curricular Performer Of The Batch	Arora Simar Gurpreet	TYBFM
162	Best Sportsperson Of The Batch	Harsh Shetty	TYBFM
163	Exemplary Student Of The Batch	Lakshit Jani	TYBMS/A
164	Inspirational Leader Of The Batch	Dhvanil Shah	TYBMS/A
165	Outstanding Student Of The Batch	Urmi Shah	TYBMS/B
166	Extra-Curricular Performer Of The Batch	Ayush Gada	TYBMS /A
167	Exemplary Student Of The Batch	Aniket Panigrahi	TYBSCIT
168	Inspirational Leader Of The Batch	Deepak Sarvankar	TYBSCIT
169	Outstanding Student Of The Batch	Sharis Rebeiro	TYBSCIT
170	Extra-Curricular Performer Of The Batch	Aditya Trivedi	TYBSCIT
171	Best Sportsperson Of The Batch	Gouda Kanhucharan	TYBSCIT
172	Exemplary Student Of The Batch	Shalvi Shah	M. COM
173	Inspirational Leader Of The Batch	Rohit Shinde	M. COM
174	Outstanding Student Of The Batch	Ameya Bari	M. COM
175	Best Sportsperson Of The Batch	Sahil Kubal	M. COM
176	Best Cadet - Male (SD)	PO. Cdt. Himanshu Rajkumar Mishra	S.Y.B.Com
177	Best Cadet - Male (SD)	Ldg. Cdt. Utkarsh Praful Vala	S.Y.Bsc.IT
178	Best Cadet - Female (SW)	Cdt. Ashwini Suresh Nayak	S.Y.B.Com
179	Best NSS Camper	Narendra Chundawat	FYBCOM
180	Best NSS Camper	Khushi Jaishwal	FYBA
181	Best NSS Volunteer	Akash Tiwari	TYBCOM



182	Best NSS Volunteer	Swati Mahapatra	SYBCOM
183	Best Achievement In Malkhamb	Mayur Devendra Pashte	T.Y.B.Com- B
184	Best Achievement In Tennis	Karim Alim Khan	S.Y.BMS
185	Best Achievement In Kick Boxing	Yogesh Thavervittel	T.Y.BA
186	Best Achievement In Volleyball	Tanay Sandeep Trivedi	S.Y.BMS
187	Best Achievement In Athletics	Kanhucharan Gauda	T.Y.Bsc.IT
188	Best Achievement In Football	Maitreya Nilesh Deshmukh	S.Y.B.Com
189	Best Achievement In Open Air Rifle Shooting	Ashwini Suresh Nayak	S.Y.B.Com
190	Best Achievement In Chess - Jr. College Female	Yashashree Surve	F.Y.J.C
191	Best Achievement In Judo - Jr. College Female	Anamika Gupta	FYJC
192	Best Achievement In Judo - Jr. College	Shivam Gupta	F.Y.J.C
193	Best Gymkhana Volunteer Male	Pinak Patel	T.Y.B.Com
194	Best Gymkhana Volunteer Male	Abhishek Palav	T.Y.B.Com
195	Best Gymkhana Volunteer Female	Roshni Gupta	S.Y.B.Com
196	Best Gymkhana Volunteer Female	Manisha Kawde	S.Y.B.Com
197	Best Gymkhana Technical Volunteer	Dinesh Singh Mojawar	T.Y.BSC.IT
198	Best Male Athlete Degree College	Mayur Pashte	T.Y.B.Com- B
199	Best Female Athlete Degree College	Ariya Pillai	S.Y.B.Com
200	Best Male Athlete Junior College	Lucky Prasad	FYJC
201	Best Female Athlete Junior College	Anamika Gupta	FYJC
202	Best Student- Cultural - Aided	Rushikesh Vaigankar	TYBCOM
203	Best Student- Cultural - SFC	Saziya Khan	TYBBI
204	Best Cultural Organiser	Shubham Valia	12th Arts
205	Best Cultural Secretary	Kaamna Jhawar	12th Arts
206	Best Cultural Team Leader	Udit Awasthi	12th Arts
207	Best Library User	Mr. Himanshu Pandey	T.Y.B.A.F.
208	Best Digital Library User	Ms. Shagun Avinash Joshi	T.Y.B.A.
209	Best Organizer - Entrepreneurship Cell	Keegan D'silva	TYBMS
210	Appreciation For NAAC - Cultural	Dhvanil Shah	TYBMS
211	Appreciation Award - Awarded Phd	Dr Laila Patel	Teaching Faculty
212	Appreciation Award - Awarded Phd	Dr Dipali Patil	Teaching Faculty
213	Best Library User	Dr. Samya Shinde	Teaching Faculty
214	Best Digital Library User	Mr. Prashant Shelar	Teaching Faculty





Committees

Committees 2022-23

The following table summarizes the various committees in the college for 2022-23:

ADMINISTRATIVE	ACADEMICS	STUDENT WELFARE
CDC	Library Advisory	Pre-Placement Training & Placement
Internal Quality Assurance Cell	Staff Academy	Newsletter- Campuzz
Unfairmeans Inquiry	Time Table	Gymkhana
Website	Department Publications	College Magazine
Purchase Committee	Examination	Anti-Ragging & Discipline
College Grievance Redressal	Research	Nature & Hiking Club
Admission	Attendance	College Canteen
Internal Complaints	CAP	DLLE
		NSS & NCC
		Celebration Of Important Dates
		Social Media
		Extra-Curricular Activities
		Mentors



ADMINISTRATIVE

COLLEGE DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE (CDC)

Functions:

- To prepare an overall comprehensive development plan of the college regarding academic, administrative, and infrastructural growth.
- To enable college to foster excellence in curricular, co-curricular and extra-curricular activities.
- To decide about the overall teaching programmes or annual calendar of the college.
- To recommend to the management about introducing new academic courses and the creation of additional teaching and administrative posts.
- To make specific recommendations to the management to foster and strengthen the academic and administrative activities in the college.
- To make recommendations regarding the students' and employees' welfare activities in the college.
- To make recommendations to the management to encourage and strengthen research culture, consultancy, and extension activities in the college.
- To discuss the reports of Internal Quality Assurance Committee (IQAC) and make suitable recommendations.
- To perform such other duties and exercise such other powers as may be entrusted by the management.

Members:

Shri Vishwas Dhumal	Chairman
Shri Mohan Almal	Honorary Secretary, Sadhana Education Society
Shri Sharad Mehta	Member, Nominated by Management
Mr. Vijay Parmar	Chief Administrative Officer, Sadhana Education Society
Ms. Manjula J. Nichani	Member, Nominated by Management
Dr. Deepak Dave	Member, Nominated by Management
Dr. Debajit N. Sarkar	Principal & Member Secretary
Dr. (Mrs.) Anupama N. Nerurkar	IQAC Coordinator
Dr. Samya Shinde	Member, Nominated by Principal
Mr. H. A. Wandrekar	Representative, Teaching Staff
Dr. Preeti S. Vaswani	Representative, Teaching Staff
Mrs. Vaishali Pandya	Representative, Teaching Staff
Mrs. Rupal R. Kore	Representative Non-Teaching Staff
Ms. Vijayalaxmi Amin	Alumni, Representative



**College Development Committee (CDC) Meeting
with Chairman – Mr. C. L. Raheja**



INTERNAL QUALITY ASSURANCE CELL (IQAC)

IQAC Committee of our college plans, guides and monitors Quality Assurance and Quality Enhancement activities of the college. The primary aim of the IQAC committee is to develop a robust system helping to achieve a sustainable approach towards the academic and administrative performance.

Functions:

- IQAC acts as a focal agency on quality related matters.
- Development of quality standards/parameters for various academic and administrative activities.
- Ensures efficient coordination for conducting activities.
- Promotes and enhances quality culture at our college.
- Dissemination of information on quality standards/parameters for various activities.
- Application and maintenance

Members:

Dr. Debajit N. Sarkar	Chairman
Mr. Vijay Parmar	Management Representative
Dr. Moushumi Dutta	External Expert
Dr. Smita Shukla	External Expert
Dr. Rajendra Shinde	External Expert
Dr. M.Z. Farooqui	External Expert
Dr. Ms. Anupama Nerurkar	Co-ordinator
Dr. Preeti Vaswani	Member
Dr. Hrishikesh Wandrekar	Member
Dr. Samya Shinde	Member
Ms. Pooja U. Yadav	Member
Ms. Vaishali Pandya	Member
Ms. Divya Kanchan	Member
Dr. Parita Desai	Member
Ms. Prajakta Joshi	Member
Ms. Rupal Kore	Member
Mr. Abhishek Yadav	Student Representative (Aided section)
Ms. Krisha Jain	Student Representative (Unaided section)
Ms. Prachi Jani	Alumni Representative



UNFAIRMEANS INQUIRY COMMITTEE

Functions:

- To follow and adhere to the Ordinance 5050 of the University of Mumbai.
- To prepare the SOP to deal with unfair cases and actions.
- To examine and recommend course of action on the cases of malpractices by students in the examinations.
- To conduct meeting and maintain the records of cases investigated by the committee.

Members:

Dr. Ms. Akshata Kulkarni	Convener
Dr. Preeti Vaswani	Member
Mr. Ramsagar Yadav	Member
Mr. Mehul Barai	Member
Mr. Raju Gole	Member

WEBSITE COMMITTEE

Functions:

- To develop and maintain the college website regularly.
- To ensure dissemination of information of various committee activities on college website.
- To ensure display and update of all official information to be communicated to students and others.
- To connect students and staff to various portals of college via website like examination, admission, library etc.

Members:

Dr. Parita Desai	Convener
Ms. Kavita Makhija	Member
Ms. Neha Nikam	Member
Ms. Sajitha Kumar	Member
Mr. Immanuel Anil Kumar	Student Member



PURCHASE COMMITTEE

Functions:

- To invite quotations from vendors to meet various requirements of the college.
- To finalize and approve the vendor quotations.
- To ensure cost effectiveness and quality in purchases made by the college.
- To issue work order accordingly.

Members:

Mr. Mohan Almal, Honorary General Secretary, SES	Chairperson
Dr. Debajit Sarkar, Principal	Member
Mr. Vijay Parmar, CAO - SES	Member
Dr. Anupama N. Nerurkar	Member
Dr. Seema A. Ukidve	Member
Ms. Kavita Makhija	Member
Ms. Rupal Kore	Member

COLLEGE GRIEVANCE REDRESSAL COMMITTEE (CGRC)

Functions:

- To attend the general grievances of the students and staff if any.
- To suggest suitable measures within the policy framework of the college/university/government.
- To maintain the records of grievances reported/redressed.

Members:

Dr. Debajit Sarkar	Chairperson
Dr. Anupama Nerurkar	Member
Ms. Vaishali Pandya	Member-Secretary



ADMISSION COMMITTEE

Functions:

- To propose the contents in the college Prospectus and Admission form.
- To prepare and display common instructions to students seeking admissions in the college.
- To assist and counsel the students and parents during admission.
- To verify and examine documents of the students during admission process.

Members:

First Year - Aided	
Dr. Preeti Vaswani	Convener
Ms. Samiksha Jadhav	Member
Mr. Ramsagar Yadav	Member
Ms. Neha Dalal	Member
Ms. Shivani Chande	Member
Ms. Puja Patwardhan	Member
Ms. Sajitha Kumar	Member

First Year - Unaided	
Ms. Vaishali Pandya	Convener
Ms. Divya Kanchan	Member
Ms. Kavita Makhija	Member
Ms. Suvarna Raikar	Member
Ms. Heta Parekh	Member
Ms. Shalmali Colaco	Member
Ms. Prajakta Joshi	Member
Mr. Mehul Barai	Member
Mr. Raju Gole	Member
Ms. Neha Nikam	Member
Ms. Karishma Malhotra	Member
Mr. Rahul Golar	Member
Mr. Prashant Shelar	Member
Ms. Radhika Laghate	Member
Mr. Siddhesh Hadkar	Member

Second & Third Year - Aided	
Mr. Hrishikesh Wandrekar	Convener
Dr. Samya Shinde	Member



Ms. Samiksha Jadhav	Member
Ms. Neha Dalal	Member
Ms. Puja Patwardhan	Member

Second & Third Year - Unaided

Ms. Vaishali Pandya	Convener
Ms. Divya Kanchan	Member
Ms. Kavita Makhija	Member
Ms. Suvarna Raikar	Member
Ms. Heta Parekh	Member
Ms. Shalmali Colaco	Member
Ms. Prajakta Joshi	Member
Mr. Mehul Barai	Member
Mr. Raju Gole	Member
Ms. Neha Nikam	Member
Ms. Karishma Malhotra	Member
Mr. Rahul Golar	Member
Mr. Prashant Shelar	Member
Ms. Radhika Laghate	Member
Mr. Siddhesh Hadkar	Member

Support Staff

Ms Rupal Kore	Registrar
Mr. Ashish Samant	Head Clerk
Mr. Shailesh Patel	Jr Clerk
Mr. Mahesh Gosavi	Jr Clerk
Ms. Manisha Bendre	Accountant
Mr. Justin Tuscano	IT Coordinator
Mr. Prasad Chavan	IT Asst.
Mr. Chandrakant Vichare	IT Asst.



INTERNAL COMMITTEE / WDC

Functions:

- To deal with the issues of gender-based violence.
- To conduct gender sensitization programmes within the purview of UGC guidelines.
- To ensure healthy and secure atmosphere in the college.

Members:

Dr. Akshata Kulkarni	Presiding Officer
CA Hrishikesh Wandrekar	Member
Ms. Divya Kanchan	Member
Ms. Rupal Kore	Member
Ms. Ragini Samant	Member
Ms. Kamayani Bali Mahabal	External Member
Shalvi Shah	Student Representative
Ms. Dhruti Bharadia	Student Representative
Ms. Samiksha Prajapati	Student Representative

ACADEMICS

STAFF ACADEMY

Functions:

- To plan and execute various sessions for college throughout the academic year.
- To invite eminent speakers and experts to deliver talks/sessions to the staff.
- To decide on the details of the session to be conducted along with the honorarium to be paid to the speaker.
- To maintain the records of the sessions conducted

Members:

Dr. Samya P. Shinde	Chairperson
Mr. Rahul Dandekar	Member
Ms. Suvarna Raikar	Member
Mr. Mukesh Ramina	Member



LIBRARY ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Functions:

- To advise and review on policies with respect to procurement of library products (print and non-print materials) and library services (print and digital) to all the stakeholders.
- To prepare and propose library budget and approve in the meeting conducted with consensus of all members.
- To ensure the smooth functioning of library activities.

Members:

Dr. Debajit N. Sarkar	Chairman
Dr. Parita M. Desai	Convener
Dr. Anupama N. Nerurkar	Member
Dr. Samya Shinde	Member
CA Hrishikesh A. Wandrekar	Member
Dr. Seema A. Ukidve	Member
Mrs. Samiksha S. Jadhav	Member
Ms. Pooja U. Yadav	Member
Ms. Neha Dalal	Member
Ms. Vaishali Pandya	Member
Ms. Kavita Makhija	Member
Ms. Divya Kanchan	Member
Ms. Suvarna Raikar	Member
Ms. Prajakta Joshi	Member
Mr. Raju Gole	Member
Ms. Ammatulla Haveliwala	Student Member
Mr. Himashu Pandey	Student Member

CAP (CENTRAL ASSESSMENT PROGRAMME) COMMITTEE

Functions:

- To make arrangements for paper assessments and moderation.
- To collect model answer papers and marking schemes from the respective course faculty.
- To ensure issuance and collection of the answer books for assessment and moderation.
- To maintain the records of assessment and moderation.
- To collect and collate the examination remuneration bills from faculties and submit the same to college office for further processing.

Dr. Akshata Kulkarni	Convener
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TIME TABLE COMMITTEE

Functions:

- To frame an appropriate time table as per university rules.
- To draft and publish programme wise time table as per individual workloads.
- To resolve any issues related to the time tables
- To maintain the records of the time table plan and submit to IQAC.

Members:

Dr. (Ms.) A. Nerurkar	Convener
Dr. (Ms.) Samya Shinde	Member
Mr. Hrishikesh Wandrekar	Member
Dr. Seema Ukidve	Member
Ms. Vaishali Pandya	Member
Ms. Kavita Makhija	Member
Ms. Divya Kanchan	Member
Mr. Raju Gole	Member
Ms. Suvarna Raikar	Member
Ms. Prajakta Joshi	Member
Ms. Heta Parekh	Member
Ms. Neha Dalal	Member

DEPARTMENTAL PUBLICATIONS

Functions:

- To ensure publication from students and staff like articles/write ups etc which are academic in nature.
- To interact and coordinate with students and staff for quality publications.
- To ensure display of periodical publications on the college website.

Members:

Ms. Laila Patel	Convener
Mr. Mehul Barai	Member
Ms. Radhika Laghate	Member
Ms. Shivani Chande	Member
Ms. Puja Patwardhan	Member



EXAMINATION COMMITTEE

Functions:

- To conduct all semester, end Internal and External examinations.
- To prepare and display the time table for all examinations.
- To collect the question papers/bank from the faculty members within stipulated time.
- To ensure the questions papers are set as per the marking scheme as prescribed by the university.
- To ensure the availability of stationery required for the smooth conduct of examination.
- To refer the cases of malpractice in the examination to the Unfair means Inquiry for further action.
- To prepare and process the results of all examinations conducted by the college.
- To ensure display of results on college noticeboard/website within stipulated time.
- To certify printing and distribution of marksheets to students on time.
- To maintain and submit the copy of all examination results to office.
- To invite external examiners/evaluators as per requirement.
- To prepare and submit the exam remuneration bills to CAP in-charge.
- To guide and resolve any queries/issues of students with respect to the examination, results and marksheets.
- To maintain the records of all meetings and resolutions of the committee.

Members:

Dr. Seema Ukidve	Chairperson
Ms. Vaishali Pandya	Member
Dr. Gordhan Devnani	Member
Mr. Rahul Dandekar	Member
Ms. Pooja U. Yadav	Member
Ms. Divya Kanchan	Member
Ms. Kavita Makhija	Member
Ms. Suvarna Raikar	Member
Ms. Heta Parikh	Member
Ms. Prajakta Joshi	Member
Mr. Raju Gole	Member
Ms. Samiksha Jadhav	Member



COMMERCE RESEARCH CENTRE

Functions:

- To provide research guidance to students enrolled under the centre.
- To provide insight into research methodology for ensuring quality research.
- To conduct RAC meetings to review the work done by students.

Members:

Dr. Anupama Nerurkar	Chairperson
Dr. Parita Desai	Member
Ms. Vaishali Pandya	Member
Ms. Laila Patel	Convener
Mr. Mehul Barai	Member
Sajitha Kumar	Member

ATTENDANCE COMMITTEE

Functions:

- To maintain the daily attendance records of lectures in the prescribed manner.
- To ensure monthly compilation of attendance and display of attendance.
- To encourage students by promoting the Ordinance 6086 of the University of Mumbai.
- To sensitize the students about the importance of attendance and consequences of implementation of the Ordinance 6086.
- To maintain defaulters' students list and encourage respective class mentors to counsel them.

Members:

CA. Mr. Hrishikesh Wandrekar	Convener
Ms. Laila Patel	Member
Ms. Preeti Vaswani	Member
Ms. Neha Dalal	Member
Ms. Heta Parekh	Member
Ms. Prajakta Joshi	Member



STUDENT WELFARE

PRE-PLACEMENT TRAINING AND PLACEMENT CELL

Functions:

- To organise pre-placement training for third year students.
- To invite industries and companies for campus placements.
- To motivate the students for enrolments in training and placements
- To coordinate and assist the Chairperson of the training/placement programme

Members:

Ms. Laila Patel	Chairperson
Mr. Ramsagar Yadav	Member
Mr. Mehul Barai	Member
Mr. Raju Gole	Member
Ms. Shalmali Colaco	Member
Mr. Rishabh Sangoi	Student Member - BFM
Ms. Shama Hurkat	Student Member - BAMMC
Ms. Tasneem Bano Atiullah Idrisi	Student Member – TY BCom
Mr. Sunny Yadav	Student Member – TY BCom
Mr. Zulfkar Ali	Student Member - BBI
Ms. Nidhi Lad	Student Member - BMS
Mr. Aziz Hirkani	Student Member- BAF
Ms. Monika Adak	Student Member – M.Com

ALUMNI COMMITTEE

Dr. Gordhan N. Devnani / Akshata Kulkarni	Chairperson
Mr. Ramsagar B. Yadav	Member
Ms. Neha Dalal	Member
Mr. Mehul Barai	Member
Ms. Pooja Patwardhan	Member
Ms. Vaishali Pandya	Member



NEWSLETTER- CAMPUZZ

Functions:

- To collect, compile and publish information/pictures from all sections of the college at the end of every quarter.
- To create credibility and build awareness of the activities of the college.

Members:

Ms. Kavita Makhija	Overall In-charge
Mr. Mukesh Ramina	Responsible for compilation and release of Newsletter Quarter 1 i.e. (JUNE to AUGUST)
Ms. Sajitha Kumar	
Ms. Pooja Patwardhan	Responsible for compilation and release of Newsletter Quarter 2 i.e. (SEPTEMBER to NOVEMBER)
Ms. Vijaylaxmi Shetty	
Ms. Neha Dalal	Responsible for compilation and release of Newsletter Quarter 3 i.e. (DECEMBER to FEBRUARY)
Ms. Shivani Chande	
Ms. Neha Nikam	Responsible for compilation and release of Newsletter Quarter 4 i.e. (MARCH to MAY)
Ms. Karishma Malhotra	
Ms. Sama Padvekar	Student Member

NATURE AND HIKING CLUB

Functions:

- To create awareness and inculcate an appreciation of nature and its habitat among college students and staff.
- To initiate programmes and propagate the spirit of nature conservancy among the students.
- To organize hikes and treks for the students.

Members:

Dr. Mrs. Akshata Kulkarni	Chairperson
Mr. Hrishikesh Wandrekar	Member
Ms. Neha Nikam	Member
Mr. Siddhesh Hadkar	Member



GYMKHANA COMMITTEE

Functions:

- To encourage and train students to participate in various sports and athletic competitions.
- To prepare a policy on participation in the University and inter collegiate tournaments.
- To prepare, publish and ensure to display all notices of sports activities on required forums.
- To prepare, inform and approve the TA/DA payable to the participants in various sports events.
- To propose and approve the purchase of sports equipment's along with quotations.
- To maintain the records of all events related to sports for reference.

Members:

CA. Hrishikesh A. Wandrekar	Chairman
Ms. Dipali Patil – Sports Director	Convener
Mrs. Laila A. Patel	Member
Mr. Ramsagar B. Yadav	Member
Mr. Raju Gole	Member
Mr. Mehul Barai	Member
Mr. Mayur Pashte	Student Member
Mr. Kareem Khan	Student Member

COLLEGE MAGAZINE COMMITTEE

Functions:

- To ensure timely printing and distribution of the college magazine
- To collect annual reports and photographs of the activities/events required for the magazine from the concerned staff and students.
- To edit and finalize the annual reports of various departments and committees.

Members:

Dr. Preeti S. Vaswani	Chief Editor
Dr. Parita M. Desai	Editor
Ms. Pooja U. Yadav	Editor
Ms. Kavita Makhija	Editor
Dr. Anupama Nerurkar	Editor
Ms. Shivani Chande	Editor
Mrs. Neelima Shah	Editor
Mrs. Pallavi Shejwal	Editor



ANTI RAGGING & DISCIPLINE COMMITTEE

Functions:

- To ensure overall discipline in the college campus, and
- To sensitize students about the malicious ragging and its consequences.
- To prevent students and address the complaints on ragging (in consonance with the UGC guidelines)
- To publicise, display and monitor adherence of college rules and regulations.
- To examine and recommend course of action for the cases reported.

Members:

Dr. Gordhan Devnani	Convener
Mr. Ram Yadav	Member
Ms. Shivani Chande	Member
Mr. Rahul Golar	Member

COLLEGE CANTEEN COMMITTEE

Functions:

- To advice on the Canteen services to students/staff with respect to food menu, price and quality and service.
- To examine the cleanliness in the Canteen by periodical/random checks.
- To address and monitor the complaints and suggestions of the students/staff regularly.

Members:

Dr. Akshata A. Kulkarni	Chairperson
Dr. Gordhan N. Devnani	Convener
Dr. Parita M. Desai	Member
Ms. Laila A. Patel	Member
Mr. Rahul Dandekar	Member
Ms. Meena Patil (Jr College)	Member
Mr. C. S. Rajput (Jr College)	Member
Mr. Atul Khare	Member
Ms. Mistry Teena Kumari	Student Member
Mr. Ayan Mukri	Student Member



DLLE COMMITTEE

Functions:

- To encourage and indulge students in community-based activities.
- Extension teachers decide extension activities and implement them with support of student managers.
- To hold regular meetings and maintain records of all activities conducted.
- To guide and mentor the student managers and other student participants to execute the activities.

Members:

Ms. Divya Kanchan	Mentor
Ms. Prajakta Joshi	Chairperson
Mr. Raju Gole	Member
Mr. Mehul Barai	Member
Mr. Prashant Shelar	Member
Ms. Radhika Laghate	Member
Mr. Siddhesh Hadkar	Member
Ms. Heta Parekh	Member

NCC AND NSS ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Functions:

- To plan and execute various activities of NCC/NSS programmes
- To distribute the work to all the NCC/NSS volunteers
- To disseminate the information of the activities to be conducted to students
- To maintain the records of all the activities

Members:

Dr. Debajit N. Sarkar	Chairperson
Dr. Akshata A. Kulkarni	Member
Mr. Ramsagar B. Yadav	Convener
Mr. Rahul P. Dandekar	Member
Mr. Raju Gole	Member
Ms. Dipali Patil	Co-Convener



SOCIAL MEDIA

Functions:

- To promote all the college activities and events to all the stakeholders.
- To ensure awareness on the upcoming events and encourage students to participate.
- To maintain and display the after-event records like photos and achievements.
- To create a good network with Alumni.

Members:

Ms. Neha Nikam	Chairperson
Ms. Shivani Chande	Member
Ms. Puja Patwardhan	Member
Mr. Mukesh Ramina	Member
Ms. Radhika Laghate	Member
Mr. Ayush Gada	Student Member

MARATHI VANGMAY MANDAL

Dr. Anupama N. Nerurkar	Chairperson
Dr. Akshata A. Kulkarni	Member
Mr. Hrishikesh A. Wandrekar	Member
Dr. Seema A. Ukidve	Member
Ms. Jagruti Parab	Member

CLASS MENTORS LIST

FYBA	Dr. Preeti S. Vaswani	FYBMS B	Mr. Siddhesh Hadkar
SYBA ECO PSY STATS	Ms. Vijaylaxmi Shetty	SYBMS	Ms. Heta Parekh
SYBA ECO SOC COMM	Mr. Rahul Dandekar	TYBMS	Ms. Suvarna Raikar
SYBA PSY SOC HIS	Ms. Shivani Chande & Ms. Pooja Patwardhan	FYBAF	Ms. Vaishali Pandya
TY BA ECONOMICS / PSYCHOLOGY / SOCIOLOGY / HISTORY	Mrs. Samiksha S. Jadhav / Ms. Neha Dalal / Dr. Samya Shinde / Ms. Pooja U. Yadav	SYBAF	Mr. Prashant Shelar
F.Y.B.COM.A	Dr. Akshata Kulkarni	TYBAF	Mr. Rahul Golar



F.Y.B.COM.B	Mr. Ramsagar B. Yadav
F.Y.B.COM.C	Mr. C A Hrishikesh Wandrekar
S.Y.B.COM.A	Ms. Laila Patel
S.Y.B.COM.B	Ms. Sajitha Kumar
S.Y.B.COM.C	Dr. Gordhan Devnani
T.Y.B.COM.A	Dr. Anupama Nerurkar
T.Y.B.COM.B	Dr. Seema Ukidve
T.Y.B.COM.C	C.A. Mukesh Ramina
FYBMS A	Ms. Neha Nikam

FYBBI	Ms. Karishma Malhotra
SYBBI	Mr. Shalmali Colaco
TYBBI	Mr. Raju Gole
FYBFM	Ms. Divya Kanchan
SYBFM	Mr. Mehul Barai
TYBFM	Ms. Divya Kanchan
FY BAMMC	Ms. Kavita Makhija
SY BAMMC	Ms. Radhika Lagate
TY BAMMC	Ms. Kavita Makhija
BSCIT	Ms. Prajakta Joshi

EXTRA CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE

Functions:

- To plan and execute intercollegiate fests and intra-collegiate events.
- To plan participation of students in intra collegiate events and intercollegiate fests.
- To encourage participation in youth festival at the University level.
- To organise Independence Day, Republic Day, and Maharashtra Day celebration in coordination with NSS and NCC.
- To plan and execute the college Annual Day celebration.
- To ensure all information is provided to students regarding events via notices and the website.
- To maintain the records of all events and related information and submit the same to college magazine committee.

Members:

Dr. Samya P. Shinde	Chairperson
Ms. Laila Patel	Member
Dr. Preeti Vaswani	Member
Ms. Heta Parekh	Member
Mr. Rahul Gollar	Member
Ms. Karishma Malhotra	Member
Mr. Siddhesh Hadkar	Member
Mr. Sajitha Kumar	Member
Ms. Puja Patwardhan	Member
Ms. Vijaylaxmi Shetty	Member



Junior College Teaching Staff



Admin & Non-Teaching Staff





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