Govt. Degree College for Women Kathua, J&K



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VISION, MISSION and VALUES

VISION

- To act as a Centre of knowledge and wisdom providing high quality, accessible and affordable higher education to all sections of the society.
- To prepare students to be thoughtful, responsible and successful citizens to meet the challenges of a collaborative and competitive globalized environment.

MISSION

- To facilitate intellectual stimulation to generate, maintain and disseminate knowledge.
- To empower women by providing them essential academic skills, career development opportunities and entrepreneurship.
- To constantly upgrade the infrastructure, facilities and learning resources of the institution.
- To introduce new multidisciplinary courses in lieu of their acceptance, viability and marketability in alignment with NEP-2020.
- To evaluate, improve and upgrade programs and policies that can inculcate creative, innovative and critical thinking.
- To create awareness of NEP-2020 among faculty, students & other stakeholders.

VALUES

- Academic Integrity and Accountability
- Learning, Growth and Intellectual Excellence
- Respect and Tolerance for the views of every individual
- Community, Education and Industry Partnerships
- Quality, Transparency, Compliance and Sustainability



Principal's Message

"Success comes to those who work hard and stays with those, who don't rest on the laurels of the past."

Education is not merely acquirement of facts but also of values which help us improve the different facets of mankind. It ensures that we leave the world a far better place than we found it. A pivotal role of education lies in shaping the personality of a student into a healthy mind and happy soul, who is not only equipped with 21st century skills and aptitude required for academic excellence but also face the challenges of life in a balanced and harmonious way.

Therefore, the system of Education should work as a catalyst in making each student a balanced human being having his core strengths embedded in the learning experiences emanating from our rich socio-cultural roots. In Government Degree College for Women Kathua, we enterprise to map academic excellence with a strong human value system, which in myriad ways is ingrained in the culture of the college.

To achieve this, we strongly feel that a paradigm shift in the minds of all stake holders should take place so that when the college becomes the hub to initiate and formalize Education it has its tenets enshrined in a good value system; the extension of which is thereby taken home where it is further strengthened. And our commitment to such Education will always persist in all our endeavors. I also laud the relentless efforts of our teachers for giving their best in bringing out the best in each student. But I would exhort the students to be always modest, humble and disciplined while being ready to expand the horizons of their knowledge and skills by dreaming big and working hard. Teamwork is the hallmark of Government Degree College for Women Kathua,

I am very sure through collaborative effort we can achieve more to benefit our students who are the future leaders of tomorrow.

Prof. (Dr.) Savi Behl Principal

Editorial Board



It gives us immense joy and satisfaction to finally re-introduce our very own college Newsletter "IRAWATI VOI-1". A lot of effort has gone into the making of this issue. We hope you enjoy reading this issue as much as we have enjoyed making it.

NAAC Peer Team Visits GDCW Kathua

The National Accreditation and Assessment Council (NAAC) Peer team visited Govt. Degree College for Women Kathua for the first cycle of NAAC Assessment on 22nd and 23rd of August, 2022. The NAAC Peer team was led by the Chairperson Prof. (Dr.) Renu Jain, Member Coordinator Prof. (Dr.) Kuldip Kour and Member Dr. Binod Kumar.

On 22nd August, NAAC peer team was formally welcomed by the Principal Dr. Sangita Nagari, Convener Advisory Committee Mr Ashwani Khajuria, Coordinator IQAC Ms. Ravinder Kour along with the staff and students of college. The peer team was escorted/ welcomed by the NCC Cadets, NSS volunteers and student council. The formal lighting of lamp was done by the Peer team with Deep Stuti presented by students under the supervision of Dr Varchaskam Sharma. Dr. Sangita Nagari, Principal, delivered a Power Point Presentation in detail about the profile and various criterions of Self Study Report of the College. Peer Team Members interacted with all Heads of Departments and saw the Power Point Presentations of different subjects being taught in the college. Then, they visited all the laboratories of college and inspected the physical facilities available there. They also visited the Dogra Heritage Corner, Botanical Garden, Poly House, Girls Common Room, NCC and NSS room and interacted with the students, NCC Cadets, NCC caretaker Dr Vaishno Devi, NSS volunteers and NSS Program Officer Dr Arun Dev Singh and took feedback about the various activities conducted by them. Peer Team also met the official from University of Jammu, Dr. Rajiv Rattan Sharma, Director CDC and representative from Department of Higher Education, Mr Satpal, Under Secretary to Govt.

The Peer Team inspected the college library and its automation, Sports Facilities, Browsing Centre and various Clubs/Cells in the college. They also interacted with the Parents, Alumni, Students and all other stakeholders of the college. A meeting with all members of College IQAC committee was also held in which the working of College IQAC was analysed. Later, a grand Cultural evening 'Kalotsava' was organised in the honour of NAAC Peer Team members in which students presented a beautiful cultural programme depicting the rich cultural heritage of J&K under the supervision of Dr Surekha Rani, HOD in Music.

On 23rd August, the Peer Team members visited the Canteen, Establishment and Accounts Section of the College and interacted with the Non-Teaching Staff members. A discussion with Principal and Coordinator IQAC was also held. Later, in the evening Exit meeting was conducted in which the NAAC Peer Team was formally welcomed by the principal. The NAAC Chairperson gave valuable suggestions for further augmentation of quality in the overall development of college and handed over the report to college Principal. The Vote of Thanks was presented by Ms. Ravinder Kour, Coordinator IQAC. It is pertinent to mention here that all the HODs, Conveners, NSS Programme Officer, NCC Caretaker, PTI, Teaching, Non-Teaching Staff members actively participated in the whole process.









Govt. Degree College for Women, Kathua Accredited with Grade 'B+' by NAAC

Govt. Degree College for Women Kathua has been accredited at Grade 'B+' by National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC) for a period of five years from 30th of August, 2022 with a Cumulative Grade Point Average (CGPA) of 2.62 on a seven point scale, the result of which was declared by NAAC Bengaluru.

Dr. Sangita Nagari, Principal of the college congratulated all the Teaching, Non-Teaching staff members, Students, NSS volunteers, NCC cadets and all other stakeholders for their significant contribution in the process of NAAC accreditation of the college.

She also appreciated the role of Ms Ravinder Kour IQAC Coordinator, IQAC/NAAC Steering committee member, Mr Ashwani Khajuria Convener Advisory Committee, Dr Arun Dev Singh NSS Programme Officer, Dr Vaishno Devi (CTO) NCC and Mr Roshan Lal Sharma Physical Director of the college. A staff meeting was also conducted by Dr Sangita Nagari, Esteemed Principal in which the NAAC Peer Team report was opened and discussed with all the staff members along with recommendations for quality augmentation of the college. She motivated the staff and IQAC Coordinator to take up necessary steps for implementation of recommendation of the NAAC Peer Team in letter and spirt for next cycle and work with dedication and zeal for the overall development of the college.



Activities of Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC)

Organisation of Two Days Workshop on ICT

17th-18^{th,} of Nov, 2022

A Two-Day Workshop on "ICT" was conducted by Internal Quality Assurance Cell of Govt. Degree College for Women Kathua on 17th and 18th Nov. 2022 under the guidance of Dr. M.S Pathania, Principal of the college. The teaching staff of the college participated in the workshop. Prof. Ashwani Khajuria was the coordinator of the workshop. Prof. Pankaj Nandan and Prof. Barun Kumar Bhatti were the resource persons of the said workshop. During the workshop, the teaching faculty was provided hands on training on how to use the Digital Interactive Panel for effective teaching and to prepare the e-content. The faculty members participated very actively in the workshop and learnt the ways to use the ICT in teaching learning process.



One Day Workshop on ICT Training

24th of May, 2022

A Workshop on "ICT" training was conducted by Internal Quality Assurance Cell of Govt. Degree College for Women Kathua on 24th May, 2022. The teaching staff of the college participated in the workshop. Prof. Pankaj Nandan was the resource person of workshop. During the workshop, the teaching faculty especially the newly joined faculty was provided hands on training on how to use the Digital Interactive Panel for effective teaching and to prepare the econtent. The faculty members participated very actively in the workshop and learnt the ways to use the ICT in teaching learning process. Prof.Ashwani Khajuria, HOD Food Science & Technology stressed upon the teaching faculty to learn the ICT tools for effective quality of teaching learning process.



Organisation of Webinar on "Menstrual Hygiene"

3rd of June, 2022

Govt. Degree College for women, Kathua in collaboration with Global Hunt Foundation organized Webinar on "Menstrual Hygiene" on 03 June 2022 under the guidance of Dr. Sangeeta Nagari, esteemed Principal of the college. Prof. Pallavi gave a warm welcome to the speaker Ms. Nitiya Chaudhary, CSR Executive, Unicharm India. She is Specialist in Social Work, Women Empowerment and Project Management. The session was very informative for the college girls which gave them a comprehensive understanding on the what, why and how of menstruation. It consisted of the meaning of menstruation, developing biological understanding, related social taboos and awareness regarding the hygiene practices to be maintained during menstruation. At the end of the session all the queries of the students were satisfied by Ms. Nitiya Chaudhary. The session was anchored by Prof. Pallavi, HOD, Department of Political Science, GDCW, Kathua and Nodal Officer of Shikshit Bharat. Prof. Ravinder Kaur, Convener, IQAC, Dr. Babita Jamwal, Prof. Raj Kumari, Dr. Vaishno Devi, Dr, Anupam Manuhaar, Dr. Deepti Salotra was also present in the session. More than 50 Students participated in the workshop.



Two Days Webinar on "Hindi Sahitya Aur Sangeet" 6th-7th of June, 2022

Govt. Degree College for women, Kathua, Department of Music and Hindi organized Two Days Webinar on "*Hindi Sahitya Aur Sangeet*" under the guidance of worthy Principal Dr. Sangita Nagari on 6-7 June, 2022. The event began with the introductory note by Dr Mukesh Kumari Assistant Professor in Hindi. On first day, Dr. Vinay Kumar Shukla Department of Hindi, Central University of Jammu was the resource person. He delivered a very informative and elaborated lecture in which he talked about the relation between Hindi Sahitya and Sangeet. He also highlighted the issues related to music of present days like impurity in modern Bollywood Music and the vulgar language used in the lyrics. On the first day vote of thanks was presented to resource person and all participants by Dr. Vaishno Devi, Department of Dogri. On second day, Dr. Surekha Rani welcomes and invited the resource person Smt. Shivani Raina, Dept. of Music G.D.C. Bishnah to deliver lecture on the above topic. She talked about the relation of Hindi Sahitya with Music, by giving examples of raag raagini, Kabeer ke Dohe, etc. She sang Meera's Bhajan, Ghazals in her melodious voice. In this event, a large number of students and faculty members from different colleges and universities participated with great enthusiasm. Principal Dr. Sangita Nagari, thanked both the resource persons for sparing their valuable time for this webinar. Further, she appreciated the efforts made by the Department of Hindi and Music for organizing such type of program. The event was concluded with a formal vote of thanks by Dr. Mukesh Kumari HOD Hindi. Other Faculty members who participated in the event were Pankaj Nandan (Associate Prof), Prof. Satish Khajuria, Dr. Deepti Salotra, Dr. Usha Kiran and Dr. Vaishno Devi.



Alumni Meet

21st of June, 2022

The Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) of Govt. Degree College for Women Kathua organized the "1st Alumni Meet" on 21st June, 2022 as a step to strengthen the bond between Alumni and the college fraternity. The process of Alumni Meet had already started with the formal registration of alumni students. Dr Sangita Nagari, Esteemed Principal of the college was the chief quest of the occasion. The program was inaugurated by lighting of lamp by the chief quest and faculty members. It was followed by welcome speech by Dr Sangita Nagari, Principal of the college. In her speech, she highlighted the achievements of the college and role of Alumni in development of the Institution. She motivated the students to work hard to achieve their goals and provide their feedback for the development of the college. She reiterated that the Alumni are the backbone of the Institution and this interaction shall help to pave the way for various developmental programmes. The Alumni shared their experiences and interesting moments of campus life as well as their valuable feedback for augmentation of quality culture in teaching-learning process in the college. Further, on this occasion, the Alumni also elected their representatives and formed an Alumni Association of the College. The proceedings of the program were conducted by Dr. Arun Dev Singh under the supervision of Prof. Ashwani Khajuria and Prof. Ravinder Kour IQAC Coordinator, who also presented vote of thanks. Prof. Pankaj Nandan, Dr. Naresh Sharma, Prof.

Shivani Sharma, Prof. Som Raj, Prof. Barun Kumar Bhatti, Prof. Vaishno Devi and Mr Roshan Lal Sharma (PTI) were also present in the Meet.



Celebration of International Day against Drug Abuse and Illicit Trafficking

28thof June, 2022

The Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC), NSS, Red Ribbon Club, NCC and Ek Bharat Shrestha Bharat Club of Govt. Degree College for Women Kathua celebrated the "International Day against Drug Abuse and Illicit Trafficking" on 28th June, 2022. An awareness lecture was organized on this occasion. Dr A.K. Gupta from Gupta Hospital and Research Centre was the resource person. Dr Sangita Nagari, Esteemed Principal of the college, was the chief quest of the occasion. The program was inaugurated by lighting of lamp by the chief quest, resource person and faculty members. It was followed by welcome speech by Dr Sangita Nagari, Principal of the college. In her speech, she highlighted the need to create awareness about the drug menace in the society. She motivated the students to adopt healthy life style and refrain from drugs. She reiterated that the students can play a pivotal role in creating awareness about drug de-addiction in the society. She emphasized upon the need to raise mass awareness against the drugs abuse and its ill effects. Further, on this occasion, Dr A.K. Gupta, Resource Person, talked in detail about the ill effects of use of drugs. He briefed that the Drug menace is one of the major challenges in the society. It not only ruins the abuser but also the family and the whole society. It can be eradicated only through awareness and prevention, and our fight is with the drug menace, not with the addicted persons. He appealed each and every one to join hands in the fight against the drug menace. The proceedings of the program were conducted by Dr. Arun Dev Singh. Prof. Ravinder Kour, IQAC Coordinator, presented the vote of thanks. Dr. Naresh Sharma, Prof. Shivani Sharma, Prof. Som Raj, Prof. Barun Kumar Bhatti and Mr Roshan Lal Sharma (PTI) were also present in the function.



Celebration of Van Mahotsav Week

1st of July-7th of July 2022

The Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC), NSS, Red Ribbon Club, NCC and Ek Bharat Shrestha Bharat Club of Govt. Degree College for Women Kathua is Celebrated Van Mahotsav week under "Azadi ka Amrut Mahotsav" from the 1st of July to the 7th of July 2022. The various activities conducted for Celebration of Van Mahotsav are as under:

a. Plantation Drive and Poster/Slogan Writing Competition 5th of July, 2022

A Plantation Drive was conducted in the campus on 5th July, 2022 to instill the value of social responsibility in the students towards safeguarding trees, forests and various activities. The NSS Volunteers, NCC Cadets and other students of the college planted the saplings and were motivated to plant more and more trees in their respective areas so that the environment can be saved in future. Later in the day, An Intra-College Poster making and Slogan Writing Competition on "Green Earth, Clean Earth" was also organized to promote environmental awareness. The NSS Volunteers, NCC Cadets and other students participated in the competition. The winners were selected by the jury members viz., Prof. Pankaj Nandan, Dr Babita Jamwal and Dr Naresh Sharma. Students namely, Ms Radhika Mehra, Ms Shiwani and Ms Naina Rajput begged first, second and third position respectively in the Poster Making Competition. On the other hand, Ms Shabnam, Ms Neetu Devi and Ms Priya Arya begged first, second and third position respectively in the Slogan Writing Competition. The events were conducted under the supervision of Prof. Ravinder Kour (Coordinator IQAC & EBSB), Dr. Arun Dev Singh (Programme Officer NSS) and Dr. Vaishno Devi (CTO NCC Unit). Prof. Raj Kumari, Prof. Pallavi, Dr Rajni Khajuria (NSS Organizing Committee), Prof. Som Raj, Prof. Barun Kumar Bhatti, and Mr Roshan Lal Sharma (PTI) were also present in the function.



b. **Poetry Recitation**

6th of July, 2022

A "**Poetry Recitation**" event was conducted on 6th July, 2022 to create environmental awareness under the guidance of Dr. Sangita Nagari, Principal of the college. The NSS Volunteers, NCC Cadets and other students of the college participated in the event and presented their poems to conserve environment. The event was conducted under the supervision of Prof. Ravinder Kour (Coordinator IQAC & EBSB), Dr. Arun Dev Singh (Programme Officer NSS), Dr. Vaishno Devi (CTO NCC Unit) and Dr Mukesh Kumari. Dr Mukesh Kumari conducted the proceedings of the programme and the vote of thanks was presented by Dr Vaishno Devi. Dr Usha Kiran and Dr. Deepti Salotra were also present in the function. Also, an online quiz competition on Van Mahotsav was organized by the Department of Physics on 06-07-2022 for the students of college. Prof. Ravinder Kour acted as convener and Dr. Naresh Sharma as organizing Secretary for organizing online quiz competition from Department of Physics.



c. Symposium on "Save the trees, Trees will save you" 7thof July, 2022

A Symposium on "Save the trees, Trees will save you" was organized on 7th July, 2022 to create environmental awareness under the guidance of Dr. Sangita Nagari, Principal of the college. The NSS Volunteers, NCC Cadets and other students of the college participated in the event and presented their views about the importance of trees and their Socio-economic effects. The winners

were selected by the jury members: Prof. Pankaj Nandan, Dr Babita Jamwal and Dr Varchaskam Sharma. Students namely, Ms Jagriti and Ms Pallavi secured first position and Ms Prakriti and Ms Rakhi secured second and third position respectively in the Symposium. Prof. Ashwani Khajuria highlighted the emotional impact of trees in addition to their environmental role. The event was conducted under the supervision of Prof. Ravinder Kour (Coordinator IQAC & EBSB), Dr. Arun Dev Singh (Programme Officer NSS), Dr. Vaishno Devi (CTO NCC Unit) and Dr Mukesh Kumari. Dr Arun Dev Singh conducted the proceedings of the programme and the vote of thanks was presented by Prof. Ravinder Kour. Dr Naresh Sharma, Prof. Raj Kumari, Prof. Pallavi, Dr Rajni Khajuria, Prof. Som Raj, Prof. Barun Kumar Bhatti, and Mr Roshan Lal Sharma (PTI) were also present in the function.



d. Celebration of Dogra festival "Rade" 16th of July, 2022

Dogra Festival "Rade" was celebrated in the traditional way under the leadership of Principal Dr. Sangeeta Nagari the College. According to the tradition, the College students sow the seeds of five different crops, i.e. maize, millet, urad etc. on the ground in broken necks of earthen pots. The number of radas can be as many as the number of family members and an additional rada is inserted to pray to God to add a new member to the family. The girl students took proper care of these radas by watering them daily for about a month and making rangolis every sunday using organic colours which symbolizes the growth and multiplication of the family and prayed to God for a more colourful and joyful life ahead. It is also celebrated by singing traditional songs and preparing Dogra dishes like Kiur, Roott etc. Rade is a month-long festival. At the end of the month well developed plants are dug up with earthen pots i.e. Rade and immerse them in river water. On the first day of the program, the famous Dogri poet Sh Vijay Sharma gave information about Duggar Culture to the students. The college celebrated Rade Utsav for a month with continuous activities including online lectures and other programs for the students. The

Head of Dogri Department, Prof. Ritu Kumar Sharma and Prof. Vaishno Devi played an important role in celebrating this festival.

Organization of Multi-Lingual Kavi Sammelan

18th of July 2022

The Dogri Department of college in collaboration with the Jammu Kashmir Academy of Arts and Culture, Jammu, organized a "Multi-Lingual Kavi About 25 poets of Dogri, Hindi, Urdu and Gojri languages Sammelan". participated in the program and recited their compositions. The program was presided over by Prof. Sangeeta Nagari, Principal of the College. She said that such programs are to be organized in the college campus so that students can be kept connected with their language and literature. She thanked the Jammu and Kashmir Academy of Arts and Culture, Jammu and hoped that such programs would be organized in the near future also in collaboration with the Academy. The program was conducted by the poet of Dogri language and Sahitya Akademi awardee, Mr. Vijay Sharma. Poets like Shri Santosh Dhiman, Dr. Paramdeep Sharma, Sham Lal Khajuria, Anu Gupta, Kuldeep Kumar "Kippy", Madan Lal Toofan, Garu Prasad, Shaukat Ali, Balak Ram Mehra, Shashi Sharma, Sham Narayan Mehta etc. enthralled the audience with their compositions. The entire program was conducted under the guidance of Mr. Ritu raj Sharma, Head of Dogri Department and Sanjeev Gupta, Culture Officer of the Academy.



Organisation of Parent-Teacher Meet

23rd of July, 2022

The Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) of Govt. Degree College for Women Kathua organized the Parent Teacher Meet on 23rd July, 2022 as a step to strengthen the bond between parents and the college fraternity. The program was inaugurated by lighting of lamp by the Dr Sangita Nagari, Esteemed Principal of the college, parents and faculty members. It was followed by welcome speech by Dr Sangita Nagari, Principal of the college. In her speech, she highlighted the achievements of the college and role of students in development of the institution. She motivated the parents to provide their feedback for the development of the college. The parents shared their valuable feedback for augmentation of quality culture in teaching-learning process in the college. The teaching faculty members also shared their feedback and suggestions with the parents. During the program, students who participated in celebration of Van-Mahotsav Week were given certificates in the presence of parents. NCC Cadets Ms Rama Ladhwal and Ms Priya Bharti were felicitated during the function who received gold medals at NCC Camp Srinagar. The proceedings of the program were conducted by Ms Preeti Mandhal and Ms Radhika Devi under the supervision of Prof. Ashwani Khajuria and Prof. Ravinder Kour IQAC Coordinator, who also presented the vote of thanks. Prof. Pankaj Nandan, Dr Babita Jamwal, Dr. Naresh Sharma, Dr. Arun Dev Singh, Prof. Raj Kumari, Prof. Som Raj, Prof. Barun Kumar Bhatti, Prof. Vaishno Devi and other staff members were also present in the Meet.



One-Day Online Workshop on Intellectual Property Rights (IPR)

25th of July, 2022

The Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) of Govt. Degree College for Women Kathua organized a One-Day Online workshop on "Intellectual Property Rights (IPR)" - Patents, Designs process, etc. under National Intellectual Property Awareness Mission(NIPAM) as a part of Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav celebrations on 25th July, 2022. Ms Pooja Vishal Maulikar, Examiner of Patents and Designs from Rajiv Gandhi National Institute of Intellectual Property Management, Nagpur was resource person on the occasion. The workshop started with a welcome speech by Dr Sangita Nagari, Esteemed Principal of the college. In her speech, she emphasized upon the need to organise such workshops on IPR for boosting the knowledge of the faculty for Patents, Copyrights, sharing technology and innovation. She appreciated the initiative taken by the IQAC committee to organize the event on IPR that is directly associated to the growth of institution and the country and inspired all the faculty members to know about IPR. Ms Pooja Vishal Maulikar, the resource person of the workshop, delivered a lecture in detail about IPR, basic concepts of IPR, Patents; including the procedure of filing the patents on research, innovation and technology. She motivated the faculty to file patents for the research and Innovation conducted by them. Faculty members from different colleges of UT of J&K attended the workshop. Ms Ravinder Kour, IQAC Coordinator presented the vote of thanks. The proceedings of the programme were conducted by Ms Pallavi, Assistant Prof. in Political Science.



Induction Programme for Freshers

24th of Sept., 2022

The Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) of Govt. Degree College for Women Kathua conducted "Induction Programme for Freshers" on 24th Sept., 2022. Dr Sangita Nagari, Esteemed Principal of the college, was the chief guest of occasion. A lecture was organized on this occasion. Prof. Ravinder Kour, Convener IQAC was the resource person. The program was inaugurated by lighting of lamp by the chief guest and faculty members. It was followed by welcome speech by Dr Arun Dev Singh, HOD English of the college. Prof. Ravinder, Resource Person, talked in detail about the physical facilities available in the college. She briefed about the various clubs, NCC, NSS, Scholarships Schemes, Rules and Regulations of the college. She motivated the fresher students to participate in curricular and extra-curricular activities organized by the college talked in detail about the need to follow properly the rules and regulations of the college and maintain cleanliness in the campus. She further motivated the fresher students to inculcate moral and ethical values and work

hard to achieve their goals. The proceedings of the program were conducted by Dr. Arun Dev Singh. Dr. Naresh Sharma, Prof. Pankaj Nandan, Prof. Raj Kumari, Prof. Ambika Jasrotia, Prof. Pallavi, Dr Rajni Sharma and many other faculty members were also present in the function. A large number of students of Semester I attended the programme.

Activities Conducted under Career Counselling and Placement Cell

Two-Day Lecture Series for Civil Services Aspirants

6th –7th of June, 2022

Career Counselling and Placement Cell College organized "A Two-Day Lecture Series for Civil Services Aspirants". The function began with the welcome address by Prof. Romika Bassin. Dr. Sangita Nagari, Principal of the college was the Chief Guest, speaking on the occasion; she exhorted upon the need to imbibe moral values into their lives and highlighted the need of awareness among students. Prof. Ashwani Khajuria, Department of Food Science and Quality Control also stressed upon the importance of moral values into their lives. On day one, four lectures were delivered, Prof. Vijay Kumar, Assistant Professor of Sociology, Prof. Pallavi of Political science, Prof. Satish Khajuria of Public Administration. On day two, four lectures will be delivered by the eminent Professors. Dr. Naresh Sharma of Physics, Dr. Poonam Sambyal of Zoology, Dr. Rajni Khajuria of Chemistry and Dr. Ajay Sanotra of Geography. Other staff members of the college also graced the occasion. Large no. of students participated in the Two-Day Lecture Series. The proceedings of the programme were conducted by Prof. Pallavi, Department of Political Science.



Lecture on Career Opportunities in Various Fields 29th of July, 2022

Career Counseling and Placement Cell of college in collaboration with ITI Kathua organized a one-day lecture on the topic "Career Opportunities in Various Fields" on 09-07-2022. Mr. Rahul Gupta, Vocational Instructor of ITI Kathua was the resource person of the programme. The resource person emphasized on

different courses offered by ITI Kathua like computer operator, stenography, sanitary inspector, cosmetology, dress making, sewing technology, traditional phulkari arts, Basohli painting etc. These skill-based courses offer great career opportunities to the students. About 60 students attended the lecture. During the interactive session, the students had actively participated and a lot of queries were raised by the students. Their queries and doubts were well addressed by the resource person.

Organization of One Day Lecture on Guidance & Career Counselling in Banking Sector by Institute of Professional Banking

29th of July, 2022



A One Day Lecture on MBA/Business Education & its Career prospects in the Contemporary era of changing market dynamic

2nd of Aug, 2022



One Day Lecture on MOFPI Scheme – Prime Minister Formalization of Micro Food Processing Enterprises (PMFMF)

5th of Aug, 2022

Career Counselling and Placement Cell in collaboration with IQAC, Government Degree College for Women, Kathua organized a one day lecture on "MOFPI Scheme - Prime Minister Formalization of Micro Food Processing Enterprises (PMFMF)", for young aspirants in offline mode. Mr. Anuj Verma, Mr. Rajiv Sharma and Mr. Vishal Gupta from Department of Horticulture, Planning and Marketing were the spokespersons. Mr. Anuj Verma talked about PMFME Scheme. Mr. Rajiv Sharma told the students about NHB scheme. Mr. Vishal Gupta discussed with students about Agriculture Infrastructure Fund.

The function began with the welcome address by Romika Bassin, Convener, Career Counselling and Placement Cell. Esteemed Principal of the college, Dr. Sangita Nagari was the chief guest on the occasion. She addressed the students regarding the benefits of various government schemes with special reference to NEP and the main focus on today's talk i.e. MOFPI Scheme. Mr. Anuj Verma talked about PMFME Scheme. Mr. Rajiv Sharma told the students about NHB scheme. Mr. Vishal Gupta discussed with students about Agriculture Infrastructure Fund. Mr. Anuj Verma mentioned that this scheme can be availed by farmers, marketing cooperative societies, self-help groups, startups and primary agricultural societies; the students can fall under startups category. They further told the students about applying for the same through online process through the available platform https://agriinfra.dac.gov.in/.

A total of 57 students had attended the lecture. The occasion was also graced by the presence of other committee members and other staff members Ms. Pallavi, Dr. Vaishno Devi, Dr. Rajni Khajuria, Dr. Anupam, Mr. Vijay Kumar and Ms. Anu Radha. Vote of thanks was presented by Ms. Pallavi.

Lecture on Financial Literary Awareness

17th of November, 2022

Career Counselling and Placement Cell, Economic Department, Skill Industry Centre of Government Degree College for Women, Kathua organized a lecture with collaboration with SBI Bank on "Financial Literary Awareness", for young aspirants in offline mode. Mr. Rajat Bhan Branch Manager ABD Kathua, Mr. Amul Bhatia Lead District Manger Kathua, Mr. Paras Ram Director RSEIT Kathua, (SBI Bank) was the resource persons for the talk. The function began with the welcome address by Romika Bassin, Convener, Career Counselling and Placement Cell. Esteemed Principal of the college, Dr. Sangita Nagari was the chief guest on the occasion. She addressed the students regarding the inclusion of Skill courses in SBI Bank and their importance, while signifying the Banking as one of the bright career opportunities. Mr. Rajat Bhan discussed the procedure of getting into banking and their schemes and benefits of different yojanas in SBI bank. Mr. Paras Ram discussed about skill course of SBI bank. After that Mr. Amul Bhatia made the students aware about the Hackers and how to use YONO APP and its importance in the present world? These were the main points of the resource person for today's talk. A total of 250 students attended the lecture. The occasion was also graced by the presence of other committee members and the Vote of thanks was presented by Anuradha.



One Day Awareness Cum Technical Session about the Cultivation of White button Mushroom on Small to Medium Scale

2nd of December, 2022

Career Counselling and Placement Cell in collaboration with IQAC, Government Degree College for Women, Kathua organized a One Day "Awareness Cum Technical Session about the Cultivation of White button Mushroom on Small to Medium Scale" under "My Town My Pride" for college students. Mr. Vinay Gupta and Rajneesh Singh from Agriculture Production & Farmers Welfare Department, Kathua were the resource persons for talk. Esteemed Principal of the college, Dr Sangita Nagari was chief guest on the occasion. The function began with the welcome address by Ms Romika Bassin, Convener, Career Counselling and Placement Cell. The resource person Mr. Rajneesh Singh discussed about the importance of mushroom cultivation in present scenario. He briefed about how to cultivate mushroom, the materials required for cultivation and the resources provided by Government of India to opt this as a profession. Mr. Vinay Gupta, the resource person imparted training on entrepreneurship development in mushroom cultivation. He discussed about how mushroom cultivation production can play an important role in enhancing the farmers income. The reason for large number of farmers opting for mushroom cultivation is that this does not require any land to cultivate. The growers can

earn handsome amount in this business. A total of 145 students attended the lecture. The occasion was graced by the presence of Mr. Ashwani Khajuria, Ms. Ravinder Kour, Dr Naresh Sharma, Ms Anuradha and other faculty members. The vote of thanks was presented by Ms Pallavi.



One Day Lecture on Vocational Courses

15th of December, 2022

Career Counselling and Placement Cell in collaboration with IQAC, Government Degree College for Women, Kathua organized a one- day lecture on the topic "Vocational Courses in ITI" under 'My College My Pride' on 15th December, 2022 under the valuable guidance of Dr. Sangita Nagari, the principal of the college. Mr. Rahul Gupta, vocational Instructor of ITI Kathua was the resource person of the programme. The resource person emphasized on different courses offered by ITI Kathua like Computer Operation, Stenography, Health & sanitary Inspector, Cosmetology, Dress making, sewing technology, traditional phulkari arts, Basholi painting etc. These skill-based courses offer great career opportunities to the students. The programme began with the welcome address of Ms. Romika Bassin, Convener of Career Counselling and placement Cell who outlined the purpose of the programme. About 250 students attended the lecture. During the interactive session, the students actively participated and a lot of gueries were raised by the students. The event concluded with formal vote of thanks by member of the committee. The members of Career Counselling and Placement Cell, Dr. Vaishno Devi, Prof. Pallavi and Prof. Anuradha actively participated for smooth conduct of the programme.



Activities of National Cadet Corps (NCC) Unit

Organisation of Cleanliness Drive

31st - 5th of June, 2022

Cleanliness Drive was organized under the PUNEET SAGAR ABHIYAN from 31st to 5th June 2022, NCC Cadets of the college cleaned the Ravi River in Kathua. About 15 Cadets cleaned and collected garbage & plastic from the river banks .The objective of this Abhiyan was to clean the river.



Organisation of Cleanliness Drive

2nd of June, 2022

Cleanliness Drive was organized on 02-06-2022 under the aegis of PUNEET SAGAR ABHIYAN a Swatchta Abhiyan and was conducted Pan India by the NCC Cadets as a part of this women NCC Cadets of Armed wing of Government Degree College for Women, Kathua, cleaned Sayma Prasad Mukherjee market and its surrounding areas including court road, post office road etc. The Cadets not only cleaned but also created awareness among the public and shopkeeper about the effect of garbage on streets and how it can create hazard for everyone.



Organisation of Yoga Demonstration Programme

17th of June, 2022

Yoga Demonstration was conducted by NCC in collaboration with NSS Unit of the college on 17th of June, 2022. About 25 cadets were present along with the staff to practice yoga.



Celebration of International Yoga Day

21st of June, 2022

International Day of Yoga was celebrated by NCC Cadets on 21/06/2022 at Sport Stadium Kathua, about 15 cadets were present in the programme and practiced various yoga asanas.



Celebration of Independence Day

15th of August, 2022

NCC Cadets participated in Independence Day celebration at Sports Stadium Kathua on 15/08/2022.



Felicitation of NCC Cadets

23rd of July, 2022

Felicitation of NCC Cadets on 23/07/2022, cadet Rama Ladhwal and cadet Priya attended National Camp at Srinagar in SNIC Camp and won various Certificates and Gold Medals.



Celebration of Vijay Kargil Diwas

26th of July, 2022

"Vijay Kargil Diwas" was celebrated by NCC Cadets of the college on 26/07/2022. On this event a documentary was played on the Heroes of Kargil War and poem recitation programme was also conducted by the cadets to enhance the patriotism among the students and the cadets.



Organisation of Har Ghar Tiranga Campaign

30th of July, 2022

Har GharTiranga Campaign was conducted by NCC Cadets of the college on 30/07/2022. Under the aegis of Independence Day cadets visited ward no. 2 for door to door campaign to spread the awareness about the Tri-Colour of our country.



Organisation of Rank Ceremony

3rd of August, 2022

Rank Ceremony conducted by NCC Cadets of college on 03/08/2022. Cadet Rama Ladhwal got senior under officer rank, cadet Priya and Naina Rajput got junior under officer rank and Cadet Preeti Mandhal got sergeant rank.



Organisation of Swatchhta Abhiyan

19th -25th of September & 27th Sep-3rdOctober 2022

Under the aegis of Puneet Sagar Abhiyan, Swatchhta Abhiyan was conducted by Pan India NCC Cadets of Armed Wing of the college on 19 to 25 September and 27 September to 3 October 2022. Cadets cleaned the Ravi River in Kathua, Public Parks (Zanana Park), and College premises. About 35 cadets were presented at that time.



Celebration of National Unity Day

31st of October, 2022

NCC Cadets participated in various activities on National Unity Day on 31/10/2022. A relay race and a pledge ceremony were conducted by NCC Cadets.



Felicitation of NCC Cadets

7thof November, 2022

Felicitation of NCC Cadets and Vigilance Awareness Week was celebrated by NCC Cadets of the college on 07/11/2022. Cadets participated both online and offline pledge and performed a street play on the theme of "Corruption Free India" for a developed Nation.



Organisation of Cleanliness Drive

23rd of November, 2022

NCC Cadets conducted cleanliness drive under the Aegis of PUNEET SAGAR ABHIYAN on 23/11/2022. Cadets cleaned the college ground and its surrounding area to promote the awareness among students.



Celebration of NCC Day

29th of November, 2022

NCC Cadets celebrated NCC Day on 29/11/2022. In order to commemorate this day, Cadets visited the OLD AGE HOME in Kathua and distributed clothes and fruits among the inmates of old age home.



Organisation of Cleanliness Drive

6th of December, 2022

NCC Cadets conducted the cleanliness drive under the banner of "My College My Pride "on 06/12/2022. Cadets cleaned the canteen area of the college and spread awareness on cleanliness among the students of the college.



Celebration of National Armed Force Flag Day 7th of December, 2022

NCC Cadets celebrated National Armed Force Flag Day on dated 07/12/2022. Cadets collected the money from college, staff members and their respective families and deposited all the collected money in Zila Sainik Welfare Office Kathua.



Activities of National Services Scheme (NSS) Unit

Organization of Yoga Workshop

14th of May, 2022

One day workshop on **Yoga Demonstration**" was organized by NSS Unit of Govt. Degree College for Women, Kathua on 14-05-2022. On this occasion Sh. Yashpal Khajuria, Yoga expert was welcomed by Prof. Ashwani Khajuria Vice Principal of Govt. Degree College, Women Kathua, He appreciated the efforts of Dr. Arun Dev Singh, NSS Programme officer, Prof. Raj Kumari, NSS Coordinator, Prof. Pallavi for organizing such a wonderful workshop in which all the NSS Volunteers participated with great zeal and enthusiasm. He laid stress on the importance of that Yoga for our health and on day to day routine work. Yoga reduces the tension, stress and work pressure.



Organization of Poster making, Slogan writing and a rally on World No Tobacco Day

31st of May, 2022

Poster making, Slogan Writing and a Rally were organized by NSS unit in collaboration with Cultural Committee of Govt. Degree College for Women, Kathua on 31st May, 2022 to observe World No Tobacco Day. The theme of this year's World No Tobacco Day is **Tobacco: Threat to our environment**. On this event, worthy principal, Dr. Sangeeta Nagari, encouraged the students to spread awareness among the common mass regarding the ill effects of tobacco, the diseases it can cause and the preventive measures. The rally was flagged off by the worthy principal from the college campus to the village Changran.

Organisation of Beti Bachao and Beti Padhao Campaign

Ist of June, 2022

The NSS unit of Govt. Degree College For Women, Kathua today on 1-06-2022 under the **"Beti Bachao and Beti Padhao"** Campaign organized a poster making competition in which 25 Students participated. The programme was organized under the guidance of worthy Principal, Dr. Sangita Nagari. She along with the jury members appreciated the students who were taking part in this event. The students who participated in this event made colorful posters displaying the various themes and aspects on this issue of social concern. Esteemed Principal highlighted the need of the hour to take the education of saving the girl child and educating her, to the doorsteps of those people who still do not have equalized daughters to their sons.



Nukkad Naatak Programme

2nd of June, 2022

NSS Unit of Govt. Degree College for Women Kathua organized a "**Nukkad Naatak**" program under the aegis of Beti Bachao, Beti Padao Campaign on 02.06.2022. The motive to conduct such activity was to spread awareness among the people about the importance of girl child. The main objective of such activities is to discourage Female Foeticide, to ensure the protection and survival of the girl child, encouraging education of the girl child.

Celebration of World Bicycle Day

4th of June, 2022

The NSS and NCC unit of the Government Degree College for Women, Kathua in collaboration with District Youth Services & Sports and Nehru Yuva Kendra - Kathua, today on 04.06.22 observed "*World Bicycle Day*" under the aegis of Azadi Ka Amrut Mahotsav. The event began with garlanding of statue at Shaheed Bhagat Singh Park followed by a Bicycle Rally which was flagged off by the Worthy Deputy Commissioner, Kathua from Sports Stadium to ensure Jan Bhaghidari. The route for the rally was from Sports Stadium Kathua to Keerian Kandyal in which volunteers under the supervision of Dr. Arun Dev Singh, NSS Programme Officer showed active participation. After covering a distance of near about 20 km, the rally was warmly welcomed by Dr. Sangita Nagari, the revered Principal of the College who highly appreciated the volunteers for being a part of "Fit India Freedom Cycle Rally". After that the Slogan writing and

Poster making activities were done by the volunteers based on the theme of adopting cycling as a norm for healthier life



Organization of Rally on Beti Bachao Beti Padhao

9th of June, 2022

The NSS unit and Red- Ribbon Club of Govt. Degree College for women Kathua today on 09-06-2022 under the aegis of "Beti Bachao Beti Padhao" campaign organized a 'Rally' which was flagged off by Dr Sangita Nagari, esteemed Principal of the College. The route of rally was set from College to the adopted village Changran where the volunteers launched a campaign to aware the common masses regarding the importance of educating the girl child. The main motive to conduct such activity was to spread awareness among the people regarding the various schemes launched by center as well as UT and to convey them the importance of girl child and their education for the welfare of the family and the society.



Celebration of International Yoga Day

21st of June, 2022

NSS/RRC Volunteers & NCC Cadets of the College participated actively under the dynamic supervision of Dr. Sangeeta Nagari, worthy Principal of Govt. Degree College for Women, Kathua in the International Yoga Day Celebration in the Sports Stadium Kathua. The programme was organized by Health and Medical Education Department Directorate of Ayush J&K Unit in collaboration with District Administration on 21-06-2022. Sh. Rahul Pandey, worthy Deputy Commissioner, Kathua encouraged and congratulated all the participants in his address. He said that such activity would help people to remove tension related to health issues.



Organization of Rally on the theme of "Har Ghar Jhanda" 18th of July, 2022

A Rally was organized at GDCW Kathua by NSS/RRC Volunteers on the theme of HAR GHAR JHANDA to celebrate Azadi Ka Amrut Mahotsav on 18-07-2022. NSS/RRCC Volunteers of the College participated actively in the rally under the dynamic supervision of Dr. Sangita Nagari, worthy Principal of Govt. Degree College for Women, Kathua. She stressed upon the history and the importance of National Flag.

Celebration of Kargil Vijay Diwas

26th of July, 2022

On 26-07-2022, the "Kargil Vijay Diwas" was celebrated by the NSS, NCC unit and Shikshit Bharat club of the college to commemorate the victory made by the India over Pakistan in the Kargil War in Ladakh in 1999. On this occasion, Prof. Ashwani Khajuria, Associate Professor motivated, inspired and encouraged the volunteers, cadets and students about Soldiers and Officers who made supreme sacrifice for the sake of country during Operation Vijay.

National Flag Distribution Function

12th of August, 2022

Under the aegis of Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav National Flag Distribution function was organized by the NSS/RRC Unit in collaboration with IQAC of the College. About 945 Flags were distributed amongst the students and faculty members. Patriotic feelings were seen among the students while receiving the National Flags.



Organization of Nasha Mukt Bharat Abhiyan

12th of September, 2022

Today on 12th Sept, 2022 a "Nasha Mukt Bharat Abhiyan" Campaign was organized by NSS volunteers and students of Government Degree College for Women Kathua. The campaign was launched under the ablest supervision of Dr Sangita Nagari worthy Principal of the College. On this occasion she addressed the local people, the NSS volunteers and the students regarding the Mission Nasha Mukt Bharat Abhiyan which is dire need for the Indian Society. The younger generation should identify the addicted persons and guide them to get rid of addiction.



Organization of Cleanliness Drive at adopted village

12th of October, 2022

Cleanliness Drive of Water Bodies conducted by NSS Unit of GDC Women Kathua was carried out on 12-10-2022 at adopted village changran under the aegis of Clean India. The entire cleanliness drive was conducted under the able guidance of Dr Sangita Nagari esteemed Principal of the college. The Event was organised by Dr.Arun Dev Singh Programme Officer NSS, Prof. Raj Jamwal Co-odinator and Prof. Pallavi Member NSS unit and NSS volunteers of the College.



Inauguration of Adopted Corner

21st of December, 2022

Adopted Corner of NSS was inaugurated by Dr Sangita Nagari, esteemed Principal of the College in presence of NSS Volunteers, Staff members of the college on 21/12/2022. On this Occasion, the Principal of the College encouraged and appreciated the efforts of NSS volunteers, NSS Programme Officer and NSS Organizing team who consistently supported and guided the volunteers for developing the Corner effortlessly for the last two months.



Organization of Seven Day Long Winter Camp at adopted village Changran

28th of December, 2022 to 3rd of January, 2023

NSS unit Government Degree College for Women ,Kathua started a 7 Day Long "Winter Camp" at adopted village of Changran, Kathua on 28-12-2022, under the aegis of Azadi Ka Amrut Mahotsav and My College My Pride which was inaugurated by Dr. Sangita Nagari, esteemed principal of the College in presence of Sh. Kuldeep Kumar respected Sarpanch of the village , Sh Rohit Kumar Naib Sarpanch , Ward members of the Panchayat Changran , the local People, children, NSS Volunteers and Staff members of the college. On each day NSS volunteers render Community Services to the inhabitants of Village and aware them regarding various schemes of the Govt. In addition to this, awareness rally, door to door campaign, Swachata Awareness and Plantation drive were conducted in the village.



Organisation of Lecture on "EAT HEALTHY, STAY HEALTHY" at adopted village Changran

30th of December, 2022

A Lecture was organized by NSS unit of Government Degree College for women Kathua on the theme of "EAT HEALTHY, STAY HEALTHY" in Changran. On the occasion, Dr Sangita Nagari esteemed Principal of the College was the Chief Guest. The lecture was delivered by Prof. Ashwani Khajuria, Head, Department of Food Science, GDCW,Kathua. The speaker highlighted about the negative effects of consuming excess of preserved, processed and packaged food. He also motivated the NSS volunteers, the local people of the regarding the rights of the consumer.



Cultural, Literary Activities & Awareness Programmes

Pledge against Drugs

In the series of events under Azaadi ka Amrut Mahotsav and as per the directions of the Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, Government Degree College for Women, Kathua organised a Pledge against Drugs. On this occasion, Dr. Sangita Nagari worthy Principal of the college apprised the students about the rampant drug menace in the country and the consequence of the drug addiction. She also stressed upon the need to develop a hobby and spend time in physical activities like sports, fitness to keep oneself stress free and away from drugs addiction. The event was concluded by Pledge against Drugs, which was taken by students and the faculty members of the college. Prof. Shivani Sharma, Convener Psychology and De- addiction Cell, Dr. Surekha Rani, Dr. Varchaskam, Dr. Deepti Salotra were also present at the event.



Celebration of Cyber Jaagrukta (Awareness) Diwas 8th of June, 2022

The Department of Computer Science, Government Degree College for Women, Kathua organized a lecture on "Cyber crime-Types and Reporting" on the occasion of observing Cyber Jaagrukta (Awareness) Diwas on 08-06-2022 under the guidance of Worthy Principal Dr. Sangita Nagari. Pankaj Nandan, Associate Professor in Computer Application from GCW, Kathua was the Resource Person on the occasion. He made the students aware about what is cyber crime, its types, why it is important to know about cybercrime and what is cyber security. He made the students to know what to do and how to file a complaint under cyber crime online in India using National Crime Reporting Portal (NCRP) of India. Prof. Ravinder Kour, Dr. Babita Jamwal, Dr. Naresh Sharma, Dr. Arun Dev Singh, Prof. Barun Kumar Bhatti, Prof. Vijay Kumar and other Faculty Members were also present.



Awareness regarding Road Safety

9th of June, 2022

The Road Safety Club, Government Degree College for Women, Kathua organized "A lecture on Road Safety" on 09 June 2022 under the guidance of esteemed principal Dr. Sangita Nagari. Mr. Satish Khajuria, Assistant Professor in public administration from GCW, Kathua was the resource person on the occasion. He made the students aware about road safety rules, road safety signs and measures to be taken to prevent road accidents. A large number of students attended the lecture and during the interactive sessions. Dr. Deepti Salotra, Dr. Usha Kiran, Prof. Vijay Kumar, Dr. Varchaskam Sharma and Surekha Rani were also present.



Quiz Competition on "The Fundamental Rights and Fundamental Duties

22ndof July, 2022

Govt. Degree College for women, Kathua organized a Quiz Competition on Topic "The Fundamental Rights and Fundamental Duties" on 22nd July, 2022. The guiz was organized by Shikshit Bharat Club in collaboration with IQAC under the guidance of Dr. Sangita Nagari, esteemed Principal of the college. The motive of Shikshit Bharat Club is to provide Quality Education to all and aware students about their rights and duties. The programme was organized to acquaint students about the Fundamental Rights and Fundamental Duties of the Indian Constitution. Ms. Pallavi, HOD, Political Science, was the coordinator of the Programme and also the Nodal Officer of Shikshit Bharat Club. About 50 students from semester 2nd participated in the competition. In the competition, there were four teams, Team A, Team B, Team C and Team D. First position was clinched by Team D namely, Riya, Suchita and Shivani. Second position was secured by Team B, namely, Neha, Vishwa, Bharti. Third Position was shared by Team A namely, Anjali, Palvi and Naina. Mr. Vijay Kumar, Assistant Professor in Sociology, Mr. Satish Khajuria Assistant Professor in Public Administration and Dr. Deepti Salotra Assistant Professor in Home Science also actively participated in this competition. Prizes were also distributed among the winners.

One Day Awareness lecture about the Skill Development Programme in Horticulture under "My College My Pride"

9th of November, 2022

Institution Innovative Cell of Government Degree College for Women, Kathua in collaboration with IQAC organized a One Day Awareness lecture about the "Skill Development Programme in Horticulture" under "My College My Pride" for college students. Dr. Anju Bala, HDO from Horticulture Department, Kathua was the resource person. Esteemed Principal of the college, Dr Sangita Nagari was chief guest on the occasion. She stressed upon the need of new Innovative Ideas to be used in our day to day life. She further, motivated the students to come forward with these ideas and join hands with the IIC of the College which has been established under the guidelines of UGC & Higher Education Department, UT of Jammu & Kashmir. The function began with the welcome address by Dr. Naresh Sharma, Convener Institution Innovative Cell of the College. He briefed about the motive behind the formation of IIC in the College. The resource person Dr. Anju Bala delivered lecture on various techniques on the cultivation of Orchards (from seed to seed lings), motivated students to use

traditional methods of manuring and culturing, use of organic farming and how to generate resources/income through these traditional methods. A total of around 100 students attended the lecture. The occasion was graced by the presence of Mr. Ashwani Khajuria, Dr. Babita Jamwal, Dr. Arun Dev Singh, Prof Som Raj and Dr. Ajay Sanotra. The vote of thanks was presented by Dr. Poonam Sambyal.



Organisation of an exhibition on the Cultural Heritage of Kathua

19th of November, 2022

The Department of History, Yuva Tourism Club in collaboration IQAC of Govt Degree College for Women, Kathua celebrated International Heritage Week "Sada Kathua" on 19-11-2022 in the college. Where the Department of History along with the students and staff members organized an exhibition on the Cultural Heritage of Kathua. Esteemed Principal of the college Dr. Sangita Nagari was the chief guest on the occasion. She addressed the students regarding the importance and value of Indian Culture and Heritage. The World Heritage is also known as International Day for the Monuments sites and is meant to create awareness about the diversity of culture and heritage among the students. The theme of exhibition was 'Sada Kathua', where the culture heritage of Kathua was exhibited by the students of B.A semester I of History Department. They exhibited many articles related to Cultural Heritage of Kathua. The Department of History and Yuva Tourism Club motivated the students to preserves and value their heritage for future generation.

The exhibition was conducted under the supervision of Asstt. Prof. Romika Basin, HOD, History and Prof. Ritu Kumar Sharma, Convener Yuva Tourism Club. The IQAC committee members Ravinder Kour Associate Prof., Dr. Naresh Sharma, Associate Prof. Pankaj Nandan were also present during the occasion.



Quiz Competition on "Constitution Day"

26th of Nov, 2022

"Constitution day" was celebrated in Government Degree College for Women, Kathua on 26th November, 2022 to commemorate the adoption of the Indian Constitution. On this occasion, a pledge was taken on Preamble of the Constitution in which teaching staff, NCC Cadets and other students of the College participated. A Quiz Competition was also organized by Shikshit Bharat Club and Department of Sociology to promote constitutional values among the students, in which various students of the college participated. Prof. Ashwani Khajuria explained that the Indian constitution is not merely legal document; rather it is a steer the nation to realize the dreams and aspiration of the people by accommodating and adapting to the changing needs and realities of the times. He further advised the students to follow the constitutional values and implement them in their life.



Organisation of Two Day Activities under the theme "Only One Earth"

6th of June, 2022

Government Degree College for women organized two day activity under the theme "Only One Earth", a program initiated by Mahatma Gandhi National Council of Rural Education, Dept. of Higher Education, and Government of India. On the first day of the activity, green teams were made for seed collection in and around the campus for initiating campus nursery. Seeds of Aprajita, Thai basil, Aloe Vera, and Curry leaves were sown in nursery by the students which later on will be transplanted to the empty locations of the campus to maintain its greenery. On the second day, wastes like paper waste, plastic waste, organic waste, glass waste, and metal waste were collected across the campus and placed them in separate bins for further use regarding under waste management. The program was overlooked by the esteemed Principal Dr. Sangita Nagari, Dr. Ajay Sanotra, Dr. Deepti Salotra, Prof. Satish Khajuria, and Dr. Usha Kiran.



Celebration of Important Days

Celebration of Independence Day

15th of August, 2022

Government Degree College for Women, Kathua celebrated "**Independence Day**". On the occasion Dr. Sangita Nagari, esteemed Principal of the College Hoisted the Flag. College Staff along with NSS volunteers and NCC Cadets were also present to mark 75 years of Independence.



Celebration of Teacher's Day

5th of September, 2022

Students of Government Degree College for Women, Kathua under the patronage of Dr. Sangita Nagari, Principal and Prof. Shivani Sharma, Convener Student Welfare paid a rich Tribute to the Teachers on the occasion of Teacher's Day. Dr. Deepti Salotra, Assistant Professor in Home Science gave a very descriptive lecture on the Life and Achievements of Dr. S. Radha Kishnan.

The event also had colorful performances by students. The cultural events were coordinated by Dr. Surekha Rani, Assistant Professor in Music. Dr. Sangita Nagari, Principal GDCW, Kathua lauded the efforts made by students and also shared the experience of her student life. The event was attended by all the staff members and large number of students of the college.



Celebration of Gandhi Jayanti Diwas

1st of October, 2022

"Gandhi Jayanti Diwas" was celebrated by the NSS unit in collaboration with cultural committee of Govt. Degree College for Women, Kathua on 1-10-2022. On this occasion, a series of activities were performed by the NSS volunteers of the college. The programme was begun with the welcome address of Dr. Arun Dev Singh, NSS Programme officer. He said that Gandhiji played an important role in bringing many social changes in the society and encouraged the common masses to participate in the movements of Azadi. Dr. Sangita Nagari, worthy principal of the college addressed the students during the occasion and suggested the volunteers to follow the principles of Gandhiji in their life and he can be their role model for rendering the services in the interest of Nation and Society as well. She also congratulated the organizing team members: Ms. Raj Kumari and Dr. Rajni Khajuria who always organize such a wonderful event. It was followed by series of activities subsequently performed during the month by NSS volunteers to pay special tribute to Gandhiji's forthcoming birthday and many of the events were organized such as : screening of Oscar winner 1982 movie" Mahatma Gandhi " on 20-9-2022 , a patriotic song - competition was

organized on 21-9-2022, Book reading activity on "*My experience with Truth* "held on 22-9-2022, seminar on "*Non-Violence as a Weapon in Freedom Struggle of India*" was organized on 24-9-2022. The grace of the event was enhanced by the presence of Prof. Ravinder Kour, Prof Pankaj Nandan, Dr. Babita Jamwal, Dr. Deepti Salotra and Dr. Usha Kiran.



Celebration of National Unity Day 31st of October, 2022



Celebration of Constitution Day 26thof November, 2022



Celebration of NCC Day

29th of November, 2022



Celebration of National Pollution Prevention Day 2nd of December, 2022

The Poster making competition was organized in GDCW Kathua by the Department of Environmental Sciences on "National Pollution Prevention Day". To aware people and industries about environmental pollution and to adopt pollution control measures. It honors those who died in the Bhopal Gas catastrophe on December 2nd and 3rd in 1984. The total of 15 participants participated in the competition, out of which Mariyam Bibi of semester first got first prize, Pragati Sharma got 2nd prize and Hem Lata of sem first got 3rd prize. Competition was judged by Dr.Babita Jamwal (HOD Chemistry) and Dr. Mukesh Kumari (HOD Hindi). Dr. Sangita Nagari, worthy Principal of the college addressed the students and conveyed them regarding conservation practices used for the protection of environment from pollution. The faculty member Prof. Ravinder Kour, Dr. Naresh Sharma was also present during the poster making competition. The whole event was coordinated by Dr. Zahoor Ahmad Mir (Lecturer EVS) and Ms. Radhika Kumari (Lecturer in EVS).



Celebration of National Armed Force Flag Day

7th of December, 2022



Activities of Psychological Cell

Celebration of ShikshakParv Week

5th – 10th of September, 2022

Week-long events were conducted w.e.f. 05-September to 10-September, 2022 at by Student Welfare Committee of Government Degree College for Women, Kathua to commemorate ShikshakParv. Various interesting activities were planned under the guidance of Dr. Sangita Nagari, Principal and Prof. Shivani Sharma, Convener Student Welfare Committee.

On 5th September, 2022, the ShikshakParv events were declared open by Dr. Sangita Nagari, Principal of the college. Dr. Deepti Salotra delivered a descriptive lecture on Life and Achievements of Dr. S. RadhaKrishnan for the students. It was followed by the refreshing and colourful cultural events to celebrate Teacher's day. The cultural events were beautifully coordinated by Dr. Surekha Rani, Assistant Professor in Music.

On 06th September, 2022 a documentary on the life of Indian Mathematician Ramanujan, The Man who knew Infinity, was screened in the college under the supervision of Dr. Vaishno Devi, (CTO) NCC. An impressive exhibition on the role of Teachers in Indian Education System was organized under the guidance of Prof. Raj Kumari on 07th September and a lecture on The Role of Teachers as Envisaged in NEP 2020 was delivered by Dr. Arun Dev Singh on the following day. A book reading event was organized for the students on Friday which was conducted by Dr. Vaishno Devi. Sports activities which included Carrom Board Match and Badminton Match were organized by Mr. Roshan Lal, Physical Training Instructor to conclude the celebration. Certificates were also distributed among the participants.

A formal vote of thanks was presented by Prof. Shivani Sharma, Convener Student Welfare. She expressed her sincere gratitude towards the Principal, staff and the students of the college for their assistance and active participation in every activity.

All the events had an overwhelming response of the students. The events were attended by the staff and large number of the students of the college.



Organisation of an Online Lecture on Stress and Meditation

12th of August, 2022.

Manodarpan, Psychological Counselling and Drug De-addiction Cell organized an online lecture for the faculty and students of different colleges of Jammu division on the topic: "Managing Stress through Meditation: Process and Benefits" on 18th August, 2022 at Google meet platform. The key speaker for the day was Dr. Rajesh Bhatt, Assistant Professor at Doon University, Dehradun, Uttrakhand. He is the National organizational secretary of Bhartiya Counselling Psychology Association.

Dr. Rajesh has been trained as master trainer by SAKSHAM-TISS/NACO/USACS. The whole program was conducted under the guidance and supervision of the Chief patron of the cell, Dr. Sangita Nagari, Principal of the college and Patron Prof. Shivani Sharma, Convener Psychological Counseling and Drug De-addiction Cell Manodarpan and Prof. Eisha Gohil, District coordinator, Kathua, Psychological Counseling Cell, Manodarpan.

Prof. Ravinder Kour, Convener IQAC & members of GCW Kathua, various other faculty members and students of different colleges of Jammu Division attended the lecture.

Dr. Rajesh addressed the students about signs, symptoms, treatment and management of stress and the role of meditation in improving mental health. It was a highly interactive event wherein queries were well responded. The program ended successfully with the support and cooperation of all the members. The vote of thanks was presented by Prof. Shivani Sharma.



Activities under "My College My Pride"

Cleanliness Drive under "My College My Pride" in Botanical Garden by Eco Club Members

Ist of December, 2022



One-Day 'Awareness cum Technical Session about the Cultivation of White button Mushroom on Small to Medium Scale"

2nd of December, 2022



Organization of Poster Making Competition on National Pollution prevention day

3rd of December, 2022



Intra College Badminton Match by Deptt. of Physical Education & Sports under "My College My Pride"

3rd of December, 2022



Street Play on Importance of Cleanliness under "My College My Pride"

5th of December, 2022



Organisation of Cleanliness Drive

6th of December, 2022

NCC Cadets conducted the cleanliness drive under the banner of "My College My Pride "on 06/12/2022. Cadets cleaned the canteen area of the college and spread awareness about cleanliness among the students of the college.



Organization of One Day Yoga workshop for NSS Volunteers under the banner of "My College, My Pride"

7th of December, 2022

Govt. Degree College for Women, Kathua organized a day long Yoga workshop for NSS volunteers under the banner 'My College, My Pride' on 7-12-2022 to understand the immense importance of Yoga in our day-to-day life. The event began with the address of Dr. Sangita Nagari, worthy Principal of the college. In her speech, she elaborated the volunteers about the benefits of yoga in their routine life and the need of healthy mind and body for the progressive nation. She told a nation will progress only when the people native to it is happy and healthy and this can only be achieved by incorporating certain changes in our lifestyle. She further mentioned that by adopting yoga, we can get a good health and a peaceful mind. She encouraged NSS unit to organize such activities in the college and also in the large masses so that Yoga became an essential part Then after, Dr. Arun Dev Singh, NSS program officer of everyone's life. elaborated the volunteers about various Yoga asanas and their benefits. He along with NSS committee members Ms. Raj Kumari, Ms. Pallavi, Dr. Rajni Khajuria and volunteers performed several Yoga asanas at corner adopted by NSS near the Multi Purpose Hall of the College. Volunteers actively performed yoga and many of them were already aware of various asanas and by learning few more, they felt contented and joyful. The grace of the occasion was enhanced by the presence of Prof. Ashwani Khajuria, who always boosts students to take part in such activities. Other faculty members viz. Ms. Ravinder Kour, Dr. Babita Jamwal, Dr. Naresh Sharma, Dr. Poonam Sambyal, Dr. Surekha Rani and Mr. Satish Khajuria were also present during the occasion.



NSS Volunteers of Government Degree College for Women Kathua conducted a Wall Painting Drive under the banner of "My College My Pride"

8th of December, 2022

NSS Volunteers of Government Degree College for Women Kathua conducted a Wall Painting Drive on 8-12-2022 under the banner of "My College, My Pride". The event began with the address of Dr. Sangita Nagari, worthy Principal of the college. In her speech, she elaborated the volunteers about the importance of creativity which they reflected upon different walls in the adopted corner in the college. She also appreciated the profound ideas and thoughts which were reflected in their themes.



Recreation of Eco Park by Eco Angels of GDCW Kathua under the banner of "My College My Pride" 8th of December, 2022

Govt. Degree College for Women, Kathua Organized Activity on "**Recreation** of **Eco Park**" on 8-12-2022 by Eco Angels of GDCW Kathua under the banner of "My College My Pride".

This motivated the students to keep their surroundings green and clean and to imbibe habits and life style for minimum waste generation. Use of Plastic, stones and other waste material to make best out of waste. To develop skills of observation, experimentation, survey, analysis, reasoning needed for conserving environment through activities. The event began with the address of Dr. Sangita Nagari, worthy Principal of the college. In her speech, she elaborated the volunteers about the benefits of Healthy and Clean environment. She encouraged Eco Angels to further organize such activities in the college.



One Day Awareness lecture about the Skill Development Programme in Horticulture under the theme "My College My Pride"

9th of December, 2022

Institution Innovative Cell of Government Degree College for Women, Kathua in collaboration with IQAC organized a One Day Awareness lecture about the Skill Development Programme in Horticulture under "My College My Pride" for college students. Dr. Anju Bala, HDO from Horticulture Department, Kathua was the resource person. Esteemed Principal of the college, Dr Sangita Nagari was chief quest on the occasion. She stressed upon the need of new Innovative Ideas to be used in our day to day life. She further, motivated the students to come forward with these ideas and join hands with the IIC of the College which has been established under the guidelines of UGC & Higher Education Department, UT of Jammu & Kashmir. The function began with the welcome address by Dr. Naresh Sharma, Convener Institution Innovative Cell of the College. He briefed about the motive behind the formation of IIC in the College. The resource person Dr. Anju Bala delivered lecture on various techniques on the cultivation of Orchards (from seed to seedlings), motivated students to use traditional methods of manuring and culturing, use of organic farming and how to generate resources/income through these traditional methods. A total of around 100 students attended the lecture. The occasion was graced by the presence of Mr. Ashwani Khajuria, Dr. Babita Jamwal, Dr. Arun Dev Singh, Prof Som Raj and Dr. A jay Sanotra. The vote of thanks was presented by Dr. Poonam Sambyal.



Kabaddi Match by Deptt. of Physical Education & Sports under "My College My Pride"

10th of December, 2022

A friendly Kabaddi match was organized by the Department of Physical Education and Sports, Government College for Women Kathua under the theme "MY COLLEGE, MY PRIDE" on 10-12-2022 to inculcate the zeal of activeness, interaction and for the physical well-being of the students. The event was organized under the guidance of esteemed Principal Madam of the College Dr. Sangita Nagari and under the supervision of Physical Director of the College Mr. Roshan Lal Sharma. The team A was led by Ms. Rakhi Devi Student of Sem -I and team B was led by Ms. Shakora Begunm student of Sem-I. The match was won by the team A. The trophy was presented to the Winner team by the esteemed Principal in the presence of Ms. Ravinder Kour, Dr. Arun Dev Singh, Dr. Poonam Sambyal, Mr. SomRaj, Mr. Vijay Kumar, Mr. Ritu Raj, Mr. Roshan Lal Sharma, Ms Pallavi, Dr. Ajay Sanotra and Dr. Surekha Rani.

The Principal Madam appreciated the participants for their active participation and also inspired them to involve actively in such physical and co-curricular activities for the better physical and mental well-being.



Organization of Road Safety Awareness Program under the theme "My College My Pride"

10th of December, 2022

NSS Volunteers and Road Safety Club of Government Degree College for Women Kathua organized Road Safety Awareness Program on 10-12-2022 under the banner of "My College My Pride". The event began with the address of Dr. Sangita Nagari, worthy Principal of the college. In her speech, she motivated the NSS volunteers about the road safety rules of Govt. of India and suggested them to carry a massive awareness programs in every nook and corner of the society. Dr. Arun Dev Singh, NSS program officer also spoke on the occasion and suggested the NSS Volunteers to guide younger generation to avoid the use of mobile phones while driving and also guide the common people not to drive after drinking alcohol and follow the traffic rules which could save their precious life.



One Day Awareness lecture about "Eat Healthy, Stay Healthy" under "My College My Pride"

12th of December, 2022

The Department of Food Science & Quality Control and Science Club of Government Degree College for Women, Kathua organized a One Day Awareness lecture about "Eat Healthy Stay Healthy" under the theme "My College My Pride" for college students on 12th Dec, 2022. Prof. Ashwani Khajuria, HOD Department of Food Science & Quality Control was the resource person. Esteemed Principal of the college, Dr Sangita Nagari was the chief guest on the occasion. Speaking on the occasion, she stressed upon the need to be aware of the healthy eating and healthy food practices. The resource person Prof Ashwani Khajuria delivered a lecture on the importance of selecting processed food. He explained the meaning of various technical terms and words being used on the labels of packaged food products being sold in the market. A total of around 150 students attended the lecture. The occasion was graced by the presence of Prof Ravinder Kour, Dr Naresh Sharma, Dr. Babita Jamwal, Dr Poonam Sambyal and Dr. Ajay Sanotra. The proceedings of the program were conducted by Dr. Varchaskam Sharma.



Poetry Recitation Competition under "My College my pride"

13th of December, 2022

The Department of English, Government Degree College for Women, Kathua organized Poetry Recitation Competition under "My college, my pride" on 13th Dec 2022. The programme started with welcome address by Dr. Arun Dev Singh H.O.D English. The students recited poems on diverse themes. The sub-themes were Women empowerment, Feminism and Patriotism. The programme was enriched and helpful in developing their talents and they were given a chance to display their areas of knowledge. Ms. Riya of semester III stood 1st and Ms. Kashish Vashisth of semester III secured 2nd and Muskan thakur of sem I secured 3rd position. The programme was judged by Dr. Babita Jamwal, Prof.Romika Bhasin and Prof. Ravinder Kour. Dr. Sangita Nagari, principal congratulated the winners and encouraged them for their efforts of presenting awakening views on their respective topics.



Book exhibition and free books distribution programme

14th of December, 2022

The Department of Political science and Economics, Government Degree College for Women, Kathua organized Book exhibition and book donation activity which includes books of different subjects. Further activity included information about the interesting facts about Money and Fundamental duties under the aegis of "My college my pride" on 14th dec 2022. The programme started with an interactive session of Dr. Sangita Nagari, Worthy Principal of the college, she interacted with the students who participated in the programme and provided information about the interesting facts of money, demonetization, plastic money, UPI and an awareness regarding Fundamental duties. The event was hosted by Ms. Pallavi (HOD, Department of political science) and Dr. Anupam Manuhar (HOD, Department of Economics).



One-day lecture on the topic "Vocational Courses in ITI" under 'My College My Pride'

15th December, 2022



An Awareness Programme on 'E-Resources of the library' under "My College My Pride"

16th of December, 2022

The Library Department of Government Degree College for Women Kathua organized Awareness Programme on 'E-Resources of the library' under "My College My Pride" and on 16th December 2022. The Programme began with the welcome address by Ms. Anu Radha, Librarian.

Dr. Sangita Nagari, worthy Principal of the college was the Chief Guest. She addressed the students regarding the importance of E-Resources of the library and their uses. She encouraged the students to use E-Resources available on the library website.

Ms. Anu Radha, Librarian shared the library website which was created for the students and faculty members to access various links of important sites like

OPAC(Online Library Catalogue), NLIST, NDL(National Digital Library), Job Sites, Internet Archive, Open access resources, Old question papers, Syllabi etc. She also guided the students how to login and access e-books and ejournals- available on the NLIST with which college is already registered. Through NLIST they can also download articles required by them directly from the publisher's website.

A total no. of 87 students attended the programme. The occasion was also graced by the presence of staff members Prof. Ravinder Kour, Ms. Surekha Rani, Dr. Deepti, Dr. Usha Kiran and all the library staff members.



Intra-College Poster Making Competition on "Cyber Jagrookta"

17th of December, 2022



The GDCW Kathua Team got Second Prize at ToyCathon held at GLDM, Hiranagar 20th of December, 2022



Inauguration of Adopted Corner

21st of December, 2022



Quiz Competition on "Gender Sensitisation"

23rd of December, 2022

A Quiz Competition was organized by Department of Sociology, Government Degree College for Women, Kathua on 23rd December, 2022 under the aegis of "Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsava". This Competition was organized to sensitize students to issues related to gender and equality among all sexes and provides them with the tools and skills to develop and integrate a gendered perspective in work and life. The whole programme was organized under the ablest guidance of Dr. Sangita Nagari, the principal of the college. In the competition, there were four teams, Team A, Team B, Team C and Team D. First position was clinched by Team A namely, Riya, Naina & Shivani. Second position was secured by Team C, namely, Kashish, Prakriti & Reety. Third Position was shared by Team D namely Palvi, Riyanka& Kashish. The Quiz was organized by Prof. Vijay Kumar, HOD, Department of Sociology. Ms. Ambika Rajput, Dr. Anupam Manuhaar, Prof. Pallavi, Dr.Vaishno Devi, Mr. Satish Khajuria, Dr. Deepti Salotra, Dr. Usha Kiran and Ms. Radhika also actively participated in this competition. Prizes were also distributed among the winners.



Inauguration of Seven Day Long Winter Camp at adopted village Changran by NSS Unit

28th of December, 2022

On 28-12-2022, NSS unit Government Degree College for Women ,Kathua started a 7 Day Long Winter Camp at adopted village of Changran, Kathua under the aegis of "Azadi Ka Amrut Mahotsav" and "My College My Pride" which was inaugurated by Dr. Sangita Nagari, Esteemed Principal of the College in presence of Sh. Kuldeep Kumar respected Sarpanch of the village , Sh. Rohit Kumar Naib Sarpanch, Ward members of the Panchayat Changran, the local People , children , NSS Volunteers and Staff members of the college. On this occasion the stationery items and sweets were distributed among the children for developing the feeling of studies. Dr. Arun Dev Singh NSS Programme Officer of the College disclosed with the media that a proper Action Plan of Seven Day Long Winter Camp has been Prepared from Day one to Day seven and each day shall be devoted by the NSS volunteers to render Community Services in the Village and would aware the people regarding various schemes of the Government, awareness rally, door to door campaign and swacchata awareness and Plantation drive are to be conducted in the village so that the people may have much benefits for uplifting their living standards and he also added that NSS organizing team : Prof. Raj Kumari, Dr. Rajni Khajuria and Prof. Pallavi who would support the volunteers to use their talent for guiding the People in the adopted village during the camp.



A Lecture on the theme "EAT HEALTHY, STAY HEALTHY" at adopted village Changran 30thof December, 2022



Organization of an Awareness Programme on "Domestic Violence" in collaboration with SAKHI -One Stop Centre, Kathua

31st of December, 2022

GDC Women, Kathua organized an Awareness Programme on 31-12-2022 regarding "Domestic Violence" in collaboration with SAKHI- One Stop Centre, Kathua. The programme was organized by Dr. Deepti Salotra, Assistant Professor in Home Science under the patronage of Dr. Sangita Nagari, worthy Principal of the college. Dr. Deepti Salotra, Assistant Professor in GDCW Kathua, greeted the participants with warm welcome and highlighted the need to be aware of various women centric laws and regulations and also highlighted the role of modern mechanism and redressal systems for women, who feel any violence at home or at workplace.

During the event, Kumari Anjisha, Central Administrator in SAKHI -One Stop Centre, Kathua, aware the students that Ministry of Women and Child Development (MWCD), Govt. of India has formulated centrally sponsored One Stop Centre scheme, popularly known as SAKHI scheme for setting up one stop centre to provide support and police assistance, legal aid and counseling to women affected by any kind of violence, both in private and public places. She further said that emergency response and medical assistance are being provided free of cost to women and girls who are the victims of the violence. She also inspired the students that girls should come forward in case of any violence or forced issues and know their legal rights too. Pamphlets depicting the scheme details were also distributed among the participants.



Organization of Intra-college Cricket Match under the the "My College My Pride"

31th of December, 2022



Sports Achievements/Activities

- 1. Saloni khajuria student of B.A 3rd sem. participated in north zone Inter-University in archery at Guru Kashi University, Bathinda.
- 2. Vishali Devi student of 5th sem. participated in north zone Inter-University in kabaddi at Bhagat Phool Singh Sonipat, Haryana.
- 3. Vishali Devi student of 5th sem. participated in north zone Inter-University in kabaddi at L.P.U Jalandhar.

Archery Team wins Bronze Medal in Inter-Collegiate Competition.



Monika Devi Student of B.A Sem-1st won Silver medal in District Wrestling Championship.



Organization of Carrom and Badminton Match

10th of September, 2022



Intra-College Badminton Competition under the theme "My College My Pride". 3rd of December, 2022



Organization of Kabaddi Match by Deptt. of Physical Education & Sports under the theme "My College My Pride".

10th of December, 2022



Organization of Cricket Match under the theme "My College My Pride".

31th of December, 2022



² aculty Achievements of the College
 Prof. Ashwani Khajuria, Associate Professor, Department of Food Science & Quality Control Attended One Day "IP Awareness /Training Programme" under National Intellectual Property Awareness Mission organized by Intellectual Property office, India on 25 July 2022. Delivered a Lecture on the theme "EAT HEALTHY, STAY HEALTHY" on 30.12.2022
 Prof. Ravinder Kour, AssociateProfessor, HOD Physics Placement as Associate Professor in Physics. Attended One Week Online National Level Faculty Development Programme on Advanced Computational and Experimental Research in Physics - 2022 from 20.06.2022 to 27.06.2022 organized by Department of Physics, Tamil Nadu. Attended two Days Workshop on NEP in GCW Gandhi Nagar Jammu 27.07.2022 to 28.07.2022. Attended online IP Awareness Training program under NIPAM on July 29, 2022. Participated in online Workshop on "Bridging Science with Technology" organized by Department of Physics by SRM Institute of Science and Technology, Ramapuram Campus Chennai on 02.09.2022. Attended NATIONAL LEVEL FACULTY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME ON ONLINE TEACHING PLATFORM AND TOOLS from October 26 - 30 2022 Organized by Government College for Women Bhagwati Nagar, Jammu. Participated in Professional Development Programme on Implementation of NEP2020 from November 07 and obtained A Grade. Attended online ADOBE Faculty Development Programme on Digital Creativity Skills organized by Central University of Jammu on 14/11/2022. Attended online webinar on 'Registration procedure of copyright in India on 23/11/2022 organized by ASSOCHAM.
 Prof. Pankaj Nandan, Associate Professor, HOD Computer Appl. Organized a lecture on "Cyber Crime-Types and Reporting" on the occasion of observing Cyber Jaagrukta (Awareness) Diwas on 08-06-2022. One Day "IP Awareness /Training Programme" under National Intellectual Property Awareness Mission organized by Intellectual Property office, India on 25 July 2022.

 Dr. Naresh Sharma, Associate Professor, Department of Physics Placement as Associate Professor in Physics Attended One Week Online National Level Faculty Development Programme on Advanced Computational and Experimental Research in Physics - 2022 from 20.06.2022 to 27.06.2022. Attended online IP Awareness Training program under NIPAM on July 29 2022. Acted as resource person on 22/07/2022 for the Two days workshop on the title "Research Innovation and Teachers" Organized by Research and Development Committee and IQAC of the College on 22nd -23rd July 2022. Organized an Intra-Collegiate Online Quiz on celebration of Van Mahotsva on July 6 2022. Participated in online Workshop on "Bridging Science with Technology" organized by Department of Physics SRM Institute of Science and Technology Ramapuram Campus Chennai on 02.09.2022. Attended IGNOU NEP-PDP w.e.f 17.10.2022 to 25.10.2022. Attended the Inaugural event for launch of IICs in NAAC Accrediated GDCs at GDCW Gandhi Nagar on 11/11/2022. Attended online ADOBE Faculty Development Programme on Digital Creativity Skills organized by Central University of Jammu on 14/11/2022. Attended online webinar on 'Registration procedure of copyright in India on 23/11/2022 organized by ASSOCHAM. Attended online orientation workshop of IICs on 07/12/2022.
• Organized awareness lecture on Skill Development Program in
Horticulture on 9-12-2022.
 Horticulture on 9-12-2022. Dr. Babita Jamwal, Assistant Professor, HOD Chemistry Attended one week FDP on" Research Methodology organized by "Amar Sewa Mandal Kamla Nehru Mahavodalaya" Nagpur w.e.f 2nd May 2022 to 7th May 2022. Attended one week FDP on" ICT Tools for Effective Teaching and Learning "organized by Kamla Nehru Mahavidalaya Nagpur w.e.f 23 may 2022 to 28th May 2022. Attended two days National Seminar on "Emerging trends and practices in Environmental Conservation" on 5th and 6th June organized by Raj Rishi Autonomous college Alwar Rajasthan. Attended two day webinar on "Hindi Sahitya aur Sangeet" on 6th and 7th June 2022 organized by Govt. Degree College for Women, Kathua. Attended an online workshop on "Intellectual Property Rights: IPR patents and designs process" on 25th July 2022 organized by NIPAM, New Delhi. Attended two day conference on "NEP" at PSPS Govt. PG College for Women, Gandhinagar Jammu on 26th and 27th July. Attended online lecture on "Managing stress through mediation: Process and benefits" on 18th August 2022 organized by Govt.

 Degree College for Women, Kathua. Attended one day workshop on "SPSS" on 08th sept 2022 organized by Govt. College for Education, Canal Road Jammu. Attended a lecture on Financial Literacy Program organized by GDC, Kishtwar on 10-11- 2022. Attended an AICTE-Adobe FDP on digital creativity skills organized by Central University, Jammu on 14-11-2022. Attended one day workshop on Indian Classical Music organized by SPIC MACAY on 25- 11-2022. Organized one day workshop on Financial Literacy Awareness workshop in collaboration with SBI, Kathua on 24-11-2022. Attended an awareness programme on "Gender sensitization" organized by Home Science Deptt. of the college on 31-12-2022.
 Dr. Arun Dev Singh, Assistant Professor, HOD English Attended National Integration Camp and led entire contingent of Jammu and Kashmir w.e.f 25 -06-2022 to 31-06-2022 held at Kolkata in West Bengal. Attended 5 Day training Programme on "Soft Skills of Life Development" by Rajiv Gandhi National Institute for Youth development Ministry of Sports and Youth Affairs Government of India, at Chandigarh w.e.f 27-10-2022 to 31-10-2022. Attended Pre- Republic Day Camp w.e.f 26-11-2022 to 05-12-2022 and led contingent of three regions Jammu, Kashmir and Ledakh held at Lovely Professional University of Jalandar, Punjab. Published a Research Paper in Multidisciplinary Research Journal Peer- Reviewed and Refereed International Research Journal in Oct, 2022 entitled "Freedom Struggle Movement in Indian History".
 Prof. Romika Bassin, Assistant Professor, HOD History Participated in one day seminar on EDUACATION FOR SUSTAINABILITY on 25.06.2022 organized by International council for Education, Research and Training. Participated in the one-day international webinar on SUSTAINABLE CULTURAL HERITAGE DEVEOPMENT on April 17, 2022 organized by International council for Education, Research and Training. Participated in IP Awareness/ Training program under National Intellectual Property Awareness Mission. On July 25,202, organized by Intellectual Property Office, India. Participated in one week online faculty development program on NEW REFORMS IN HIGHER EDUCATION WITH REFERFERENCE TO NEP2020 organized by council for teacher education foundation, Delhi. Participated in the International level awareness programme on BOLD DONATION organized by Department of Computer Science, Bell institution of hostel management, Sivakasi on 6-12-2022.

 Prof. Raj Kumari, Assistant Professor, Department of Chemistry Attended Refresher course on "Research Methodology" organized by Ramanaujan college w.e.f 22-04-2022 to 6-05-2022. A week FDP on" Green Chemistry and Sustainable development" organized by SRM Institute of" Science and Technology" Ramapuran campus Chennai w.e.f. 16th May 2022 to 21stMay 2022. Attended one week FDP on" Research Methodology organized by "Amar Sewa Mandal Kamla Nehru Mahavodalaya" Nagpur w.e.f 2nd May 2022 to 7thMay 2022. Attended one week FDP on "ICT Tools for Effective Teaching and Learning "organized by Kamla Nehru Mahavidalaya Nagpur w.e.f 23 may 2022 to 28th May 2022. Attended two days National Seminar on "Emerging trends and practices in Environmental Conservation" on 5th and 6th June organized by Raj Rishi Autonomous college Alwar Rajasthan. Attended two days online workshop on "National Intellectual Property awareness mission" on 25th July 2022 organized by RGNIIPM Nagpur Attended a lecture on Financial Literacy Program organized by GDC, Kishtwar on 10-11-2022. Attended an AICTE-Adobe FDP on digital creativity skills organized by Central University, Jammu on 14-11-2022. Organized one day workshop on Financial Literacy Awareness workshop in collaboration with SBI, Kathua on 24-11-2022.
 Prof. Ambika Rajput, Assistant Professor, Department of English Participated in national webinar on "E-skills and research tools: Safe way to make your research more effective organized by students for holistic development of humanity (Shodh) south Tamil Naidu held on 20-04-2022. Participated/attended Shri PS Bawa Annual lecture free India: dream or slogan? Organized by Transparency International Indian online mode on 26 -04-2022. Participated in one day national webinar on "climate change and sustainable Earth" on 22-04- 2022 by Deptt. of Geography GDC Thana mandi, Rajouri. Participated in one day online webinar on "media research writing" organized by Integrated society of media professionals, Lucknow on 3april 2022. Presented an online paper on "women development and empowerment for the betterment of society" in Bodhi International Journal of Research in Humanities, Arts and Science, Chennai,

 Tamil Naidu. May 2022. Member of organizing committee in international seminar of two days on Independence Day and Hindi literature.
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Prof. Shivani Sharma, Assistant Professor, HOD Mathematics
 Attended One Day National Seminar on "NAAC Revised Assessment and Accreditation Framework-An Approach" Organized by the IQAC, Hindu college, University of Delhi on 10th May 2022. Attended One Day "IP Awareness /Training Programme" under National Intellectual Property Awareness Mission organized by Intellectual Property office, India on 25 July 2022 Attended Refresher Course in Applicable mathematics w.e.f. 26 July – 08 Aug. 2022 from TLC Ramanujan College, University of Delhi.
Prof. Som Raj, Assistant Professor, HOD Education
 Attended One Day "IP Awareness /Training Programme" under National Intellectual Property Awareness Mission organized by Intellectual Property office, India on 25 July 2022. Participated One Day workshop on "Role of SPSS in Educational Research" on 7.10.2022.
Dr. Poonam Sambyal, Assistant Professor, Department of Zoology
 Two Week Refresher Course in "Zoology" from TLC Ramanujan College, University of Delhi in collaboration with Gargi College, University of Delhi under PMMMNMTT w.e.f. 25 April 2022 to 09 May 2022. Attended One Day National Seminar on "NAAC Revised Assessment and Accreditation Framework-An Approach" Organized by the IQAC, Hindu college, University of Delhi on 10th May 2022. FDP (07 Days) on "Implementation of National Education Policy 2020 using Innovative Teaching Methods" organized by Department of Commerce, Sri Venkateshwar College and Department of Commerce, Hansraj College in Collaboration with Mahatma Hansraj Faculty Development Centre, Hansraj College, University of Delhi w.e.f. 30 May 2022 to 04 June 2022 One Day "IP Awareness /Training Programme" under National Intellectual Property Awareness Mission organized by Intellectual Property office, India on 25 July 2022
Prof. Barun Kumar Bhatti, Assistant Professor, Department of
 Computer Application Attended One Day "IP Awareness /Training Programme" under National Intellectual Property Awareness Mission organized by Intellectual Property office, India on 25 July 2022.

 Prof. Vijay Kumar, Assistant Professor, HOD Sociology Participated in "Eight Days Faculty Training Program on Digital Skills for Educators w.e.f. 1.07.2022 to 8.07.2022 from Saraswati College of Professional Studies, Ghaziabad. Participated in RUSA Sponsored Two-day National Workshop on "Gender Sensitization Issues: Legal and Cyber Crime Awareness" on Ist& 2nd December, 2022. From Dr. S.R.K. Government Arts College, Yanam. Attended National Level Faculty Development Program on the topic "Indicators of Quality Research" organised by Research Circle of CTPD India and SDRF India on 25th of December, 2022.
 Prof. Ritu Raj, Assistant Professor, Department of Dogri Attended Eight Days National Workshop on Editing and finalization of Principles of mathematical analysis by Walter Rudin in Dogri from 27 June to 05 July 2022 organised by National Translation Mission, Mysore. Attended Eight Days National Workshop (NavlekhakShivir) organised by Kendriya Hindi Nideshalya New Delhi. From 20 Nov. to 27 Nov.2022
 Prof. Pallavi, Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science Attended "Eight Days Faculty Training Program on Digital Skills for Educators" organized from 1st May -8th May, 2022 in association with Council for Teacher Foundation, Delhi- NCR Chapter by Saraswati College of Professional Studies, Ghaziabad. Attended One Day Faculty Development Program on Ethics in Research Publication jointly organized by Grand Academic Portal (GAP)- Balani Infotech & its Exclusive Product Drillbuit Plagiarism Detection Software on 25 th June, 2022. Organized Webinar on "Menstrual Hygiene" in collaboration with Global Hunt Foundation on 03 June, 2022. Attended Online Workshop on "Intellectual Property Rights" in collaboration with Rajiv Gandhi Institute of Intellectual Property Management, Nagpur on 25.07.2022. Attended Two Days Online International Faculty Development Programme on "An Overview on Indian Knowledge System and Intellectual Property Rights" organized by IQAC, Shri Sarada College for Women, Salem-16 on 19th & 20th December. Participated in RUSA Sponsored Two-Day National Workshop on "Gender Sensitization Issues: Legal and Cyber Crime Awareness" held on 1st & 2nd December, 2022 organized by Dr. S.R.K. Government Arts College, Yanam, Pondicherry.

 Dr. Vaishno Devi, Assistant Professor, Department of Dogri Attended RUSA sponsored Two days National workshop on Gender Sensitization Issues: Legal and Cyber Crime Awareness held on 01-12-2022 to 02-12-2022.organised by Dr. SRK Govt. Art College Yanam. Attended two days National Online Faculty Development Program on Plagiarism in Academic Research and Author Identifiers on 11- 04-2022 &12-04-2022. Attended Eight days Training Program (FIP) on 'Digital Skill for Educators 'Sarswati College of Professional studies, Ghaziabad from 01-5-2022 to 08-05-2022 in association with Council for Teacher Foundation Delhi –NCR Chapter. Attended Online Two –Week Interdisciplinary Refresher course in "Advanced Research Methodology " from 22-05-2022 to 05-05- 2022. IP Awareness Training Program under National Intellectual Property Awareness Mission on 25-07-2022. Attended Workshop on" Digital Skills for Educators and E- Content Development " organized by Gurushala& K.R. Mangalam University Gurugram, Harayana, on 29-11-2022. Attended Two days Online International Faculty Development Program on' An Overview on Indian Knowledge system and Intellectual Property Rights' organized by IQAC, Sri Sarada College for Women, (AUTONOMOUS) Salem-16 on 19th & 20th December 2022. Attended One day National Workshop on Research Methodology, organized by Science Club,Govt. Degree College Kathua, collaboration with Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) Govt.Degree College Boys Kathua on 23-01-2023.
 Dr. Rajni Khajuria, Assistant Professor, Department of Chemistry Attended One Day "IP Awareness /Training Programme" under National Intellectual Property Awareness Mission organized by Intellectual Property office, India on 25 July 2022. Invited as an Adjudicator at Presentation Convent Sr. Sec. School, Jammu for an exhibition entitled 'aurora-The Dawn of Creativity' on 22.12.2022.
Dr. Varchaskam Sharma, Assistant Professor, HOD Sanskrit
 Authored two books "Vaishnav Vratodyaapan Pradeepah and Trikaal Sandhya" in May, 2022. Attended the National Workshop on Manuscriptology (Sharda and Brahmi) and Paleography at Department of Sanskrit, University of jammu, Jammu w.e.f. 23.12.2022 to 29.12.2022.

 Dr. Mukesh Kumari, Assistant Professor, HOD Hindi Completed Online Two–Week Refresher course in "HINDI" from 05-19,Nov.2022 and obtained Grade A+ Attended five day online Faculty Development Programme on "Emerging Trends and Challenges in Higher Education and Research" organised by IQAC of Prince Shri Venkateshawara Arts and Science college Gowrivakkam Chennai from 18-22April,2022 Attended Two days Online International Faculty Development Program on' An Overview on Indian Knowledge system and Intellectual Property Rights' organized by IQAC, Sri Sarada College for Women, (AUTONOMOUS) Salem-16 on 19th & 20th December 2022. Participated in one day national webinar on "Climate Changes and Sustainable Earth" on 22April,2022 Organised by Department of Geography GDC Thanamandi. Attended One day national virtual seminar on "Advaita philosophy on Historical texts and contemporaneity" organised by D.A.V College Abohar(Pb)on 5May2022. Attended One day international seminar on the occasion of WHO/UN "World Mental Health Day" on "Make mental health and wellbeing for all a global priority"on Oct10,2022 by ICERT and State medical college district hospital Shahjahanpur U.P Organised Two days national Webinar on the topic"Hindi Sahitya Aur Sangeet:EkParicharcha"on 06-07June,2022 Jointly organised by Dept.of Hindi and Music GDCW Kathua Organised one day programme on the ocassion of Premchandjyanti on the topic "PremchandKeKathasahitya Se Gujarate Hue" on 30July,2022 Attended poetry conference organied by Dogri department of the college in collaboration with academy of Arts Culture and languages.
 Dr. Ajay Sanotra, Assistant Professor, HOD Geography Attended online Two-Week Interdisciplinary Refresher Course in "Advanced Research Methodology" w.e.f. 27.10.2022 to 10.11.2022 from Teaching Learning Centre, Ramanujan College, University of Delhi.
Dr. Surekha Rani, Assistant Professor, HOD Music
 Attended International online seminar on "Indian Rhythm in World Music" Attended One week FDP on the theme New Reforms in Higher Education with Reference to NEP 2020. Completed online Two-Week Interdisciplinary Refresher Course in Advanced Research Methodology. Attended One day International Workshop on Deep-Learning for Beginners Participated in RUSA sponsored Two-Day National Workshop on

 Gender Sensitisation Issues: Legal and Cyber Awareness. Attended two days International FDP on An Overview on Indian Knowledge System and Intellectual Property Right.
 Prof. Satish Khajuria, Assistant Professor, HOD Public
 Administration Delivered a Lecture on Road safety on 02-06-2022. Attended One Day "IP Awareness /Training Programme" under National Intellectual Property Awareness Mission organized by Intellectual Property office, India on 25 July 2022. Attended a Four-week induction/orientation programme under Faculty Development Programme organized by Teaching Learning Center, Ramanujan College, University of New Delhi during 20- 10-2022 to 18-11-2022. Participated in RUSA Sponsored Two-day National Workshop on "Gender Sensitization Issues: Legal and Cyber Crime Awareness" on Ist& 2nd December, 2022. From Dr. S.R.K. Government Arts College, Yanam.
Dr. Deepti Salotra, Assistant Professor in Home Science
 Dr. Deepti Salotra, Assistant Professor in Home Science Paper Publication: Dr. Deepti Salotra "Youth Enterprise: A Review Based Study Regarding Boosting Entrepreneurial Skills Among Youth and Initiatives Taken By Higher Education and Indian Government" in International Journal of Science & Engineering Development Research, An International Open Access Journal, 2022, Vol.7, pp 948-950, ISSN: 2455-2631 Attended one week online National Faculty Development Program on "Research Methodology & Quantitative Data Analysis" from July 24-29, 2022 organized by Human Behavtics Private Limited, Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh. Participated in Intellectual Property Awareness/Training program under National Intellectual Property Awareness Mission on July 25, 2022, organized by Intellectual Property Office, India. Participated one-week online Faculty Development Program on the theme "New Reforms in Higher Education With Reference to NEP 2020" organized from 27-07-2022 to 02-08-2022 in collaboration with Council for Teacher Education Foundation (CTEF). Participated in National Level Online Quiz on "Basics of Research" conducted by Ashirwad Education Center, Ahmedabad, Gujarat on 12-10-2022. Attended a Four-week induction/orientation programme under Faculty Development Programe organized by Teaching Learning Center, Ramanujan College, University of New Delhi during 20- 10-2022 to 18-11-2022. Participated in RUSA Sponsored Two-day National Workshop on "Gender Sensitization Issues: Legal and Cyber Crime Awareness" held on 1st & 2nd December 2022. Participated Two days online International Faculty Development

	Program on "An Overview on Indian Knowledge System and Intellectual Property Rights" organized by IQAC, Sri Sarada College for Women (Autonomous) on 19th & 20th December 2022.
]	Dr. Usha Kiran, Assistant Professor in Bio Technology
	 Completed 4-week Induction programme/ orientation programme. Attended 7-day FDP on new reforms in higher education with reference to NEP 2020. Attended poetry conference organied by Dogri department of the college in collaboration with academy of Arts Culture and languages. Attended international seminar on Co-inter-generational solidarity: "creating a world for all ages" on occasion of international youth day. Participated in Hindi Pakhwada. Attended workshop on digital skills for educators and e-content development.
	• Attended workshop on gender sensitization issue: legal and Cyber
	crime awareness.
	• Attended two-day FDP on "An overview on Indian Knowledge system and intelectual property rights.
	Dr Anupam Manuhaar, Lecturer, Department of ECONOMICS
	 Participated Eight Day Faculty Training Program on DIGITAL SKILLS FOR EDUCATORS in Association with Council for Teacher Education Foundatio, Delhi NCR Chapter. (1st May to 8th May 2022)
6	• Participated National Level Five Days Online Workshop on COMPREHENDING QUALITY ASPECTS IN NAAC ACCREDITION PROCESS Organised by Department of Applied Science & Humanities, Jhulelal Institute of Technology, NAGPUR
	(3rd May to 7th May 2022)
	 Participated National Level One Day ip Awareness / Training program under NATIONAL INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY AWARENESS MISSION Organised by INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY OFFICE, INDIA (25th May 2022)
	• Participated National Level One Day Online Workshop on NEW TRENDS IN RESEARCH METHODOLOGY Organised by
	Department of Electronics and Communication, RKDF UNIVERSITY, BHOPAL (M.P) (26th May 2022)
	 Participated National Level One Day IP Awareness / Training program under NATIONAL INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY AWARENESS MISSION Organized by INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY OFFICE, INDIA (25th July 2022)
	 Participated National Level Two Days Online Program on SERVICES SECTOR IN POST PANDEMIC – CHALLLENGES

	AND OPPRTUNITIES by Department of Business Management
	& IQAC (29th July to 30th July 2022)
	• Participated in RUSA sponsored Two –day National Workshop on
	"Gender Sensitization Issues: Legal and Crime Awareness (1st &
	2nd December 2022).
	Mr. Roshan Lal Sharma, Physical Training Instructor
30	Attended One Day "IP Awareness /Training Programme" under
-	National Intellectual Property Awareness Mission organized by
	Intellectual Property office, India on 25 July 2022.

Media Bytes



NAAC Peer team visits GDCW Kathua Excelsior Correspondent

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Residents facing water scarcity

Excelsior Correspondent

Excelsior Correspondent JAMMU, Aug 24: The resi-dents living in Sector 1 of Pamposh Colony Janipur and some adjoining areas are facing water scarcity. Despite approaching the con-cerned officials, the issue of water scarcity has not been round, adding that fleey have to pay bethy amount to the tankers for getting the water. "We pay water bills regularly and despite that we are not get-ting densking water," the residents stated.

The residents have appealed to the concerned authorities to redress the issue at the earliest so that they have some sigh of relief. We will stop paying the bills if our water scarcity issue is not resolved, the residents warned.

pandemic. He recommended everyone to fight pandemic

Women College Kathua accredited by NAAC



Principal Degree College Kathua, Dr Advisory Sangita Nagari displaying Accreditation Certificate on Wednesday.

Excelsior Correspondent

KATHUA. 31: Aug Government Degree College for Women Kathua has been accred-ited at Grade 'B+' by National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC) for a period of five years from August, 30 with a Cumulative Grade Point Average (CGPA) of 2.62 on a seven point scale, the result of which was declared by NAAC Bengaluru.

Dr.Sangita Nagari, Principal of College congratulated all the teaching, Non-Teaching staff members, students, NSS volunteers, NCC cadets and all other stakeholders for their significant contribution in the process of

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NAAC accreditation of the college. She also appreciated the role of Kour Ravinder IOAC Coordinator, IQAC/NAAC

Steering Committee members, Ashwani Khajuria convener. NAAC Committee, Dr Arun Dev Singh, NSS

Programme Officer, Dr Vaishno Devi

NCC CTO and Roshan Lal Sharma Physical Director of the college.

A staff meeting was also conducted by Dr Sangita Nagari, Principal in which the NAAC Peer team report was opened and discussed with all the staff members along with recommendations for quality augmentation of the college. She motivated the staff and IQAC coordinator to take up necessary steps for implementation of recommendation of the NAAC Peer team in letter and spirit for next cycle and work with dedication and zeal for the overall development of college.

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GDCW Kathua organizes Parent-Teacher meet

Refugee Message Bureau

Brd Jammu, July 23: The Internal Ouality nta Assurance Cell (IQAC) of avs Govt. Degree College for e of Women Kathua organized kar the Parent Teacher Meet on mil 23rd July, 2022 as a step to 0strengthen the bond shil between Parents and the har program was inaugurated feedback for tor mil łav ara me dia ted for she highlighted me

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GDCW Kathua celebrated Van Mahotsav week under "Azadi ka Amrut Mahotsav"

Kathan, July 5 : The participated in the drive and Nandan, Dr Babita Jamwal. He encouraged the student tanded the trees in the and Dr Nareh Sharma and the environment of the Internal Quality Assurance planted the tree Cell (JQAC), NSS, Red College Campus Röbon Club, NCC and Ek Later in the day

Bharat Shresha Bharat Club of Govt. Degree College for Women Kathan Celebrating Van Mahotsav week under "Azadi ka Amrat Mahetsay" from the list of July to the 7th of July 2022 In lies of that a plantation drive was conducted in the campus on 5th July/2022 to instil the value of social responsibility in the students towards safeguarding trees forests and various activities. The NSS Volunteers, NCC Cadets and other students of the college planted the satings and were notivated Earth" was also organized by to plant more and more trees in their respective areas so

that the environment can be saved in future. Prof Ashwani Khajaria (In charge Principal), Prof Ravinder Kout (Coordinator IQAC), Dr Naresh Sharma, Dr. Aran Dev Singh (Programme Officer NSS)

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Dr. Vashne Devi (ANO NCC) winners were selected by the understand the importance of Unit). Mr Roshan Lal Sharma jury members: Prof. Pankaj environment conservation.

Slogan Writing Competition on "Green Earth, clean

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JKAACL Kathua organises multilingual Mushaira

YB News

Kathua, July 18 Jammu and Kashmir Academy of Art. Culture and Languages Sub Office Kathua organized a multi lingual Mushaira at Govt. College for Women, Kathua here today in which over eighteen poets of Kathua district participated in the Mushaira in front of a mammoth gathering of students.

Mrs. Sangeeta Nagari, Principal Govt. College for Women, Kathua was the chief guest on the occasion who got awestruck after witnessing the world class Mushaira by the seasonal poets of Kathua District. She appreciated the way of JKAACL for presenting Mushaira in the college premises. She further shared that, 'Culture is a binding factor that ties people together'. Our culture and tradition is the face of ourself and it's our moral responsibility to preserve it. Such initiatives always take the culture to the next level of preservation of the arts. She further requested JKAACL to come up with such kind of initiatives so that the students get some experience and exposure to art and culture.

At the very outset Sanjeev Gupta SOCA, JKAACL Sub-Office, Kathua dwelt in detail about the journey of Sub-Office Kathua since he took charge. He said that we are trying to do our best in the preservation and promotion of the Art and Culture of the Union Territory of Jammu and Kashmir, Jammu is very rich in terms of performing arts and our motive is to take our culture to every house so that the younger generation gets known by its roots. Today's Mushaira was such an example, he added.

The poets who gave the marvellous poetic performances include Santosh Ria. Diman. Dharamveer, Guru Par, Paramjeet Sharma, Mohd. Showket, Balak Ram, Madan lal Toofan, Sham Lal Khajuria, Kuldeep Kippi, Anu Gupta, Khajoor Singh, Karamdin Chopra, Sunil Dutt, Sham Narayan Mehta, Dr Usha Monga, Tilak Raj Sumbria and Ritu Raj Sharma. The mushaira was ably conducted by the Sahitya Akademi Awardee Sh. Vijay Sharma.

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GY CORRESPONDENT The Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) NSS Red Ribbon Club NCC and Ek Bharat Shristha Bharat Club of rer Comy Kathua in Van Govt. Degree College for Celebrating Celebrating Van Mahotsav week under "Azadi ka Amrut Mahonav" from the 1st of July to the 7th of July 2022 In lieu of that a plan tation drive was conduct-ed in the campus on 5th IQAC] July,2022 to instill the value of social responsi-Singh bility in the students towards safeguarding ves Jorests and various tivities. The NSS participated in the drive and planted the trees in the College Campus. activities. Volunteen, NCC Cadets and other students of the college planted the saplings and were molivaled to plant more and more trees in their respective areas so that the envionment can be saved in uture. Prof. Ashwani Chajuria (In. charge land by IQAC, NSS, RED Khajuria Principal), Prof Ravinder Kour (Coordinato



Nared *Azadi ka Amrul to promote Sharma, Dr. Anun Dev Mahotsav* (Programme environmental Officer NSS), Dr. Valuhno ness. The NSS Volunteers Devi (ANO NCC Unit), Mr Roshan Lal Sharma NCC Cadets and other students participated in the competitions. The winners were selected by the jury members. Prof. Pankaj Nandan, Dr Babita Jamwal and Dr Naresh Sharma. Ms Radhika Later in the day. An Later in the day, Ac Intra-College Poster Making and Slogan Writing Competition on "Green Earth, clean Earth" was also organ-Mehra, Ms Shiwani and Ms Naina Rajput begged first, second and third position respectively in Bion respectively Poster Making Million Mi RIBBON CLUB. NCC and 10.0 EX Bharat Shresha Bharat Competition Shabriam, Mi Neelu Devi Club to celebrate Van Mahotsav week under and Ms Priya Arya third position respective by in the Slogan Writing Competition Ashwarii Khaluria Dir charge Principal) appreciated the students & facul the He exharted upor content contervation. He ncouraged the student to participate in such type so that more awar Kou

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function.

GDCW Kathua celebrated International Day against Drug Abuse and Illicit Trafficking

GY CORRESPONDENT KATHUA, JUN 28

The Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC), NSS, Red Ribbon Club, NCC and Ek Bharat Shrestha Bharat Club of Govt. Degree College for Women Kathua celebrated the "International Day against Drug Abuse and Illicit Trafficking" on 28th June, 2022. An awareness lecture was organized on this occasion. Dr A.K. Gupta from Gupta Hospital and Research Centre was the resource person. Dr She reiterated that the students can Sangita Nagari.

Principal of the college,was the chief quest of the occasion. The program was inaugurated by lighting of lamp by the chief guest, Resource person and faculty members. It was followed by welcome speech by Dr Sangita Nagari, Principal of the college. In her speech, she highlighted the need to create awareness about the drug menace in the society. She motivated the students to adopt healthy life style and refrain from drugs. Esteemed play a pivotal role in creating

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awareness about drug-deaddiction in the society. She emphasised upon the need to raise mass aware ness against the drugs abuse and its ill effects.

Further, on this occasion, Dr A.K.Gupta Resource Person talked in detail about the ill effects of use of drugs. He briefed that the Drug menace is one of the major challenges in the society. It not only ruins the abuser but also the family and the whole society. It can be eradicated only through awareness and prevention, and our fight is with the drug menace, not with the addicted persons. He appealed each and every one to join hands in the fight against the drug menace. He exhorted upon the need to

rise against drug abuse and enhance cooperation to achieve a drug-free society. The proceedings of the program were conducted by Dr. Arun Dev Singh. Prof Ravinder Kour, IOAC Coordinator, presented the vote of thanks, Dr. Naresh Sharma, Prof Shivani Sharma, Prof. Som Ra Prof Barun Kumar Bhatti and Mi Roshan Lal Sharma (PTI) were also present in the function.

KATHUA, JUN 22: The Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) of Govt. Degree College for Women Kathua organized the 1st Alumni Meet on21st June, 2022 as a step to strengthen the bond between Alumni and the college fraternity. The process of Alumni Meet had already started with the formal registration of alumni students. Dr Sangita Nagari, Esteemed Principal of the college was the chief guest of the occasion. The program was inaugurated by lighting of lamp by the chief guest and faculty members. It was followed by welcome speech by Dr Sangita Nagari, Principal of the college. In her speech, she highlighted the achieve-

ments of the college and role of Alumni in development of the Institution. She motivated the students to work hard to achieve their goals and provide their feedback for the development of the college. She reiterated that the Alumni are the backbone of the Institution and this interaction shall help to pave the way for various developmental programmes. The Alumni shared their experiences and interesting moments of campus life as well as their valuable feedback for augmentation of quality culture in teachinglearning process in the college. Further, on this occasion, the Alumni also elected their representatives and Alumni formed an Association of the College.

Ms Mona Andotra was elec ed as the President, M Skilva Mahotra as Vice President, Ms Megh Sharma as Convener of th Association. Ms Megha, wa elected as General Secretar Prof Anu Devi as Adviso and Ms Alka Kundal a Treasurer of the Association The proceedings of the program were conducted by D Arun Dev Singh under th supervision of Prof Ashwar Khajuria and Prof Ravinde Kour IQAC Coordinato who also presented vote of thanks. Prof Panka Nandan, Dr. Naresh Sharma Prof Shivani Sharma, Pro Som Rai, Prof Barun Kuma Bhatti, Prof . Vaishno Dev and Mr Roshan Lal Sharm (PTI) were als present in th Meet

GDC Women Kathua organizes its first Alumni Mee



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कठुआ-- जम्मू-कश्मीर डिजिटल वीक सेलिब्रेशन-20225 के तत्वावधान में अडिजिटल इंडियाअ पर एक प्रश्नोत्तरी प्रतियोगिता का आयोजन किया। प्रश्नोत्तरी का आयोजन डॉ संगीता नागरी के मार्गदर्शन में किया गया। कॉलेज। प्रश्नोत्तरी का उद्देश्य छात्रों को डिजिटल इंडिया कार्यक्रम और

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