

A.Y. 2020-2021 - CULTURAL AND SPORTS EVENTS

REPORTS

Covid -19 Hackathon

Name of Student: Ms. Rutuja Ghone

Name of Institute where Participated/Organised By: Zeal Institutes

Event: Covid 19 Hackathon [National Level Student Competition - Management Stream]



Virtual Event -International Yoga Day



The certificate features a central graphic of a white silhouette of a person in a yoga pose against a background of colorful, abstract flames in shades of orange, yellow, and red. The text is arranged in a formal, centered layout. At the top, there are several logos: the United Nations logo on the left, the AISSMS College of Engineering logo in the center, and a circular logo on the right. Below the logos, the text reads 'International Yoga Day-2020' and 'Certificate of Participation'. The name 'Unnati Dipak Kapse' is prominently displayed. The text continues with 'of Sadhu Vaswani institute of management studies for girls pune has successfully attended World's Biggest Virtual Event of "International Yoga Day-2020"'. At the bottom, there are four signatures and names: Mr. N.P. Mawale (Co-ordinator), Dr. M.M. Kondhare (Physical Director), Dr. N.N. Shejwal (Program Officer), and Dr. D.S. Bormane (Principal).

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Ministry of AYUSH, Govt. Of India on
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Report - DOTILLISM ART

02/08/2020

Sadhu Vaswani Institute of Management Studies for Girls organized a workshop on **Dotillism** in the fond memory of our Rev Founder Dada JP Vaswani's birthday on 2nd Aug 2020 and to spread happiness, even during the grim times of the Pandemic. Dotillism Art is a concept established by **Elsbeth McLean**, an Australian artist who believes this art can bring joy to people's life through vibrant colors and dots.

Although the art form uses dots as in Pointillism, her patterns simply provide a pattern, not an image. Ms Harshali Chandgadkar a student of MBA – II conducted an online Dotillism workshop on Zoom platform. The workshop was conducted for 1 hour and was attended by 70 participants, who enthusiastically drew their patterns, letting their creativity take lead.

Report - Independence Day

Sadhu Vaswani Institute of Management Studies
for Girls, Pune
invites you to celebrate
74th Independence Day
on
15th August 2020,
SATURDAY at 9:15 am on
MICROSOFT TEAMS



CELEBRATING OUR TRUE PATRIOTS

On 74th Independence Day - 15th Aug 2020 we invited a special guest, Mr. D V Hivrale, WCD to speak on true Freedom and Independence. The speaker highlighted the need and importance of the youth in contributing towards the welfare of our society to make India truly free and independent. He narrated a story to emphasise that we can contribute to society's welfare even if we cannot fight as soldiers. He also told the participants a short story of Gandhiji and his contribution to India's freedom. He stressed on the need to engineer special programs to help women and children. The emphasis should be on making them independent and self reliant through skill building and empowerment rather than in giving charity and making them dependent.

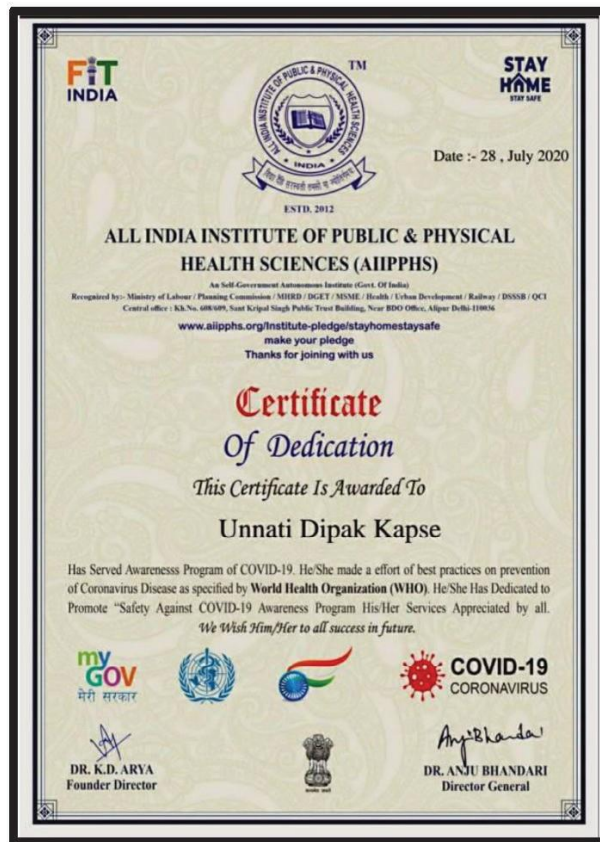
After the talk, Ms. Rucha Lathi a student from MBA, part 1 gave a small speech on building the spirit of nationalism. Ms. Anuja Jagdale and Ms. Jyotika Makhija sang patriotic songs.

Certificate of Dedication

Name of the Student: Ms. Unnati Kapse

Organized by: All India Institute of Public and Physical Health Sciences

[Best Practices in Prevention of COVID Diseases and dedication towards Prevention of COVID 19]



Report- Gokulashtami Celebration

12.08.2020

Sadhu Vaswani Institute of Management Studies for Girls celebrated Gokulashtami on 12th Aug 2020. Also known as Krishna Janmashtami, this day is celebrated to commemorate the birth of Lord Krishna. According to the legends, the eighth son of Devki, Lord Krishna was born on the 8th day of the dark fortnight of the month of *Bhadrapada* (August-September).

The program conducted online on MS Teams at SVIMS was as follows:

Dada's Video- The program started with Dada J.P. Vaswani's video on Gokulashtami, wherein Dada has spoken about Krishna Leela and importance of Janmashtami.

Komal's Story on Krishna- After the video, Ms. Komal Panjwani, MBA II student, narrated a story on Gokulashtami. She spoke about Lord Krishna's birth, his upbringing, and his friends. Then, she narrated an incident which depicted Lord Krishna's role and teachings as a leader and a guide in the holy book Mahabharata.

Quizzes and Games – A quiz was played wherein a poll was created and the students had to select the correct answer for the questions asked. A role play game too was played where the participants were given a situation and they had to answer the questions related to the holy book of Mahabharata and Bhagwat Gita. The motto behind playing this game was to bring in a few management ethics in the participants.

Cultural Performances- Ms Pooja Sharma, student of MBA IIInd year gave a beautiful dance performance. Ms Komal Panjwani enthralled the audience with her bhajan – “Achyutam Keshvam”.

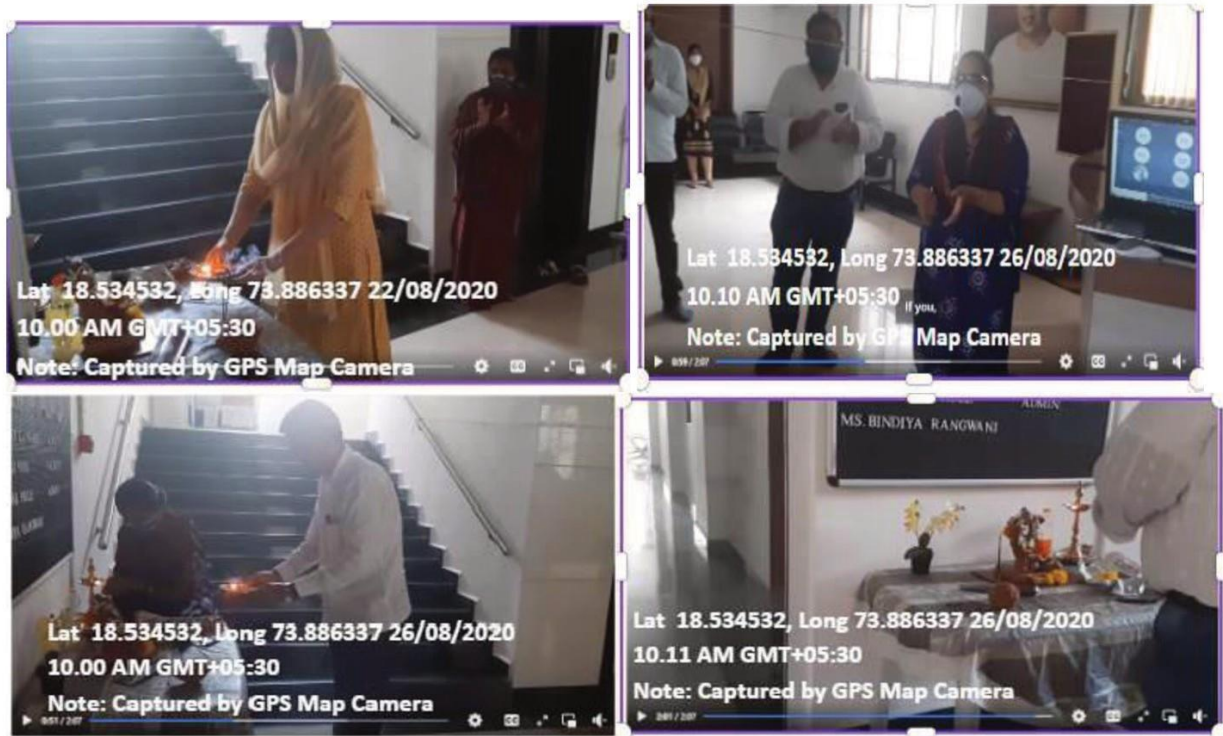
Director's Message – The Director, in her address, too shared insights into the leadership skills of Lord Krishna. She motivated the students to follow the teachings of our holy scriptures and learn the mantras of life from them.

Report- Ganesh Utsav Celebration

22.08.2020-26.08.2020

Ganesh Chaturthi is celebrated annually to mark the birth of Lord Ganesha, the God of new beginnings and a fresh start. The festival falls in the month of Bhadra, according to the Hindu calendar and in August/September according to the Gregorian calendar. This year, the celebration began on August 22. Dr B.H. nanwani worshipped Lord Ganesha and prayed to offer the blessing to all. Everyday Ganesh Aarati was chanted by staff members. Students joined online. After five days Shalana and worship, Ganesh Visarjan was made on 26/08/2020.

Video Link: <https://www.facebook.com/watch/?v=641166726806885&ref=sharing>



Ganesh Utsav Celebration Photos

Students' Partition in Outside Cultural Events

Decorative Rangoli

2 September 2020

Name of Student: Ms. Manasi Jadhav

Name of Institute where Participated: Dnyansagar Institute of Management and Research

Event: Ganesh Utsav 2020



State Level Elocution Competition

Name of Student: Ms. Harshali Chandgadkar

Name of Institution: Kaveri College of Arts, Science and Commerce

Event: Dr. Shamarao Kalmadi Memorial State Elocution Competition



Report - General Knowledge Quiz

Name of Student: Ms. Harshali Chandgadkar

Name of Institute where Participated: Milind College of Arts

Event: General Knowledge Quiz



E Poster Competition

Name of Student: Ms. Harshali Chandgadkar

Name of Institute where Participated: Modern College of Engineering

Event: E Poster Competition [A Picture is Worth a Thousand Words]



Solo Singing Competition Competition

Name of Student: Ms. Meenakshi Vaidya

Name of Institute where Participated: Hiraben Nanavati Institute of Management and Research for Women

Event: Panache 2020



Musical Webinar Yaarathon

25 September 2020 [Online Programme]; Time: 11am to 12pm

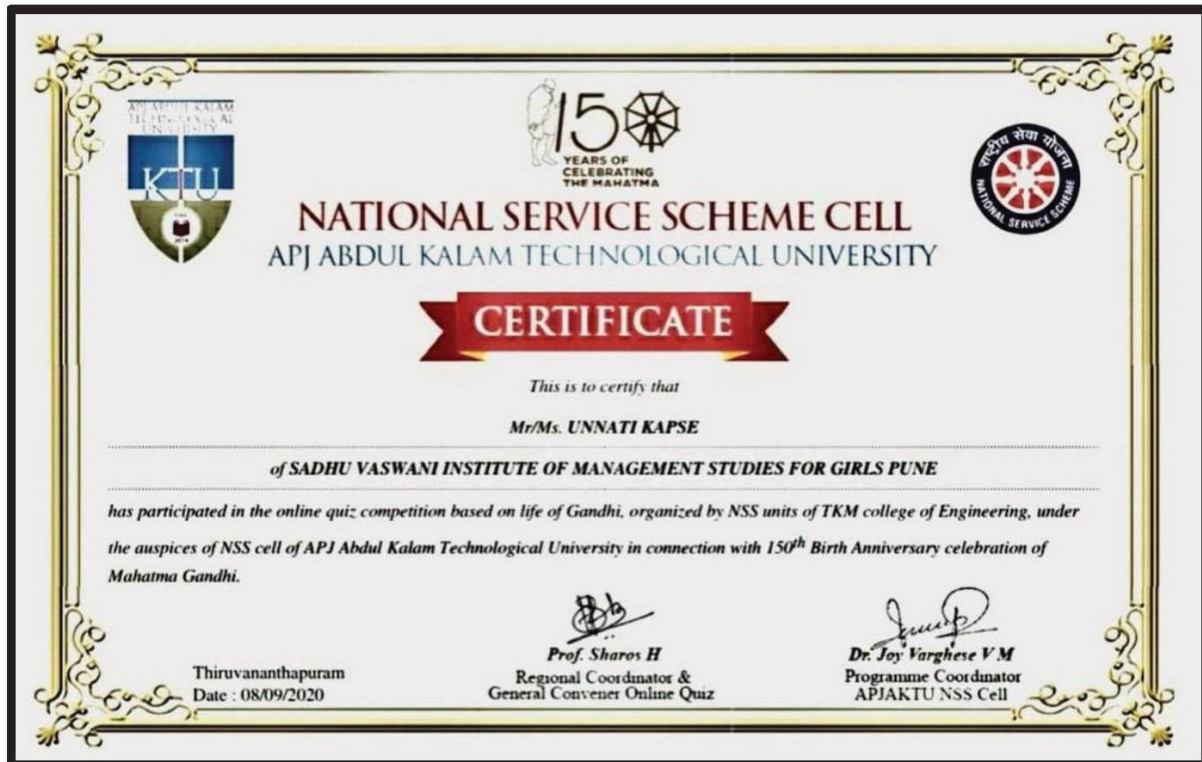
NSS Unit of Sadhu Vaswani Institute of Management Studies for Girls Pune celebrated 'Yaarathon' on the occasion of NSS Day. The primary aim of the event was to use music to promote good health and wellbeing amongst students and to raise awareness on suicide and depression. The musical event started with a melodious song followed by a display of some magical tricks. A volunteer from Jalgaon recited a very touching poem emphasizing the need to spend time and be available for our loved ones. Then a small motivational talk was given on the current situation of youth in terms of stress and mental health. Students were advised to be ambitious but never go overboard and keep away from stressful situations; assess your capacity and then decide on goals. There was a question – answer session and Ms. Bindiya offered a vote of thanks.

Online Quiz Competition – Life of Gandhi

Name of Student: Ms. Unnati Kapse

Name of Institute where Participated/ Organized By: APJ ABDUL Kalam Technological University

Event: Online Quiz Competition [Life of Gandhi]



Gandhi Jayanti Celebrations

28 September 2020- 03 October 2020

Organized by SVIMS with VENTEL (Vocational Educational- Nai Talim- Experiential Learning)

Action Plan Institution, Ministry of Education, Government of India

Event Name : Gandhi Jayanti Celebrations

Event Date : 28/9/2020 to 3/10/2020

Event Venue : Microsoft Teams and Facebook

Faculty Coordinator: Dr Abhijeet Kaiwade, Ms Bindiya Rangwani, Ms Vaishali Patil, Dr. Smita Iyer.

Objectives:

1. To sensitize SVIMS students about Gandhian Thoughts on Women Empowerment.
2. To apprise SVIMS students about the current issues and challenges pertaining to Women Empowerment.
3. To expose students to the benefits of relaxing facial yoga.
4. To equip students with vocational skills like chocolate, cake making etc.
5. To explore the health benefits of healthy food options for snacking.

Summary:

List of activities conducted:

Sr. No	Activity	Date	Faculty In-charge
1.	Webinar on “Empowering Women through Education”	1/10/2020	Dr. Smita Iyer
2.	Vocational Skill Development	1/10/2020	Dr. Abhijeet Kaiwade &

	- Chocolate making - Cake making	and 3/10/2020	Dr. Smita Iyer
3.	Yoga for relaxation	1/10/2020	Ms. Bindiya Rangwani
4.	Good Food Good Health	1/10/2020	Ms. Vaishali Patil & Ms. Bindiya Rangwani
5.	Tree Plantation and Terrace Gardening	28/9/2020	Dr. Abhijeet Kaiwade
6.	COVID19 Sanitization	3/10/2020	Dr. Abhijeet Kaiwade & Dr. Smita Iyer

Details of the Activities:

1 Webinar on “Empowering Women through Education”

“There is no tool for development more effective than the empowerment of women.”

Kofi Annan

Sadhu Vaswani Institute of Management Studies for Girls has worked on living the quote of Mr. Kofi Annan and this time has organised a webinar on “Empowering Women through Education” on the occasion of Gandhi Jayanti, [1st October 2020, from 11am to 12:30pm.]

The event started off with Ms Harshali Chandgadkar’s talk on Gandhian thoughts on Women Empowerment. Mr Kanav Chavan, Founder of YUG Foundation, an NGO which works for Women Hygiene and Women Empowerment after introducing YUG Foundation and its work in the field of menstrual health and safety, focused on how important this issue was from the perspective of empowering girls with education, as mensuration was a major reason for school dropouts. His take on empowering women by first educating men towards their responsibilities and also the need for women to become sensitive towards other women was a fresh perspective towards dealing with the issue. He emphasized on the need to equalize chores at home first by not tagging men’s contribution as an occasional ‘help’, but making it a habit. His talk was very refreshing as he was representing the ‘men’ in ‘women’, striving towards empowering women.

The talk was followed by Dr. B H Nanwani’s address which focussed majorly on strengthening the will of girls to march towards their dreams and make them a reality. She appreciated Mr

Kanav Chavan on the work accomplished by YUG foundation. The floor was then opened for an intriguing Q and A session followed by a vote of thanks by Dr. Smita Iyer.

2 Vocational Skill Development

On 1st October 2020, under the vocational skill development program, Dr. Smita Iyer took a video session on how to make commercially viable chocolates and coho-dip-cookies at home. She gave ideas to flavor the chocolates along with the costing per chocolate. She explained that with all the festivals lined up, chocolate selling could be a lucrative option for the SVIMS students to enter into a small business.

This was followed by a session on cake and muffin making by Ms. Sonal Bahgwat, Ms. Kaveri Bidkar and Manasi Jadhav, MBA batch 2018-2020 and MBA batch 2019-2021 students. Both the students are budding entrepreneurs who have started commercializing their culinary skills during the pandemic, taking the advantage of the wave for home cooked food in the market.

3 Yoga for Relaxation

The day began with a relaxing session on facial yoga by the endurance enthusiast Faculty member of SVIMS, Ms. Bindiya Rangawani. She took the students through a journey of a peaceful trance of mental and beauty relaxation. The half an hour session not just relaxed the participants but also educated them on the importance of practicing yoga in one's life for better quality of life.

4 Good Food Good Health

The importance of good food in one's life cannot be replaced by the riches of the world. SVIMS on 1st October 2020, organized a session on Good Food Goof Health by its faculty members, Ms. Vaishali Patil and Ms. Bindiya Rangwani. They shared the importance good and healthy food in life. To make it a practice they taught students the recipe of Oat-Dry Fruit Ladoo. The students took away the learning- that a healthy food item as oat could be made into a mouthwatering ladoo and could be dressed with chocolate to make it tempting for both young and old.

5 Tree Plantation drive and Terrace Gardening

Sadhu Vaswani Institute of Management Studies for Girls Pune celebrated Gandhi Jayanti by planting trees. Dr. B.H. Nanwani (Director) along with Students, faculty members and administrative staff participated in this ‘Tree Plantation’ drive, on 28th September 2020, at Sadhu Vaswani Gurukul, Manjari, Pune, the staff of SVIMS have planted 25 saplings and students sowed seeds, Planted saplings at their respective residences. Students of MBA batch 2019-2021 took Virtual (Microsoft teams) participation in organizing this event due to pandemic.

Students of SVIMS did not limit themselves to the online tree plantation derive, but actively participated in creating awareness videos terrace gardening. Ms. Apoorva Ohol, MBA batch 2019-2021, came up with videos on the process of terrace gardening and also shared her love for gardening by sharing her knowhow on usage of gardening tools and equipment’s. These videos were put up on the institute Facebook page.

6 COVID 19 Sanitization

To raise awareness about COVID 19 sanitization for maintaining hygiene and protection form the virus, the students of MBA Batch 2018-2020, HR specialization came together to make awareness videos. These awareness videos focused on sanitization techniques, mask making, mask usage techniques and some home remedies to increase immunity of one self against the virus.

Commerce Quiz Competition

Name of Student: Ms. Manasi Jadhav and Others

Name of Institute where Participated: Arihant College of Arts, Commerce and Science

Event: Commerce Quiz Competition

 <p>Certificate No.: ACCN2987</p> <p>Arihant Education Foundation's Arihant College of Arts, Commerce & Science Camp, Pune-01 Commerce Department</p> <p>COMMERCE QUIZ COMPETITION Certificate of Appreciation</p> <p>This certificate is awarded to, MANASI DEEPAK JADHAV for participation in 'Online Commerce Quiz Competition' and scored 82 Marks out of 100</p> <p>(Mangesh Takpire) (Chetan Parikh) (Dr. Mukund Dongare) Coordinator Campus Director Principal</p>	 <p>Certificate No.: ACCN2814</p> <p>Arihant Education Foundation's Arihant College of Arts, Commerce & Science Camp, Pune-01 Commerce Department</p> <p>COMMERCE QUIZ COMPETITION Certificate of Appreciation</p> <p>This certificate is awarded to, EKTA KUKDIYA for participation in 'Online Commerce Quiz Competition' and scored 80 Marks out of 100</p> <p>(Mangesh Takpire) (Chetan Parikh) (Dr. Mukund Dongare) Coordinator Campus Director Principal</p>
 <p>Certificate No.: ACCN2443</p> <p>Arihant Education Foundation's Arihant College of Arts, Commerce & Science Camp, Pune-01 Commerce Department</p> <p>COMMERCE QUIZ COMPETITION Certificate of Appreciation</p> <p>This certificate is awarded to, DARSHANA RAJU BADA VANE for participation in 'Online Commerce Quiz Competition' and scored 62 Marks out of 100</p> <p>(Mangesh Takpire) (Chetan Parikh) (Dr. Mukund Dongare) Coordinator Campus Director Principal</p>	 <p>Certificate No.: ACCN2223</p> <p>Arihant Education Foundation's Arihant College of Arts, Commerce & Science Camp, Pune-01 Commerce Department</p> <p>COMMERCE QUIZ COMPETITION Certificate of Appreciation</p> <p>This certificate is awarded to, AKANKSHA SONAWANE for participation in 'Online Commerce Quiz Competition' and scored 74 Marks out of 100</p> <p>(Mangesh Takpire) (Chetan Parikh) (Dr. Mukund Dongare) Coordinator Campus Director Principal</p>
 <p>Certificate No.: ACCN1545</p> <p>Arihant Education Foundation's Arihant College of Arts, Commerce & Science Camp, Pune-01 Commerce Department</p> <p>COMMERCE QUIZ COMPETITION Certificate of Appreciation</p> <p>This certificate is awarded to, Meenakshi Vaidya for participation in 'Online Commerce Quiz Competition' and scored 90 Marks out of 100</p> <p>(Mangesh Takpire) (Chetan Parikh) (Dr. Mukund Dongare) Coordinator Campus Director Principal</p>	 <p>Certificate No.: ACCN2289</p> <p>Arihant Education Foundation's Arihant College of Arts, Commerce & Science Camp, Pune-01 Commerce Department</p> <p>COMMERCE QUIZ COMPETITION Certificate of Appreciation</p> <p>This certificate is awarded to, PRIYANKA DHAMI for participation in 'Online Commerce Quiz Competition' and scored 68 Marks out of 100</p> <p>(Mangesh Takpire) (Chetan Parikh) (Dr. Mukund Dongare) Coordinator Campus Director Principal</p>

National Level Business Quiz Competition

Name of Student: Ms. Harshali Chandgadkar , Ms. Harshali Dhabale

Name of Institute where Participated/ Organised By: JSPMS Group of MBA Institutes

Event: National Level Business Quiz Competition



National Yoga Competition

Name of Student: Ms. Isha Bharut

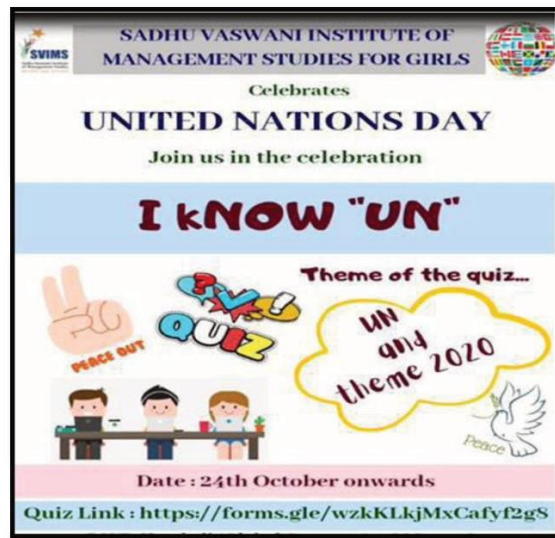
Name of Institute where Participated: Vaish Arya Kanya Mahavidyalaya

Event: Yoga Posture Competition



I Know the UN - Quiz

24 October 2020



The 72nd United Nations Day [UN's 75th anniversary] was celebrated by launching an e-quiz on the United Nations.

[Link: <https://forms.gle/FqbuLFEnXrp3wKKY9>].

The quiz was conceived under the aegis of the E – Seminar on 'Power of Love or Love for Power'- UN Peace Keeping Mission. Two videos were given along with the quiz and news clips were put up on the Global Connect News Group, which could help the participants understand the UN and answer questions on the same.

Ms. Jennifer Vincent of SVIMS won the competition.

No of Responses: 42

Report - National Education Day

11.11.2020

To commemorate the birth anniversary of Maulana Abul Kalam Azad, a Freedom Fighter and the first Education Minister of independent India, we celebrated the National Education Day by first singing the National Anthem and then, Ms. Cassandra Arockiam, a student from MBA-II enlightened all of us on the valuable contributions made by Maulana Abul Kalam Azad and his great life. After her speech, we initiated and conducted a discussion amongst students to know their opinions on 'whether only a person who undertakes formal education can conduct himself/herself well?' Majority of the students denied that only people who undertake formal education conduct themselves well and we ended the session with a prayer for well-being of all.

Report - Gender Inclusive Language Quiz

27-Oct-2020, Online

SVIMS has conducted the National Level Quiz on the topic “Gender Inclusive Language” under the theme of "Satark Bharat Samriddh Bharat". To learn more about Gender Inclusive Language, 4 videos were shared with all the participants. Participants were supposed to watch the videos and based on the video content; the E-quiz was conducted. The response was very good and there was huge participation.

Report - Christmas Celebration

24 Dec 2020 [Virtual]

Our colourful and lively Christmas celebration started with a Merry Christmas Song. All the 18 students who participated were given 25 minutes to dress up including the attire, hairdo and make-up. Ms Harshali Chandgadkar emerged as the winner while Ms. Cassandra was selected as the Runner-up. We then had a group of our students who sang beautiful carols.

Report- 190th Jayanti of Savitribai Phule

4/01/2021

Sadhu Vaswani Institute of Management Studies is committed to and celebrates women empowerment. A special session was arranged to pay our tributes to an icon of strength and courage – Savitribai Phule (190th Birth Anniversary).

Ms. Bindiya Rangwani gave a brief introduction of Savitribai Phule and spoke about her contribution to the education of women in society. Savitribai set up a school for girls and women and is rightly honored as the 1st woman teacher of India. With her husband's support, she herself learned to read and write and further started teaching other women. She also tried to prevent female infanticide – the death of small girls and helped widows to live a life of dignity and respect. She helped women who were rape victims and gave them strength to deliver and raise their children safely.

Ms. Pooja Zawar, Mba Part II student narrated an incident from the life of Savitribai Phule. A poem was also recited in praise of Savitribai Phule. The programme ended with a video clip showcasing Savitribai's life journey and achievements.

Report of Birth Anniversary of Netaji Subhashchandra Bose

23 January 2021

The Institute believes in and promotes patriotism by honoring the memory of our great national heroes and patriots. Given this, we celebrated the 125th Birth anniversary of Netaji Subhash Chandra Bose on 23rd January 2021.

Ms. Harshali Chandgadkar, student of MBA Part II paid her tributes to this great national hero. Then small videos created by students were shown. A student sang a song eulogizing Netaji, another student spoke about Netaji's role in India's freedom struggle and yet another student recited a poem. The program concluded with a vote of thanks proposed by Ms. Harshali Chandgadkar

Students Participated: 35

Report 72nd Republic Day

We had a virtual celebration of the Republic Day on 25th Jan 2021.

The program commenced with the attendees reciting National Anthem.

Director's Address – The Director, in her address, welcomed the Guest speaker and all the attendees. She shared her insights about the meaning of being republic and independent and how it is important, especially for today's generation, to maintain the sanctity of the terms and prove to be good and proud citizens of their country.

Importance of Republic Day – Ms. Ekta Kukdiya, student of MBA-II presented her views on the 72nd Republic Day.

Remembering our Hero – Paying our obeisance to national hero **Lt. Kiran Shekhawat**, Ms. Apoorva Ohol narrated a short story on the revered hero which inspired all the attendees.

Guest Speaker's session – The guest speaker for the program, Mr. Anurit Kanti, Deputy Manager- Sustainability@ReNew Power, enlightened the participants by sharing his views on the importance of Republic Day. He shared that it was the day when we were granted fundamental rights to life and liberty. He also spoke about how Dr. B.R. Ambedkar ensured that our Constitution was a comprehensive one. This was achieved after researching and studying the Constitutions of many countries. The Constitution, as such, defines our fundamental rights and fundamental duties which must be performed by the citizens of India to best of their capabilities. The attendees were motivated by Mr. Kanti's words. The students also interacted with the guest speaker by asking him a few questions and also presenting their thoughts. The discussions made the event solemn with patriotic vibes.

Cultural performance – Ms. Casandra Arockiam, student of-II won the hearts of attendees by her rendition of a Desh Bhakti Geet.

Ms. Mrunmayee Throat (MBAII) gave a beautiful dance performance which was followed by a soulful song by Ms. Meenakshi Vaidya.

The program concluded with a vote of thanks Ms. Smita Iyer.

Report – Marathi Bhasha Din Celebration

27 February 2021

Prof. (Dr.) Vidyagauri Tilak, from Marathi Department of SPPU was invited to speak on the occasion of ‘Marathi Bhasha Gaurav Din’. The event started with a beautiful poem by ‘Kusumagraz’. Dr. Tilak said that “every language has its own sweetness; we need to give respect to every language.” In her opinion, if a person wants to succeed in her/his career, it is very necessary for him/her to know regional language to establish the connection with people. The event continued with bright performances by our talented students as a part of competitions on Lavani, Singing, Ukhana and ‘Maji Prerena ‘(My inspiration).

The event ended with ‘Pasaydaan ‘.

Winners of the Competition

Singing Competition

1. Meenakshi Vaidya-1st Prize
2. Shraddha Yadav-2nd Prize

Mazi Prerena

1. Damini Pande-1st Prize
2. Sayali Rathod-2nd Prize

Lavani

1. Harshali Chandgadkar -1st Prize
2. Parishweta Ghulane -2nd Prize

Ukhana

1. Shrutika Gaware-1st Prize
2. Shradha Shinde -2nd Prize

The program was beautifully and skillfully anchored by Ms. Vaishali Patil

Powada - Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj's birthday celebration

19.02.2021

To celebrate one of our great heroes Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj, we had organized a competition that consisted of 2 categories: Story narration and Powada. The story to be narrated was to be based on Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj's life and Powada is a genre of Marathi Poetry that narrates historical events in an inspiring manner. It emerged during the late 17th century and the composers-cum-singers narrate historical events in a very exciting and glorified manner.

The participants were asked to submit a video of a story narrated by them or a Powada sung by them. A total of 15 students participated. Under the category of Story narration, Ms Ami Adodariya stood 1st while Ms Anuja Jagdale grabbed the 2nd place and under the category of Powada; Ms. Parishweta stood 1st while Ms Damini Pande stood 2nd. We all paid our respects to Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj by watching and carefully listening to these videos that so well spoke about his glorious life.

B Nanwani

Dr. B H Nanwani

Director

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Report - Tiny Tots Talk Gender Equity

8 March 2021

To spread more awareness about this concept of Gender Equality and Equity, a competition was organized on 8th March 2021 named “Tiny Tots Talk Gender Equity. Nineteen students in the age group of 4 to 10 years from different schools participated in this competition. The Tiny Tots expressed their views and understanding about the concept of Gender Equality and Equity by enacting roles in which girls can do everything that any boy can do and also by demystifying that there is no such concept that blue color is for boys and pink is for girls.

Report - Azadi ka Amrut Mahotsav- India's Journey Pre and Post-Independence

12.03.2021

To commemorate the occasion of the 75th year of India's Independence, we invited two eminent speakers: Mr. Ajay Karmayogi (Convenor, National Independent Gurukul Campaign) and Mr. Rohtash Malethia

Mr. Karmayogi expressed that a strong and a prosperous India can be built if we focus on issues such as save the girl child, saving water, medical facilities and education.

Mr. Rohtash Malethia (Journalist, R Bharat) gave an overview of the history of independence and the post-independence journey. He spoke of leaders and their contributions in resolving pre-and post-independence issues. He commented on policy amendments and lamented the failure of education post-independence.

Report- National Level Essay Competition – Guru Tegh Bhadur- the Ninth Sikh Guru

15 March 2021

Sadhu Vaswani Institute of Management Studies for Girls celebrated the 400th Prakash Parv of Shri Guru Tegh Bahadurji on 15th March 2021.

2021 marked the 400th year of Shri Guru Tegh Bahadur's Prakash Purab. He was the 9th of the 10 Gurus that founded the Sikh religion. He was also considered to be the leader of Sikhs from 1665 until his demise in 1675. The celebrations bore special significance in terms of Sangam city wherein the gurudwara 'Pakki Sangat' is located.

In its own small way of contribution to the event, SVIMS celebrated the day online by conducting an online essay writing competition.

Giani Ranjit Singhji was invited as a Guest Speaker for the event. Renowned Sikh preacher Giani Ranjit Singh (Gauhar-e-Maskeen) is the Jathedar of Takht Sri Patna Sahib. A noted 'kathavachak' (preacher) Giani Ranjit Singh commands honors for his in-depth knowledge of Gurmat and Gurbani.

Gianiji addressed the students and shared stories of Guru Tegh Bahadurji's childhood and his journey to becoming a young religious leader. He inspired the attendees with his sharings and experience.

The Guest speaker's session was followed by the inauguration of the National Essay Writing Competition by Director SVIMS, Dr. BH Nanwani. Director Ma'am shared about the life and teachings of the 9th guru and what Sikhism preaches and stands for. The ultimate theme of all guru teachings being that God is one and he who finds a master finds the path of life.

The participants were given the topics for the essay and the rules were explained to them. Giani Ranjit Singhji was the judge for the event.

Students participated with zeal and presented well written essays.

Following Students were declared winners:

1st Prize: Simran Batra

2nd Prize: Kalpana Singh

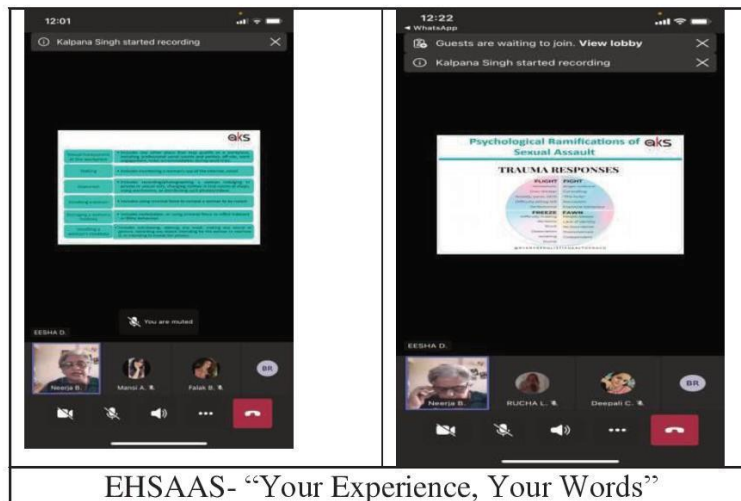
3rd Prize: Nikita Shinde

Report – EHSAAAS- “Your Experience, Your Words”

23/04/2021

To observe the Sexual Assault Awareness month, we had joined hands with Aks Foundation. Aks Foundation is a Pune based Non-governmental Organisation (NGO) working to combat gender-based violence. Firstly, we organised and conducted a Poem-writing competition the theme of which was Sexual Assault. We had 21 entries, and the results were announced on 20th April 2021. The 2 winners declared were Ms. Aathira Nair and Ms. Laveena Dias. While the judges for this competition were: our Director, Dr. B Nanwani and Ms. Charu Mudholkar, Aks Foundation.

On 23rd April 2021, we had the Director of Operations at Aks Foundation as the speaker for a short program. She started the session right from the basics where she mentioned that even calling a lady by a name which outrages her modesty is a form of sexual harassment. She clearly laid down the various forms of sexual harassment and explained the meaning and differences between: Sexual harassment at workplace, stalking, Voyeurism, disrobing a woman, outraging a woman’s modesty, and insulting a woman’s modesty. With statistics from National Crime Record Bureau, 2019, National Commission for Women, 2020 and Business Standard Newspaper she revealed to us some astonishing facts of: a. one case of stalking takes place every 55 minutes, b. about 88 cases of rape take place every day, c. while the conviction rate is under 30%. She continued to explain the dynamics of sexual assault and the 4 trauma responses of: Flight, Fight, Freeze and Fawn. She ended the session by sharing the Aks helpline numbers with all of us.



Report- Fresher's Party

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Our MBA II students had expected these pandemic times to end by the time they would move to the IVth semester and Part I students would progress to IInd semester to throw a Fresher's party for them. But, that did not happen and hence, they ultimately planned a virtual **Freshers'** meet. And how! Like it's theme of 'Colour yourself in Rainbow', this entire party was lighted up with colours. This meet carried more importance **this** year than ever because these students have yet not met each other offline. Thus, to bring everyone on a common platform and in a fun way, this **virtual** party was organised. While, physical interaction brings about dynamism and builds strong relationships, through interesting games and activities in this virtual meet, an effort was made to bring about team spirit, bonhomie and a sense of closeness. The most awaited Miss Fresher's contest was an integral part of this meet. The elimination rounds of this contest displayed to us the thoughts, the creativity and innovation of MBA I students. We actually witnessed a rainbow of personalities across the performance of the participants. Interestingly, this contest was judged by our alumni, Ms Darshika Chug and Ms Snigdha Das. Ms. Preeti Bhise was crowned Miss **Fresher 2020-2021**. All in all, this **Freshers'** party opened up beautiful secrets about students of MBA Part I.