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#### **E-Waste Awareness Drive**

The DLLE Department, in collaboration with the Nature and Hiking Club, conducted a timely awareness drive focused on e-waste management on September 2nd, 2024. Led by resource person Ms. Mary Mukherjee, the initiative drew 89 students who engaged in learning about the critical environmental and health hazards posed by electronic waste. The session proved effective as participants gained comprehensive insights into e-waste management and its broader implications for environmental sustainability.



The Extra Curricular Activities Committee organized a Teacher's Day Celebration on 5th September, 2024. The event aimed to honor and appreciate the contributions of teachers to education, featuring a chat stall set up for all teaching and non-teaching staff. A total of 82 staff members participated in the celebration. The event successfully made teachers feel valued and acknowledged for their hard work and dedication to students' lives, aligning with Sustainable Development Goal 8: Decent Work and Economic Growth.





#### **Guest lecture on REBT**

The Psychology Department hosted an insightful REBT Guest Lecture on September 5th, 2024, featuring Ms. Hardika Zaveri as the guest speaker. The session drew 42 TYBA psychology students who gathered to explore the fundamentals of Rational Emotive Behaviour Therapy. The interactive lecture succeeded in its objective of introducing students to this therapeutic approach, with participants showing remarkable enthusiasm and engagement throughout the session. The students' positive response and active participation demonstrated the lecture's effectiveness in making complex psychological concepts accessible and interesting, while providing them with valuable insights into practical therapeutic techniques.

#### **Building a Professional Network**

The Training and Placement Cell ce organized a workshop titled "Building a Professional Network" on Friday, 13th September 2024. The event aimed to equip students with skills necessary to connect with industry leaders and understand the importance of networking for career advancement. A total of 75 students interested in placement and internship opportunities participated in the session, which was conducted by Mr. Syed Jafri, Director of FPA Edutech. The workshop successfully familiarized students with online networking tools like LinkedIn and taught them how to leverage these platforms for career opportunities, aligning with Sustainable Development Goal 4: Quality Education.



#### **Pedagogical Leadership**



The Staff Academy conducted a session on "Pedagogical Leadership" on Friday, 13th September 2024. The program aimed to equip degree college teaching staff with skills to lead pedagogical practices and emphasize the role of effective leadership in enhancing student engagement and achievement. Dr. Jayshree Inbraj facilitated the session, which was attended by 27 participants. The workshop focused on innovative pedagogical strategies that can be applied in classrooms to promote better learning outcomes and student involvement.



# Film Screening - Not Today based on suicide prevention

The BAMMC Department hosted a cultural event on Wednesday, 19th September 2024, featuring a special screening of the film Not Today, which focuses on suicide prevention. The session included a Q&A with the writer and director, Mr. Aditya Kripalani, and Ms. Anuradha Pandey, the chief assistant director. A total of 68 FY, SY, and TYBAMMC students attended. The screening, followed by discussions on the script, screenplay, and technical aspects, provided students with a valuable learning experience and insightful interactions.



## "Start up Shenanigans 2024-25"

The Entrepreneurship Cell hosted "Start up Shenanigans 2024-25" on September 14th, 2024, bringing together aspiring entrepreneurs and established alumni. The event featured distinguished alumni speakers Mr. Harsh Vakil, Mr. Jevin Patel, and Mr. Dhvanil Shah, who shared their insights with 33 E-Cell members and 8 committee members. This dynamic session provided a platform for students to develop networking opportunities, showcase emerging startups, and cultivate innovative business ideas. The initiative aligned with SDG 9, focusing on Industry, Innovation & Infrastructure, fostering an entrepreneurial mindset among participants.

# Career Guidance Seminar on Graphics and Animation



The BAMMC Department conducted a Career Guidance Seminar on Wednesday, 21st September 2024, the seminar focused on career prospects in graphic designing and animation. Sumeet Srivastava, the Centre Manager of Arena Animations, served as the resource person. The event was attended by 110 FY, SY, and TYBAMMC students, providing valuable insights into opportunities in the graphic design and animation industries.



#### **BANKING YARD 2024 - 25**

The Department of BBI atorganized BANKING YARD 2024-25 Inter-Departmental Festival on 27th and 28th September, 2024. The event, featuring activities like "Your insurance is your assurance," La Liga, and Cric Bazaar, aimed to help students develop organizational and managerial skills while providing a platform for various academic and co-curricular activities. A total of 35 students from all programs participated in the festival. The events successfully provided students with opportunities to explore their talents and develop skills through competitive and activity-based learning



#### Introduction to Securities Markets and Financial Wellness

On September 23rd, 2024, the B.Com (Financial Markets) department organized a guest lecture on "Introduction to Securities Markets and Financial Wellness." This event aimed to educate 50 students about investing in securities markets and managing personal finances. Dr. Hiral Trivedi Pathak served as the resource person for this session. The students found the lecture beneficial, as it clarified their doubts about the commodity derivative market. The interactive Q&A session allowed for further clarification and understanding. The lecture aligns with SDG 4 (Quality Education) by promoting financial literacy and empowering students to make informed investment decisions.

## **BFM Technical Analysis Quiz**

The B.Com (Financial Markets) Department conducted the BFM Technical Analysis Quiz on Thursday, 26th September 2024. The session, led by Ms. Bhavya Nair, aimed to teach students how to interpret technical analysis charts, identify trends and patterns, and predict stock market behavior effectively. Eleven TYBFM students participated in the activity, which provided valuable insights into demystifying the stock market and enhancing analytical skills. The session was well-received, enabling students to recognize key market indicators, aligning with Sustainable Development Goal 4: Quality Education.



# **Suicide Prevention Workshop**

The Psychology Department organized a vital workshop on Suicide Prevention on September 30th, 2024, led by Ms. Kavya Shah and Ms. Zeel Shah from Sisters Living Works. The comprehensive session covered crucial aspects including suicide terminology, causes, myths and facts, warning signs, and effective communication strategies for helping at-risk individuals. Drawing 42 students, the workshop proved enlightening as participants gained valuable insights into recognizing and responding to suicide warning signs. This important mental health initiative supported SDG 3: Good Health and Well Being, contributing to broader efforts in promoting mental health awareness and suicide prevention among young adults.



## Documentary Screening of Mica: Beauty's Ugly Little Secret

In a thought-provoking initiative, the Sociology Department screened "Mica:Beauty's Ugly Little Secret," a documentary exploring child miners in India, on September 28th, 2024. The screening, which drew 31 degree college students, delved into complex relationships between developed and developing nations, examining factors contributing to child labor such as economic disparities and globalization. Through guided discussions, students gained valuable perspectives on social inequality, structural causes of child labor, and the ethical implications of consumer choices on vulnerable communities. This educational screening aligned with SDG 10: Reduced Inequalities, fostering critical awareness of global socio-economic disparities and their impacts.

# Parent Teacher Meeting -Sociology\_\_\_\_

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The Sociology Department organized a Parent-Teacher Meet on 28th September 2024. The objective was to update parents of FYBA Sociology students on their ward's attendance and academic performance. The meeting saw participation from 46 individuals and served to strengthen communication between teachers and parents. This initiative supported Sustainable Development Goal (SDG) 4: Quality Education by fostering collaboration for better student outcomes.

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#### Parent Teacher Meeting - BBI

The BBI Department conducted a comprehensive Parents Teacher meeting for FYBBI students on September 30th, 2024, bringing together 56 students, 42 parents, and 2 teachers. This strategic interaction focused on addressing student attendance patterns and academic performance. During the session, parents received detailed information about attendance mandates and were introduced to digital monitoring tools through the college app. The meeting encompassed both broad communications and personalized discussions, particularly with parents of students showing lower attendance rates.

#### **Book Exhibition On the occasion** of the 155th birth anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi

On Tuesday, October 1st, 2024, the Library Department organized a book exhibition featuring a rare book on the life of Mahatma Gandhi. This event commemorated the 155th birth anniversary of the Father of India. The exhibition aimed to raise awareness about Gandhiji's life and his significant contributions to India's independence. Dr. Parita Desai served as the resource person, guiding visitors through the exhibition. The event attracted 62 participants, including students and staff. By showcasing the rare book, the exhibition encouraged participants to delve deeper into Gandhiji's legacy and consider following his path of non-violence and social justice.



#### Garba Day



On October 11th, 2024, the college organized a vibrant Garba Day celebration at Upvan. This event provided an opportunity for over 800 students from both Aided and SFC sections to come together and celebrate Navratri through traditional dance. The event aimed to foster a sense of community and cultural appreciation among the students. The students enthusiastically participated in the Garba dance, enjoying the festive atmosphere and bonding with their peers.



#### How to Set an Ideal Question Paper and Use of Bloom's Taxonomy in Setting Question Paper

The Staff Academy organized a session titled "How to Set an Ideal Question Paper and Use of Bloom Taxonomy in Setting Question Paper" on 18th October 2024. The objective was to help participants understand the assessment framework and apply Bloom's Taxonomy effectively. The session was conducted by Dr. Sunayana Kadle and attended by 40 teaching and visiting staff members. The key takeaway was learning to frame question papers aligned with Bloom's Taxonomy to enhance the quality of education, contributing to Sustainable Development Goal (SDG) 4: Quality Education.



#### World Mental Health day- Mental health Awareness Campaign and Talk on "Gender and Mental health: Exploring the interactions"

On October 16th, 2024, the Psychology Department commemorated World Mental Health Day with an impactful awareness campaign and a talk which was organized in collaboration with Internal Committee and Women's Development Cell titled "Gender and Mental Health: Exploring the Interactions." Led by Adv Kamayani Bali Mahabal, the session engaged 42 college students in exploring the intricate relationship between gender and mental health concerns. The program had multiple objectives: empowering students as mental health advocates in society, providing recognition for their awareness initiatives, and deepening their understanding of how gender influences mental health issues.

#### Vachan Prerna Divas on Occasion of Former President Dr. APJ Abdul Kalam's Birth Anniversary



The Library Department celebrated Vachan Prerna Divas on Tuesday, 15th October 2024, to mark Dr. APJ Abdul Kalam's birth anniversary. A book exhibition was organized with the objective of fostering reading habits among students. Dr. Parita Desai facilitated the event, which was attended by 36 participants, including students and staff. The exhibition inspired attendees to explore and engage with a variety of books, promoting a culture of reading within the institution.



#### **Seed Ball making**

The Nature and Hiking Club (Green Club) held an innovative Environment Sustainability Seed Ball Making Session on October 19th, 2024, bringing together 57 students from various programs. During this hands-on workshop, participants engaged in practical seed ball making activities while learning about climate change and sustainable living practices. The initiative provided an experiential learning platform that successfully raised awareness about environmental sustainability through activity-based learning. This creative approach to environmental education aligned with SDG 13: Climate Change, fostering a deeper understanding of sustainability practices through direct participation.



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#### Film Screening -Exploring Family Dynamics

On October 19th, 2024, the Sociology Department facilitated an engaging film screening focused on family dynamics, attracting 46 degree college students. The session aimed to examine complex family relationships through cinematic storytelling, exploring generational conflicts, societal expectations, and the significance of love and support within family units. Through postscreening discussions, participants gained deeper insights into sociological concepts such as family structure, cultural norms, and evolving roles. The film served as a powerful catalyst for understanding how family dynamics intersect with broader societal structures, supporting SDG 4: Quality Education by fostering critical thinking about social institutions.

#### **Parent Teacher Meeting**

On Saturday, October 19th, 2024, the BSc IT department organized a "Parent-Teacher Meeting" for students with attendance defaults. The meeting aimed to inform parents about the college's attendance policies and emphasize the importance of regular attendance. The meeting was attended by 15 parents and 15 students across all three years. As a result of the meeting, parents gained a better understanding of the college's attendance rules and signed an undertaking to ensure their children's improved attendance in upcoming semesters. This initiative aligns with SDG 4: Quality Education by promoting regular attendance and academic engagement.



#### **First Year Parents Teachers Meeting**

On Tuesday, October 22nd, 2024, the Department of B.Com (Management Studies) organized a "First Year Parents-Teachers Meeting." This meeting aimed to strengthen the collaboration between parents and teachers, promoting the academic and personal development of first-year students. 30 parents of FYBMS students attended the meeting. As a result of the meeting, parents and teachers established a stronger communication channel, fostering a partnership that will benefit the students' success and well-being.



#### Guest Lecture on Capital Markets and Role of SEBI

On October 22nd, 2024, the Department of B.Com (Accounting & Finance) organized a guest session on "Capital Market & Role of SEBI," featuring Mr. Pankaj Bhageria, Senior AGM from SEBI, Mumbai as the resource person. The session attracted 115 students and was designed with dual objectives: to help participants understand the capital market's functioning and to gain insights into SEBI's regulatory role. Through this educational initiative, students gained valuable knowledge about the capital market ecosystem and SEBI's significance in maintaining market integrity. The session aligned with SDG 4: Quality Education, providing students with practical insights into financial market operations and regulatory frameworks, essential knowledge for their academic and professional development in the field of finance.

## The 58th A.D. Shroff Memorial Elocution Competition



The Department of B.Com (Accounting & Finance) at organized the 58th A.D. Shroff Memorial Elocution Competition on Friday, 25th October 2024. The event aimed to encourage students to think critically and speak on economics-related topics while showcasing their speaking abilities. A total of 70 students participated, guided by resource persons Dr. Shreya Mathur, Ms. Dipti Dhanda, and Ms. Jagruti Parab. The activity promoted competitive spirit, confidence, and critical thinking.



#### **Constitutional Day**

The Constitution Day celebration on 26th November 2024, organized by the Department of Commerce – Business Law, included a PPT presentation, pledge-taking ceremony, and an online quiz. The activities aimed to educate students on the Indian Constitution's history, principles, and values such as justice, liberty, equality, and fraternity. They also emphasized responsible citizenship, national integrity, and the importance of fundamental rights and duties. Students actively engaged in these activities, enhancing their knowledge, fostering curiosity, and deepening their respect for the Constitution.



#### **First Term Training Programme**

On Saturday, October 26th, 2024, the Department of Lifelong Learning & Extension organized the "First Term Training Program." This program aimed to equip 246 degree college students with essential skills in leadership, community engagement, and project management, while fostering a sense of social responsibility. Dr. Shrima Banerjee served as the resource person, guiding the students through various training modules. The program provided participants with practical knowledge, enhanced their skills, offered networking opportunities, and deepened their understanding of community service and its impact. This initiative aligns with SDG 4: Quality Education by promoting skill development and empowering students to become active contributors to society.



The BAMMC Department organized an Alumni Meet on Wednesday, 23rd November 2024. The event aimed to foster career-oriented interactions between alumni and current students of the department. Attended by 46 alumni, the meet facilitated networking opportunities, enabling participants to exchange insights and better understand market dynamics.



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