

Criterion 5

Supporting Document for metric 5.1.3

Capacity building and skills enhancement initiatives taken by the institution on the following

1. Soft skills.
2. Language and communication skills.
3. Life skills (Yoga, physical fitness, health and hygiene).
4. ICT/computing skill.

THE CHOREOGRAPHY SOCIETY, ST. STEPHEN'S COLLEGE

AAJA NACHLE 22 - Informal Dance Session


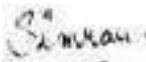
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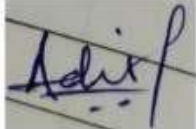
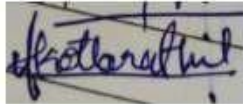

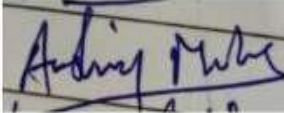

On a fine Saturday afternoon, Stephenians had a superb time when, after a long break, everyone danced their hearts out! *Aaja Nachle*, the Informal Dance Session was held on September 17th, 2022 and saw a great turnout of a huge audience. This was the first event of the Choreography Society for this academic year. The event was held in the Junior Common Room from 2-4pm. From Dance, Games, DJ to registered and on-spot participants, *Aaja Nachle* had it all!





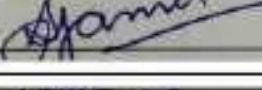
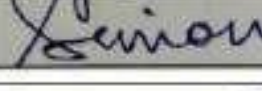


The hosts of the afternoon were two of our council members - Antara and Rishika. The total registered participants were 9. Keeping the informal element intact, the stage was open to everyone who wished to dance including the 7 registered and 2 on the spot participants. An engaging game, Hookup Step, was organized in between the performances, where the audience actively participated and had a lot of fun. Finally the finale was done by our very own council.

Everyone stayed till the end and danced together. Refreshments were given at the end and on a whole it was a fabulous day and a magnificent start to the academic year.

Participants List

Sl. No.	Name of the Participants	Course	Signature
CATEGORY: SOLO			
1	Akash	BA. Programme III	
2	Simran	BA (H) Chemistry II	

3	Sivapriya	BA (H) History III	
CATEGORY: DUET			
1	Aditi	BA Programme II	
	Khushi	BA Programme III	
CATEGORY: GROUP			
1	Aditi	BA Programme II	
	Aleena	BA Programme II	
	Anahita	BA Programme II	
	Aushim	BA Programme II	
	Irene	BA Programme II	

	Ishaan	BA Programme II	
	Mimansa	BA Programme II	
	Sasha	BA Programme II	
2	Nandini	B.Sc (H) Mathematics II	
	Sharon	B.Sc (H) Mathematics II	
	Simone	B.Sc (H) Mathematics II	
	Seumya	B.Sc (H) Mathematics II	
	Vanshika	B.Sc (H) Mathematics II	



THE CHOREOGRAPHY SOCIETY, ST. STEPHEN'S COLLEGE.

SCAL WORKSHOP

Event Report

The Choreography Society organized a workshop on 11th April 2023, for the members of a 3 month youth exchange program of SCAL. The members are the SCAL interns from neighboring countries residing in our college. The event started at around 2:30pm in the JCR. The SCAL members danced to the song-Rock n kuthu. It was a 2 hour workshop. The event introduced them to a great new experience and they asked the choreosoc for more such workshops.

The event was conducted in the presence of staff advisor, Rajni Gupta and the hosts were Tess, Winnariya and Alswarya from second year physics. It was a successful launch for the society as the event was appreciated by many.





THE CHOREOGRAPHY SOCIETY, ST. STEPHEN'S COLLEGE

NAAC PERFORMANCES

Event Report

The Choreography Society performed during the NAAC visit to college on 9th and 10th February '23. The event introduced the audience to the different verticals of the society. Four different dance teams - Western, Indian, Inception, Stereo respectively performed on the day. The event started around 4:15pm by the hosts giving an introduction about the event. The day ended with all of the members of the society dancing to the songs.

Inception, an external contemporary team performed *Dandelions* and *Ranjhana* led by Kanupriya Samson. STEREO, the external Western team danced to *Saada Haq* and *Love the Way you lie* which was headed by Harshita Gupta. Both the teams decked up gracefully and mesmerized the audience their performance.

As the event was appreciated by many, the A++ in NAAC accreditation process has elated every Stephanian with joy.

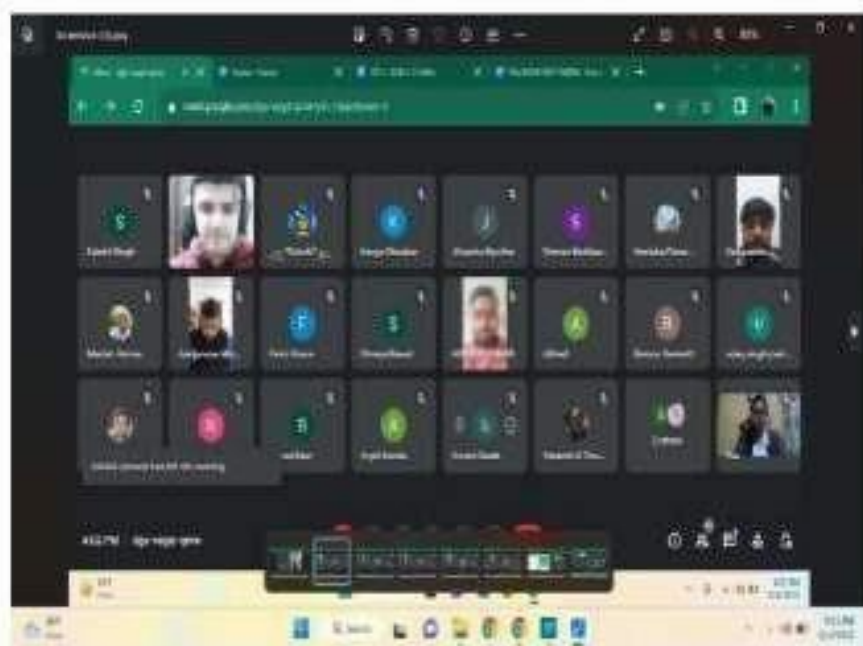


STEREO PARTICIPANTS

1.	Akash Papatla (3rd BAP)
2.	Antara Zaima (3rd History)
3.	Diya Susan (2nd BAP)
4.	Harshita Gupta (3rd History)
5.	Rishika Thomas (2nd BScP Chem)
6.	Susanna Daniel (3rd History)

INCEPTION PARTICIPANTS

1.	Kanupriya (3 rd BAP)
2.	Risa (2 nd Chem)
3.	Anisha (3 rd Philosophy)
4.	Evelyn (2 nd Chem)
5.	Anna (2 nd BAP)
6.	Helen (3 rd Math)
7.	Christeena (3 rd Math)





WHAT MAKES US ECONOMICALLY UNEQUAL?

A multidimensional analysis behind the causes of income inequality

by

Arz Taneja & Sakshi Singh

Analysing Health Insurance Awareness, Coverage, and Out-of-pocket Expenditures in Delhi

Asad Malik¹

Muskaan Saxena²

Krishti Das³

^{1,2,3} Dept. of Economics, St. Stephen's College

15th April 2023

Society Activity Report 2022-23

The Electronics Society

Theft Detection system Session

Date: 26 Nov 2022

Resource person(s): Anupam Chauhan, Vishwanath Mali

Venue: NPLT

No. of participants: 20

Event Description:

We began the session with the basics of electronics and taught them to set up the Arduino IDE and its coding. We also briefed about other microcontrollers. With this we proceeded with our first project - The Theft Detection system. We had also planned fun games like laser limbo and laser tag for them. At the end of the workshop, we introduced them to Tinker cad to try simulating circuits.

Pictures from the session:



Society Activity Report 2022-23

The Electronics Society

Introduction to Ultrasonic Sensor

Date: 3 Dec 2022

Resource person(s): Anupam Chauhan, Mani Gupta

Venue: NPLT

No. of participants: **15**

Event Description:

In this session we covered the ultrasonic sensor. We started with basics like giving a trigger at a pin and getting its echo at another, timeout and explained the beep of buzzers and how it measures the distance of objects. This was followed by a short session on C++ coding.



Society Activity Report 2022-23

The Electronics Society

Introductory session on PID Control

Date: 4 Feb 2023

Resource person(s): Aarya Diwan

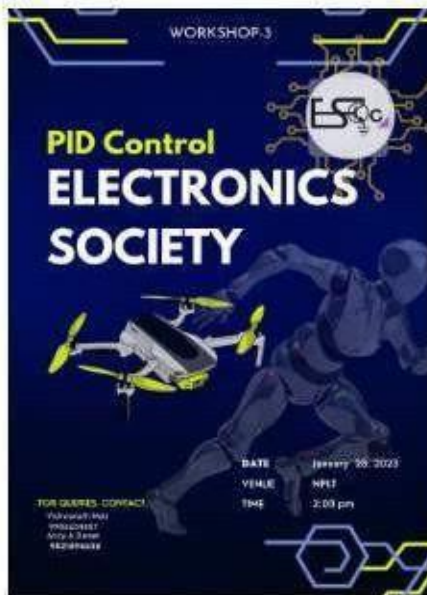
Venue: Online, Google meet

No. of participants: 37

Event Description:

A very interactive session on PID (proportional interactive derivative) control theory was taken. Detailed explanation on how the proportional term measures current error, integral term accounts for past values for error and accumulates it and the derivative term calculates output and anticipates future error was given. A step by step guide to creating an optimal model was suggested, followed by solving a problem statement for a better understanding of the controller. workaround practical constraints. A Python simulation on PID control was shared to learn by adjusting the gain values and to see the system response

Poster for the session:



Society Activity Report 2022-23

The Electronics Society

ESP32 (EVM-1)

Date: 21 Feb 2023

Resource person(s): Anupam Chauhan, Mani Gupta, Nishidha Nidhi

Venue: NPLT

No. of participants: 25

Event Description:

We introduced a new microcontroller ESP 32 which would be widely used hereafter in EVMs. Starting with the explanation of its pin structure, they learned its connections. This was followed by teaching to install the libraries for esp32 and in the end debugging errors.

Reading Club Session

Date: 26th January 2023

Resource Person(s):

No. of participants: 9

Brief description of the event:

The Reading Club organised a session where two short stories by Anton Chekhov, The Bet and Gooseberries, were read and discussed.



Reading Club Session

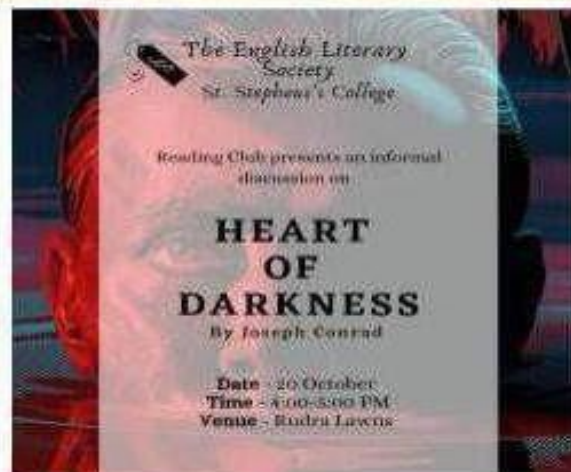
Date: 20th October 2022

Resource person(s): Vaibhav Dwivedi

No. of participants: 9

Brief description of the event:

The Reading Club, a new initiative from the English Literary Society, held its first session moderated by Mr. Vaibhav Dwivedi, a professor in the Department of English. The session was on Joseph Conrad's *Heart of Darkness*, followed by a discussion.



Names of Participants

1. Inderpal
2. Muthara Khan
3. S M Khalid
4. Vidhi Gupta

Reading Club Session

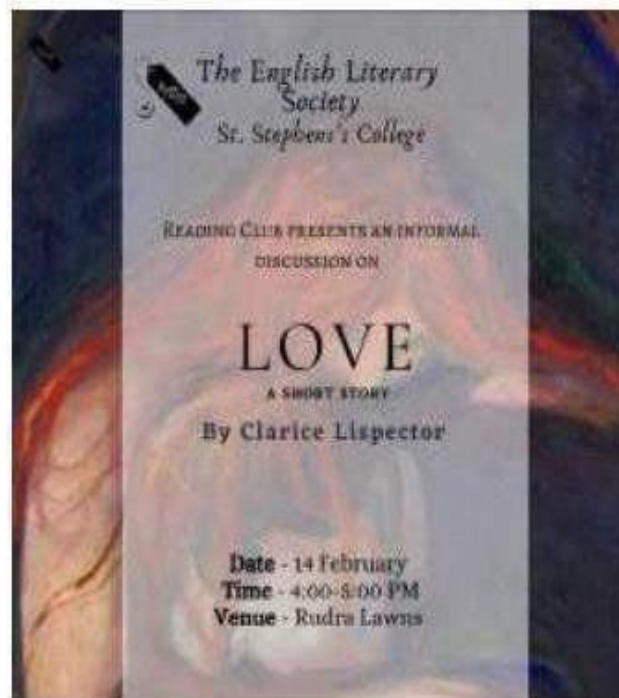
Date: 14th February

Resource Person(s):

No. of participants: 10

Brief description of the event:

The Reading Club organised a session on Clarice Lispector's short story, "Love" followed by a discussion. The short story was read out loud by the participants and particular sections were analysed and interpreted.



Reading Club Session and Orientation

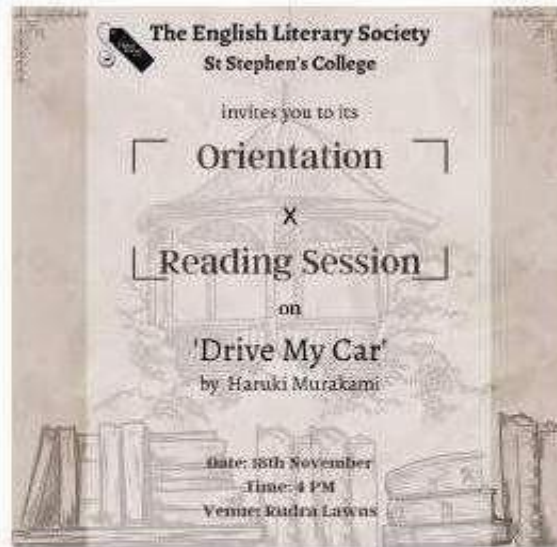
Date: 18th November 2022

Resource Person(s):

No. of participants: 13

Brief description of the event:

The orientation of the English Literary Society took place for the first years, during which Haruki Murakami's Drive My Car was discussed along with a small "literary" quiz.



Names of the participants:

Keerthana Haridas
S.M. Khalid
Himanshu Dutta
Saumya Chandra
Moulishree Jha
Vidhi Gupta
Hiba Muneer
Avaantika Vivek
Rayan Chakraborti
Ashwin Thomas
Samra Iqbal
Advait
Diya

Category: Music, Cinema and Literature

JANUARY 11, 2021 | HISTORY OF LANGUAGES, MODERN INDIA, MUSIC, CINEMA AND LITERATURE, PEOPLE, POP CULTURE

The Last flicker or a Dying flame: The Dialectic of Remembering and Forgetting in Gurdial Singh's *Marhi Da Deeva*

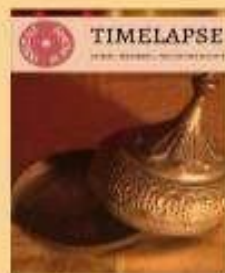
By Madhu Nayar. *Situating Marhi Da Deeva* The novel *Marhi Da Deeva* revolves around the contrasting life and relations of two families: that of landowner Dhanan Singh and farmer Thola and his son Jagesh. Thola uses Dhanan Singh's father-in-lawing vast stretches of his sandy, rocky and un-cultivable land into an arable one. In ...

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Timelapse: The History Society Periodical



Timelapse is the official bi-monthly periodical of The History Society, curated by the Tilly and Welles Vertice. *Timelapse* brings to you a regular dose of history in the form of write-ups and recommendations along with exclusive recaps of and updates on the recent activities of The History Society.



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The History Society, St. Stephen's College

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Dr. Deepra Dandekar in conversation with Mayukhi Ghosh

5 min

In this episode, Dr. Deepra Dandekar discusses her work on Duffin in postcolonial India using case studies emphasising the nuances of the space of the digital and the need for tradition to accommodate social histories.

2 Mar - 1h 6 min

About

Rewind, the official podcast of The History Society is a collection of conversations on diverse aspects of history featuring distinguished historians, writers, curators, and individuals working at the intersection of history and other disciplines.

THE HISTORY SOCIETY
in collaboration with
THE INTERNAL QUALITY ASSURANCE CELL

present

Pandemic
Archives Project
Ethnography
Workshop I

(SM Khalid and Rayan Chakrabarti)

September 21 | 3PM
NFLT (Science Block)

The History Society, St. Stephen's College
IN COLLABORATION WITH
The Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC)
Invites you to a talk on the

PANDEMIC
ARCHIVES
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WORKSHOP II



MYTHREYEE RAMESH
Editor- Health, The Quint

04 OCTOBER 2023 | 4.00 PM | AV ROOM







Goonj Book Sale

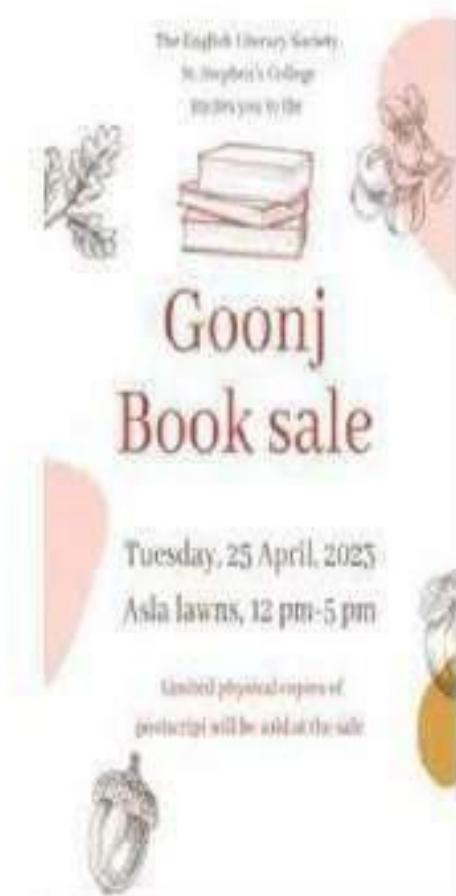
Date: 25th April 2023

Resource person(s): Goonj NGO

No. of participants: 50

Brief description of the event:

The English Literary Society organised a book sale in collaboration with Goonj, a Delhi-based NGO where around 200 books were sold. The books were selected from the collection of books that had been donated to Goonj. All the proceeds from the book sale went towards the NGO. Goonj is working towards addressing crucial gaps in rural infrastructure, water, environment, livelihood, education, health, disaster relief and rehabilitation.



Literacy Sessions 2022
Organised by the Finance and Investment Cell in collaboration with TFI

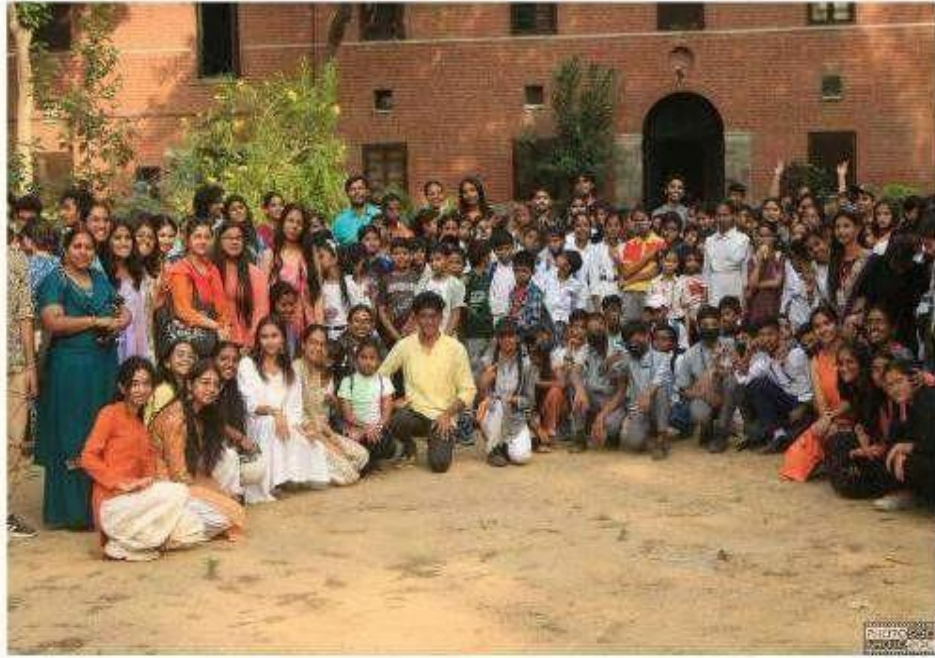


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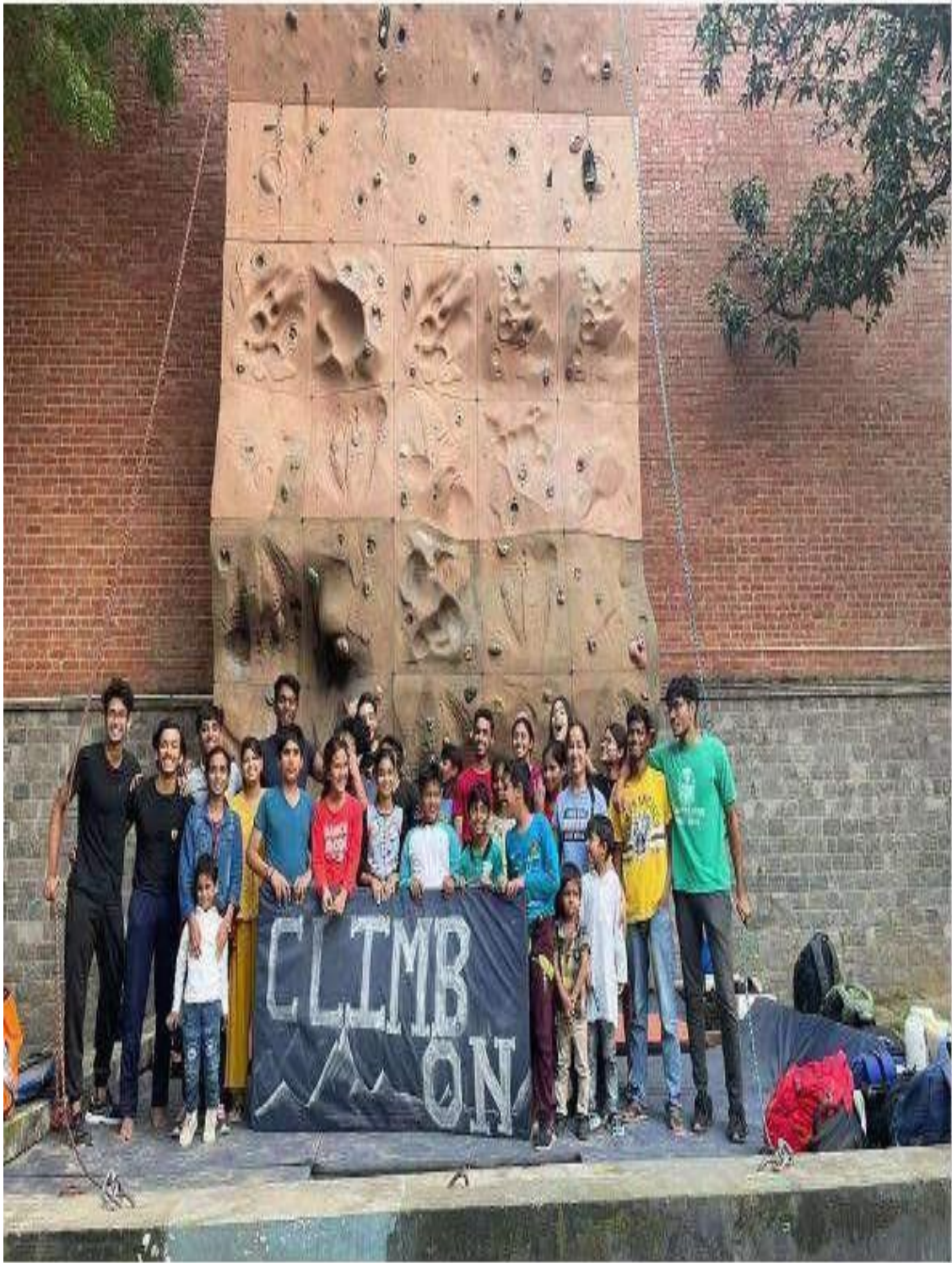
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Carnival 2023
Organised by the Finance and Investment Cell







The History Society, St. Stephen's College
invites you to

**SATYAMJHA PAPER PRESENTATION
SERIES**



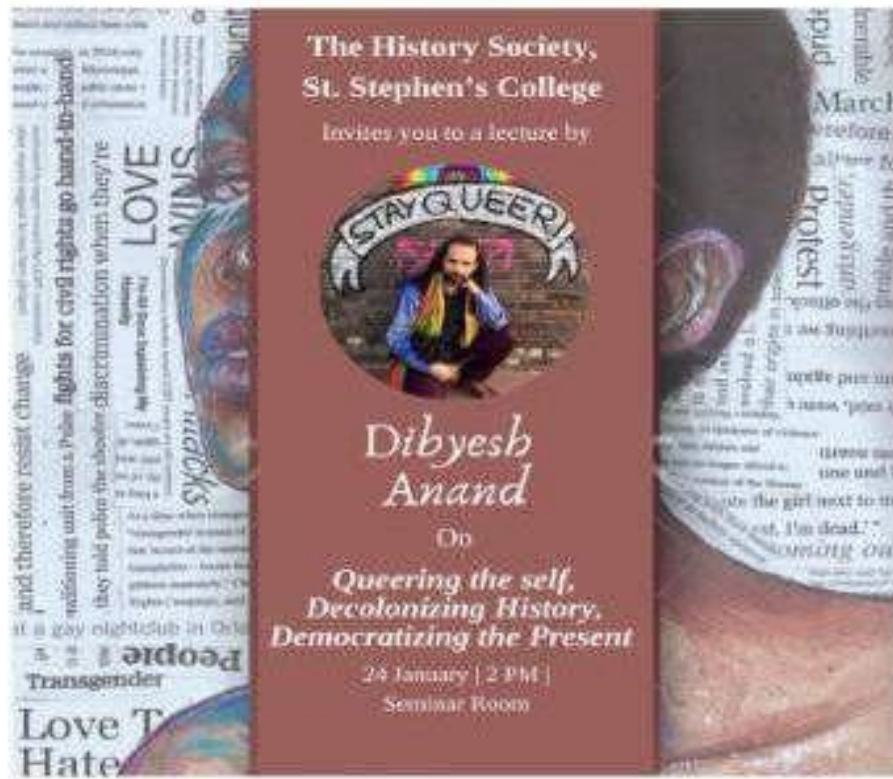
*Histories of Care : Invisibilised,
Domesticised, Marginalised Service*

Date: 23rd February

Time: 2 pm

Venue: Seminar Hall





Day 1: 23rd March, 2023
2:00 p.m. onwards



The History Society
St. Stephen's College

KAALCHAKRA '23

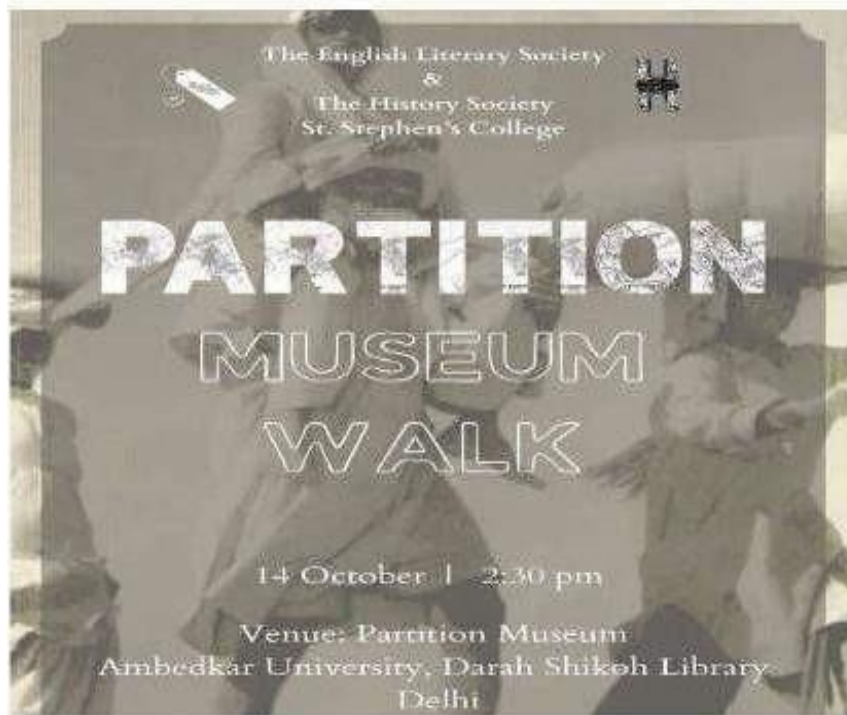
Panel Discussion in collaboration with Gender
Studies Cell

*Women of St. Stephen's: Gendering University Spaces and
Exploring Experiences*



Meet the panelists





The History Society

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The Department of Political Science &
The Internal Quality Assurance Cell

presents

World Disarmament Week

A talk on

Contemporary International Conflicts

by

Prof Achin Vanaik



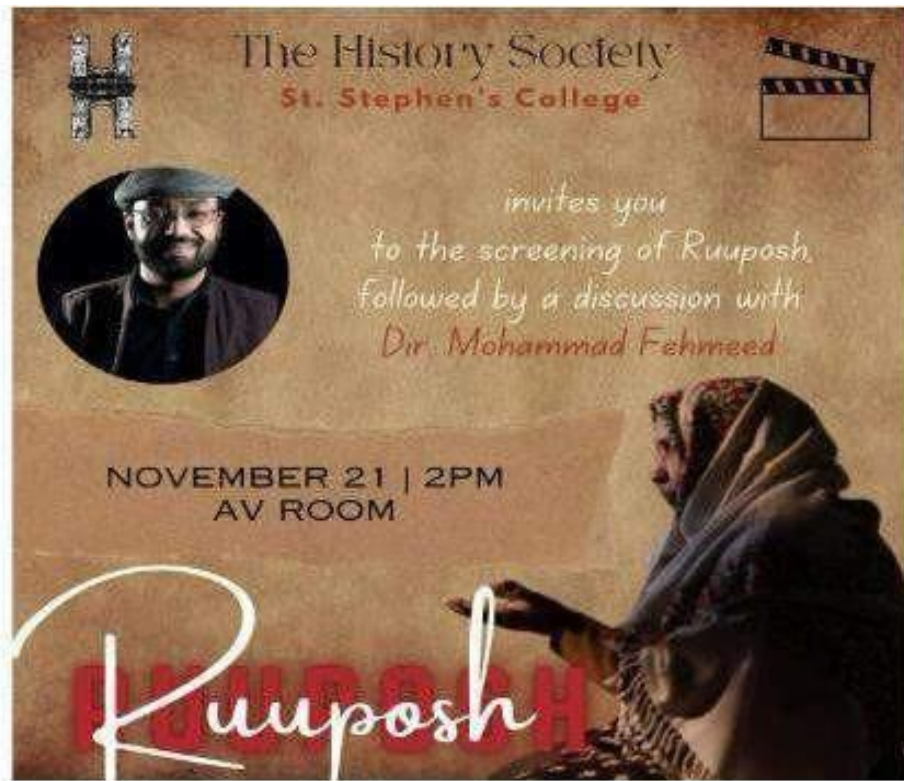
October 26 | 2PM | Room G

For senior and junior members of St. Stephen's College only

The poster features a dark background with silhouettes of people in traditional Arab headwear. At the top left is a circular logo with 'HS' and '1911'. At the top right is a small logo for 'CINE CLUB'. The text is centered and reads: 'The History Society, St. Stephen's College. IN COLLABORATION WITH Cine Club. INVITES YOU TO THE SCREENING OF La Terre Parle Arabe. THE LAND SPEAKS ARABIC. A FILM BY MARYSE GARGOUR. FOLLOWED BY AN INTERACTIVE SESSION.' At the bottom, there is a table with three columns: DATE, TIME, and VENUE.

DATE	TIME	VENUE
9th NOVEMBER	2PM	AV ROOM







National Service Scheme

Shri Ram College Of Commerce,
University of Delhi, Maurice Nagar,
Delhi 110007



Date:- 06-04-2023

Dear *Western Music Society - Stephen's*

We extend our heartfelt gratitude for the remarkable contributions you have made in the realm of social work. Your unwavering devotion towards the National Service Scheme is evident in the exceptional and inventive endeavours you have undertaken and triumphantly executed. Your demonstrated commitment towards the betterment of society is truly commendable.

We express our sincere appreciation for your diligent efforts and eagerly anticipate witnessing your forthcoming accomplishments and triumphs.

With sincere regards,
National Service Scheme
Shri Ram College of Commerce





**THE BA PROGRAMME SOCIETY
AND
THE POETRY SOCIETY**

ST. STEPHEN'S COLLEGE

Invites participants to



*du coeur - the slam poetry
competition*

Date: 21 September 2022

Time: 4 PM

Venue: Seminar Room, St. Stephen's College



To note:

Open to all colleges!

Prompt to be released on 15 September.

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BA Programme Society

St Stephen's College

cordially invites you to

Bringing Change via Grassroots:
Empowering India's Youth

An interactive talk session

with



SHARAD VIVEK SAGAR

Social Entrepreneur, Youth Leader and
Founder and CEO, Dexterity Global



Seminar Room

2-3 pm

11th November, 2022



For any queries: Anannya : 8929399473, Mimansa: 8851732642



THE BA PROGRAMME SOCIETY

invites you to

BAP
FRESHERS
2022

14 November, 2022 | 2PM |

College Hall

We can't wait to see you!

THE B.A. PROGRAMME SOCIETY
ST STEPHEN'S COLLEGE
PRESENTS

CONFLUENCE '23



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ELOCUTION COMPETITION

ARE YOU PROUD OF YOUR PUBLIC SPEAKING SKILLS?

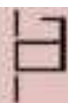


OPEN TO ALL COLLEGES

20 APRIL | 4-6 PM | ST. STEPHEN'S COLLEGE



FOR FURTHER QUERIES, CONTACT: KASHVI - 9711101809 - PARAS - 9986050187



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The BA Programme Society
St. Stephen's College



Confluence '23

TALK SESSION

A Discourse on Democracy

by



Dr. Sunshini Kataria
(Associate Professor,
School of Global Affairs)

AV ROOM | 2 PM | 19 APRIL

**The B.Sc. Programme Society
St. Stephen's College**

Event Report : Fusion'22 - Lecture Series.

Date : 18 October - 19 October 2022

Time : 3 PM

Venue Seminar Room

A three day fusion series was conducted by the The. B.Sc. Programme Society on 17th, 18th and 19th Oct 2022. Professors from renowned institutions were invited to touch upon different fields of Science and Mathematics.

On the first day, we had Professor Ashok Ganguli FRSC, FASc, FNASc Department of Chemistry, IIT Delhi. He enlightened the students about Chemistry at Nanoscale.

On the 2nd day, we were delighted to have Prof. Niladri Chatterjee Dept of Mathematics, IIT Delhi who touched upon the topic of Rough Sets.

The final day, we had Prof. Anurag Sharma, FNA FNASc, FASc, JC Bose institute fellow Department of Physics, IIT Delhi who talked about Optics and Photonics around us. All the sessions were interactive and involved qna in order to provide better clarity to the students. The participants were provided with refreshments to energise them for the day further.

Participation certificate was also provided to all the attendees.

The B.Sc. Programme Society
presents

FUSION '22

LECTURE SERIES

OUR SPEAKERS

Prof. Ashok Ganguli
FRSC, FASc, FNASc
V.K. Jain Chair-Dept of Chemistry &
Jain Professor in Dept. of
Nanoscale Science & Tech and
Deputy Director, IIT Delhi
Tuesday 18 October 3 PM

Prof. Niladri Chatterjee
Associate Deputy Chair Professor of
IT Photonics & Computer
Science of Institute Dept. of
Mathematics, IIT Delhi and
Fellow, University College, London
18 October 3 PM

Prof. Anurag Sharma
JCS, FNA, FASc, FASc, FASc, FASc
Executive Professor,
Optics of Photonics Centre
Jain Chair, Dept. of Physics,
IIT Delhi
19 October 3 PM

Venue: Seminar Room
18/19 Oct 2022
REGISTER NOW
Kishu Thomas
18007 24022

**The B.Sc. Programme Society
St. Stephen's College**

EVENT REPORT : Orfik - Treasure Hunt

Round 1.

Date : 20 April 2023 - 21 April 2023

Mode : Online

Platform : Unstop

Participants : 150+

Round 2

Date : 28 April 2023

Time : 4 PM onwards.

Venue : St. Stephen's College.

The B.Sc. Programme Society in collaboration with The Computer Science Society conducted Orfik - Treasure Hunt. The event was held in 2 rounds. Preliminary round was held online on Unstop Platform where we witnessed around 150-200 participants from all over India. The first 10 teams were selected for Round 2 which was held on 28 April 2023, at St. Stephen's College.

The questions were curated so as to test the logical and reasoning ability of the participants. Round 2 started from SCR Lawns and ended at Science Dhaba with many intermediate points including Rudra Lawns, Chapel, Cafe, JCR etc in between. The hunt started with a question given by our host by solving which one will get to the next point. QR Code was placed at all the points scanning by which it will lead to the next question.



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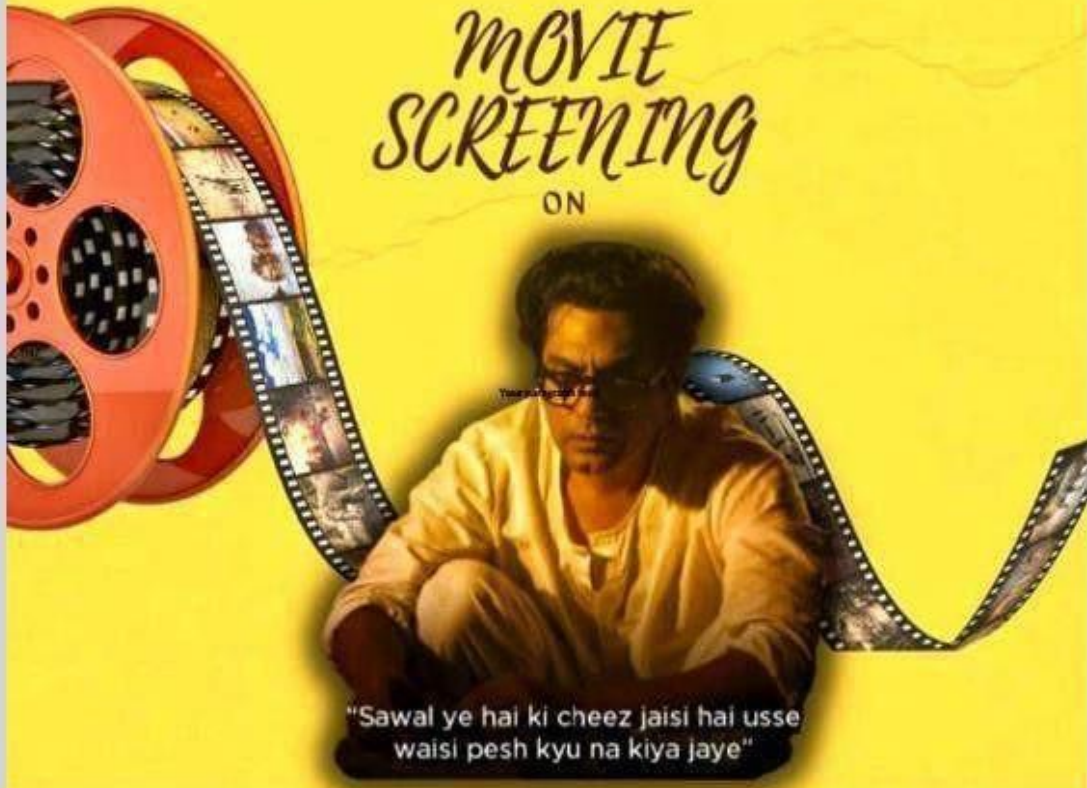


Bazm-e-Adab Society
in collaboration with
The Cine Club



PRESENTS

MOVIE
SCREENING
ON



"Sawal ye hai ki cheez jaisi hai usse
waisi pesh kyu na kiya jaye"

MANTO

Open to Stephanians only

VENUE: AV ROOM | DATE: 28TH SEPTEMBER | TIMING: 3:00 PM



BAZM-E-ADAB

The Urdu Literary Society

St. Stephen's College

invites you to

Bazm-e-Adab Lunch

Menu:

1. Chicken Biryani
2. Mutton Korma
3. Chicken Stew
4. Naan
5. Kheer



∞
Date: 10th November

Time: 2:30 pm

Venue: College Mess

∞
Open to Stephanians only!

For queries contact:

Nimrah: 6005292335

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Bengal 1946-47: The Moment of Independence and Partition

Date: 24th September 2022

Resource person(s) : Dr. Suchetana Chattopadhyay, Jadavpur University

No. of participants : 16

The Bengali Literary Society presents a recorded lecture by Dr. Suchetana Chattopadhyay of Jadavpur University, Kolkata. She is a distinguished scholar and in her lecture, 'Bengal 1946-47: The Moment of Independence and Partition' she explores the provenance of the decisive moment of partition and independence situating the state of world politics in the aftermath of the World wars, political polarisation, and movement against the colonising forces by the colonised which led to a rapid disintegration of colonial states and communal violence and consolidations. Furthermore, she looks at this moment as one of dispossession and material exploitation where power transferred from foreign to indigenous exploiters. Therefore, Dr. Chattopadhyay nuances our understanding of this moment for Bengal.

Dr. Suchetana Chattopadhyay studied at Jadavpur University and the School of Oriental and African Studies, University of London. Some of her research interests include Communism in India, Urban Social History, Muslim intellectuals and workers, Working Class Movements, sailors, twentieth century Calcutta, Colonial Surveillance; Imperial Masculinity, Empire and Violence, Imperialism and Race and Indian political activists abroad. She has traced the early career of Muzaffar Ahmad and what made him arrive at communism in the rife environment of colonial Calcutta in her book, *An Early Communist: Muzaffar Ahmad in Calcutta 1913-29*. She has published work on the Ghadar Movement, investigating the lived memory of the movement in Sikh workers in the industrial centers of southwest Bengal in *Voices of Komagata Maru*.

"Where are the Little Girls? Discussing how girlhood can be constructed through the lens of children's periodicals in late 19th and early 20th century Bengal."

Date: 15th October 2022

Resource person(s) : Dr. Devjani Ray, Miranda House (Associate Professor of English)

No. of participants : 18

The Bengali Literary Society of St. Stephen's College invited **Dr. Devjani Ray**, Associate Professor of English at Miranda House to deliver a lecture on the **15th of October, 2022** in **Room M**. The topic of her lecture was: "Where are the Little Girls? Discussing how girlhood can be constructed through the lens of children's periodicals in late 19th and early 20th century Bengal". Around 18 students attended the event, of which 6 were from other colleges. Drawing on a Foucauldian theoretical base, Dr. Ray used various examples from periodicals such as *Sakha* and *Sandesh* to draw attention to the patriarchal discourses inherent within them. Further, she highlighted their pedagogical role in the making of a patriarchal nation. The lecture was followed by a short question and answer session.

Poster of the Event:

"The Child Sati in Early 19th Century Bengal : Tales from the Archives

Date: 7th November 2022

Resource person(s) : Dr. Tanika Sarkar (JNU, Ashoka University)

No. of participants : 200

The Bengali Literary Society, in collaboration with the History Society of St. Stephen's College invited **Dr. Tanika Sarkar**, current Visiting Professor at Ashoka University and ex-faculty member of institutions such as St. Stephen's College, Indraprastha College, JNU, Yale, Chicago, Göttingen etc. to deliver a lecture on the **7th of November, 2022** in the **College Hall**. The topic of her lecture was: 'The Child Sati in Early 19th century Bengal: Tales from the Archives'. Around 200 attendees were present, including faculty members from St. Stephen's College and other colleges as well as around 70 students from other colleges. Using a narrative as well as a legal framework and drawing attention to the often ignored age factor in the controversy regarding sati and its subsequent abolition in Bengal, Dr. Sarkar provided a comprehensive analysis of the archival evidence with respect to the same while also problematising the notion of a monolithic, progressive colonial administration.

Pictures from the Event:

Adhiraj Ghosh Memorial Debate

Date: 19th November 2022

Resource person(s) : Judges: Dr. Sudipto Basu (St. Stephen's College)

Inter-college debate competition

No. of participants : 14

The Adhiraj Ghosh Memorial Debate 2022 was organised on the **19th of November 2022** in the **OCLT** at St. Stephen's College. There were 7 teams consisting of 14 participants in total, of which 10 were students of other Delhi University Colleges such as Ramjas College, Hansraj College, Kirori Mal College etc. The motion for this edition of the debate was - 'The Concept of Bengal is a Colonial Creation'. The debate was adjudicated by Dr. Sudipto Basu, a historian of colonial Bengal and a professor at St. Stephen's College.

The debate was conducted according to the following rules:

1. The debate is in the conventional format, with each team containing 2 speakers, one for and one against the motion.
2. The language of the debate will be English.
3. Open teams are permitted i.e. team members may be from different colleges.
4. A total of 10 teams will be accepted, in order of registration.
5. Each speaker has 4 minutes to present their case, and 1 minute for rebuttal.
6. All final decisions rest with the judges and shall not be open to questioning.

Winners of the debate:

Best Team - Prमित Das and Darakhshan Tariq (Ramjas College).

Runner Up Team - Megh Mazumdar and Rayan Chakrabarti (St. Stephen's College).

Best Speaker (for) - Megh Mazumdar (St. Stephen's College).

Report on The Scholars' Meet 2022

The Chemistry Society of St Stephen's College held an online Scholars' Meet as its first event for the academic year 2022–2023. The event was split into two days – 3rd September, 2022 (Saturday) and 4th September, 2022 (Sunday). Each day focused on potential future career paths, one focusing on international universities and the other on Indian institutions and other non-science employment paths.

DAY 1

Date – 03.09.2022

Time – 3:00 pm

Number of participants – 52

Speakers present –

- **Siddhant Dhingra**
DPhil Candidate, University of Oxford, England
- **Indrasish Dey**
Masters Student, University of Regensburg, Germany
- **Riddhima Raina**
Erasmus Mundus Scholar, Masters Student, Ghent University, Belgium

Debangana Gogoi, the Publicity Head of the Chemistry Society started the event with a welcome address, introducing our alumni as speakers for the day. The event began at 3:00 pm and went on for about two and half hours.

Siddhant Dhingra was the event's opening speaker, and he gave talks primarily on the prerequisites, opportunities, and scholarships for admission to the UK. The second speaker was Indrasish Dey, who shared his perspective and the pros and cons of choosing Germany for higher studies. Riddhima Raina, the third speaker, walked us through the process of applying for scholarships and programmes under Erasmus Mundus.

Overall, the audience gained an insight into the application procedure for scholarships and funding for institutions overseas (EU and UK countries). The speakers also discussed how they were able to develop their research skills through internships. Additionally, they offered helpful advice on how to ace the semester exams and the Statement of Purpose essays. The need of developing strong relationships with professors for letters of recommendation was also emphasised. The speakers also discussed the value of extracurricular activities and students' overall character and personality.

After the presentations, the speakers and the audience engaged in a lively question-and-answer session. Judith L. Pulamte, the Chemistry Society's Events Co-ordinator, gave the vote of thanks as the event came to an end. It was a huge success as everyone in attendance profited from it.

CHEMATHON 2023 - REPORT

Chemathon was conducted in two phases - online and offline.

For the first online phase, there was an elimination quiz which was attempted by more than 25 teams on 13th February, 2023. The winners were decided on the basis of the number of accurate answers given and the time taken for the same. The top 8 teams then moved on to the second round which was held offline.

The second round of Chemathon was held in the New Physics Lecture Theatre, St. Stephen's College at 4 p.m. on 15th February 2023. The event had participants from various colleges of Delhi University like Miranda House, Ramjas, Hansraj and Kirori Mal College. The quiz was of 4 rounds, namely MCQ round, picture round, rapid fire round and buzzer round. The winners were decided on the basis of the total scores of each team at the end of all the rounds.

It was a really close competition till the very end and the participants had a really fun and enriching experience by partaking in the quiz.

Vidushi Gupta and Tamanna Vashist from St. Stephen's College were the winners for Chemathon 2023 followed by the runners up Vishnu Upadhyya and Borishan Ghosh from Hansraj College college. The winners were awarded with 1000 Rs and 500 Rs for the runners up and the results were declared by Prof. Jyotirmoy Maity in the Seminar Hall.



Report on Paper Reading Competition

The Chemistry Society of St. Stephen's College held an offline intra-college Paper Reading Competition on 14 November 2022 to celebrate the International Year of glass. It was open to students of all years and courses from St. Stephen's College. The event began at 2 pm and lasted for about 3 hours with a refreshment break in between.

Date – 14.11.2022

Time – 2:00 pm

Venue – OCLT

Number of participants – 9(team and individual)

Number of attendees – 50+

Manmayi Mohapatra, the Society's Treasurer and Himangshu Goswami, the Society's Sponsorship Head hosted the event. The respected judges for the evening were Dr Harish Gupta from the Physics department, Dr Violet R Macwan and Dr Jyotirmoy Maity from the Chemistry department.

The topic for this event was "Looking through glass over the years". The judges gave very thoughtful and valuable feedback to the participants enhancing the knowledge of both the participants and the audience. There was active participation from the crowd as well with many questions being asked to the participants of the event.

Samarth Bhatnagar and Nelan Akanksha Topno from II Chemistry bagged the first prize followed by Sahil Joseph from I Chemistry as the first runner-up and Tamanna Vashist and Manav Jaison from II Chemistry as the second runner-up. The event concluded with a vote of thanks by Judith L Pulamte, the Society's Events Co-ordinator.



Report on Treasure Hunt, Alchemesis The Chemistry Society

Date- 14th February 2023

Time- 4-6 PM

Venue- SCR Lawns

Participants- 40

Treasure hunt is a fun and thrilling game with a chemistry twist, organised as a part of the annual fest of the Chemistry Society-Alchemesis. This year, the competition saw a good participation from students across colleges in Delhi. The general aim was to inculcate inquisitiveness in our participants by testing their knowledge of chemistry by making them solve riddles that would lead them to the next clue until they finally returned to us with all the answers.

The hunt had the participants search for a total of 9 clues around college, however, we made sure to provide them with a map along with instructions on locations they could enter and those they should avoid.

Despite 33 prior registrations we had approximately 40 participants as we were accepting on-spot registrations. The first clue was released at 5:03 PM, and the first position was claimed by team "NESU" consisting of Samarth Bhatnagar and Nelan Akanksha Topno at about 5:40 PM while the second position was claimed by team "Charlie" consisting of Tanay Agarwal and Aman.



Report on Dr. C.J. Raphael Memorial Debate Tournament, Alchemesis 2023

The Chemistry Society of St. Stephen's College organized the first annual Dr. C.J. Raphael Memorial Debate Tournament from 13th-15th February 2023. The event was conducted in three rounds, with the first preliminary online round held on 13th February, followed by offline semi-finals on 14th February, and the grand finals held in the New Physics Lecture Theatre on 15th February. Over 9 teams from across the university, consisting of 2 participants each competed in the event.

The venue for the offline rounds was New Chemistry Lecture Theatre (NCLT) and New Physics Lecture Theatre (NPLT). The topics for debate included "This house will ban genetic engineering on ethical grounds," "This house will focus more on experimental research in STEM as compared to theoretical research," and "This house believes that vaccines should be made mandatory for all."

The team "We're Judy" with participants Vidushi Gupta and Jerrin Jossy from St. Stephen's College won the finals. The 2nd prize was won by the team "Acetanilide" with participants Gaurav Kishore and Rain Regious, also from St. Stephen's College.

The Dr. C.J. Raphael Memorial Debate Tournament provided a platform for students to showcase their debating skills and engage in critical thinking on important topics related to science and society. At the same time, we had several first-time debaters who received feedback from the judges on how they could improve their skills. The event was a success, and the Chemistry Society of St. Stephen's College is grateful to every force that helped us in organizing and executing the event with precision. The participants enjoyed the event to a great extent and went back to learn more about the various topics discussed.



On Spot Photography Competition- Alchemesis 2023

The *On Spot Photography Competition* was held as a part of *The Chemistry Society's Annual Fest- Alchemesis 2023*. The event happened on the 15th February at 3:00pm. We received more than 50+ registrations for the competition. Participants were mostly students of Delhi University and Delhi Technological University. All Non-Stephanian participants were received at Rudra Gate from 2:15 to 2:45 pm. Everyone was allotted a serial number for the competition and then escorted to Rudra Lawns. The event started at 3:00pm sharp. The theme was "Juxtaposition" which refers to the act of placing two or more things, ideas, or images side by side or close to each other for the purpose of comparison or contrast. The **duration of the competition was 90 minutes**. A google form was released for all entries to be submitted.

The judges for the competition were Cyril Binoy, the President of Photographic Society and Samuel Decastro, the annual fest convenor of the same. **The winner of the competition was Aadith EJ and Nithesh from Shri Ram College of Commerce (participated as a team) and Vanshika Lamba from Lady Irwin College was the Runner's Up**. The winner received a prize money of Rs. 1000 and the Runner's up received a prize money of Rs. 500. Overall the event was a grand success.

CRYSTAL GROWING COMPETITION- ALCHEMESIS 2023 THE CHEMISTRY SOCIETY, ST. STEPHEN'S COLLEGE

Date- 14th February 2023

Time- 2-4pm

Venue- Old Chemistry Lab, Science Block

The crystal growing competition was held exclusively for the students not pursuing Chemistry as their major subject as a way to expose them to the wonders of chemicals and crystal making. A total of 38 participants enthusiastically took part in the competition. They were divided into two groups, one half were making Tris(oxalato) ferrate - green color crystals and the other half made Potash Alum- White Crystals.

The students were provided with all the instructions, materials and precautions for the experiment. They were excited to see the Chemistry Lab up close in detail. Few of them felt great joy in wearing Lab coats as well. Overall, it was a great learning moment for everyone.

A winner from each category was selected based upon the shape, size and color of the crystals. Rayan Chakrabarty and Tarana KS bagged the first positions and received a winning amount of Rs. 750 each.

ALCHEMESIS

REPORT ON INAUGURAL LECTURE

The Chemistry Society of St. Stephen's College held its annual flagship event, Alchemesis which begins with the Inaugural Lecture. The Inaugural Lecture on 'A perspective on the Chemistry-Biology interface in living systems' was delivered by Prof. Sunil Kumar Khare, Department of Chemistry at IIT Delhi on February 13, 2023.

The details of the event are as follows:

Date – 13.02.2023

Time – 3:00 pm

Venue – Seminar Room

Number of participants – 60

Speaker present –

Prof. Sunil Kumar Khare

FRSC, FNAAS, FBRs, FAMSc

Dean(Research and Development)

Institute Chair Professor of Biochemistry Enzyme and Microbial Biochemistry Lab

Department of Chemistry, IIT Delhi

Topic – 'A perspective on the Chemistry-Biology interface in living systems'

Debangana Gogoi and Himangshu Goswami began the event with a welcome address for the Guest Speaker, followed by a bouquet as a welcoming gift handed to the speaker by the Annual Fest Head, Aravind Ravi. The lecture went on for about 2 hours and ended with a lively engaging question and answer session between the audience and the speaker. Our speaker was presented with a memento by Dr Rene Saksena, staff advisor of the Chemistry Society, as our token of appreciation. After the lecture, refreshments were served in the Library Lawns. The participants, speaker and faculty members engaged in an informal discussion while having tea.

Report on The Inaugural Lecture 2022

The Chemistry Society of St Stephen's College held its first offline event – the Inaugural Lecture 2022– for the academic year 2022–2023. The event took place in the Seminar Room on 13th September, 2022 (Tuesday). Dr Chinmoy Kumar Hazra, our Guest Speaker, honoured the occasion.

Date – 13.09.2022

Time – 3:00 pm

Venue – Seminar Room

Number of participants – 64

Speaker present –

Dr Chinmoy Kumar Hazra

Assistant Professor, IIT Delhi

Debangana Gogoi, the Chemistry Society's Publicity Head, began the event with a welcome message, followed by Oxygen's sub-editor, Manav Jaison, introducing the day's Guest Speaker. Yogita, the Chemistry Society's Vice President, presented our Guest Speaker a token of appreciation as she welcomed him. The event started at 3 o'clock and lasted for roughly two hours. Two volunteers from the Photographic Society covered the Lecture throughout.

The Guest Speaker Dr Chinmoy Kumar Hazra, the Head of the Chemistry department Dr Vibha Sharma, the Staff Advisor of the Chemistry Society Dr Rene Saksena, the President of the Chemistry Society Prachi Sharma and the Events Coordinator of the Chemistry Society Judith L Pulamte were called upon for the lighting of the lamp to mark the official inauguration of the event. With a beautiful prayer song, Aravind Ravi, Premkrishna, and Risa Joseph welcomed the speaker.

The Inaugural Lecture soon began. The slides used by Dr Chinmoy Kumar Hazra to start his presentation focused mostly on topics related to silicon chemistry and emphasised the significance of a hypothesis for any reaction mechanism. Later, he talked about his independent work at IIT Delhi, which he proudly displayed on slides with examples and data. He continued by outlining his research in several places and he had also brought an NMR tube to demonstrate the working principle of such important apparatus for his field of study. He also discussed his struggles in the pursuit of his interest in countries such as Germany, South Korea, and India. He emphasised the educational and cultural exposure he had obtained and hoped the same for the students in attendance.

Following the presentation, there was a lively question-and-answer session between the speaker and the audience. The Chemistry department students and Professors participated with enthusiasm. Rhea Mathew, the General Secretary of the Chemistry Society, gave a heartfelt word of gratitude to bring the event to a close. Dr Ekta Kundra handed the speaker a memento. After the lecture, refreshments were served and an informal interaction with the Guest Speaker shortly followed.

LECTURE BY PROF. CHARL FJ FAUL THE CHEMISTRY SOCIETY, ST. STEPHEN'S COLLEGE

Date- 23rd February 2023

Time- 12:30-3 pm

Venue- Old Chemistry Lecture Theatre, Science Block

Prof. Charl FJ Faul, Head of Inorganic and Materials Chemistry at the University of Bristol, delivered a lecture on "Novel Functional Materials for Sustainable Energy Applications".

His experience and expertise in the field were evident throughout the lecture as he discussed the latest developments and breakthroughs in the field. This made the lecture an excellent opportunity to learn from an expert and gain insights into the latest research in this area.

His use of examples and illustrations helped to illustrate complex concepts, making them more accessible to the audience. Furthermore, the lecture was delivered in a lively and engaging manner, keeping the audience interested and attentive throughout. Students had the chance to know more other professionals and researchers in the field of Chemistry, exchange ideas and insights, and make new connections.

The Q&A session was particularly impressive, as students were encouraged to ask questions and share their thoughts on the subject matter. Prof. Faul was able to provide insightful answers to all the questions raised, further reinforcing the students' understanding of the topic.

Additionally, Prof. Faul highlighted the opportunities available at the University of Bristol, particularly in the area of Inorganic and Materials Chemistry. He shared information on the research projects currently ongoing at the University and the prospects for students interested in pursuing higher studies in this field.

Overall, the lecture was a great success, and the students were grateful for the opportunity to learn from an expert in the field. The session provided valuable information, inspired critical thinking, and opened up new possibilities for the student's future careers.



Report on Society Orientation The Chemistry Society

Date- 15th November 2022

Time- 4pm

Venue- New Chemistry Lecture Theatre, Science Block

Participants- 40

The Chemistry Society organized an orientation program to introduce the society to new students who were interested in joining. The orientation program was attended by 30-35 participants who were eager to learn about society's activities and events. Prachi Sharma, the President of the Society, provided a brief introduction about the society's role in promoting interest in the subject of chemistry. She explained that the society aims to encourage and support students to pursue their interests in chemistry and provide them with a platform to learn and grow.

The orientation program was a great success as it helped the new students to understand the functions and activities of the Chemistry Society. The council members of the society explained their respective verticals, which included Finance, Logistics, Publicity, Oxygen Editors, and Event Planning. The council members then explained the functions of their respective verticals. The Finance team discussed their role in managing the finances of the society, while the Logistics team explained their role in managing the logistics for events and meetings.

The Publicity team explained their role in creating awareness about the society's activities and events. The Oxygen Editors discussed their role in publishing the society's newsletter, which contains articles related to chemistry and the society's events. The Event Planning team discussed their role in planning and executing events, such as guest lectures, workshops, and competitions.

The participants were intrigued by the interesting tasks that each vertical performs and were curious to know more about how events are conducted in college. In conclusion, the orientation program was a great success, as it provided an opportunity for new students to understand the functioning of the Chemistry Society. The event helped them to learn about the society's activities and events and also gave them a chance to meet the council members and ask questions. Overall, the orientation program was a great way to introduce new students to the Chemistry Society and promote interest in the subject of chemistry.



Report on the Charusita Memorial Lecture 2023

The Charusita Memorial Lecture 2023 was attended by 114 attendees- students and professors from various colleges and institutions. The lecture took place in the OCLT, Science block at 12:30 pm which lasted for an hour or so followed by an engaging question and answer session and refreshments. Students were encouraged to ask inquisitive questions since the students with the best 3 questions get a prize.

The details of the event were as follows:

Date – 22.03.2023

Time – 12:30 pm

Venue – OCLT, Science Block

Number of participants – 114

Speaker present –

Prof. Shobhana Narasimhan

Professor at Jawaharlal Nehru Centre for Advanced Scientific Research, Bangalore

Topic – 'Catalysts- Agents of Change'

The event was hosted by Manav and Aravind. While Prachi and Yogita presented bouquets to Professor Ramaswamy and Professor Shobhana as welcome gifts, Rhea welcomed the audience. Akanksha introduced the audience to the late Professor Charusita and her legacy, which was followed by the lighting of the lamp and a prayer song by the Chemistry Society's junior members. Before Yogita welcomed the lecturer, Professor Ramaswamy also gave some brief remarks. As the event came to an end, Prachi delivered the vote of thanks and Professor Shobhana was given a memento as a token of appreciation by Dr Rene Saksena.



THE CHOREOGRAPHY SOCIETY, ST. STEPHEN'S COLLEGE

ALPHA - LAUNCH PRODUCTION

Event Report



The Choreography Society organized its launch production- ALPHA on 12 November '22. The event introduced the audience to the different verticals of the society. Four different dance teams -Western, Indian, Inception, Stereo respectively performed on the day. The event started around 4:15pm by the hosts giving an introduction about the event. The day ended with all of the members of the society dancing to the songs *Tuwa milke dil ka* and *Arabic Kasha*.

The Western Team dressed in blue jeans paired with black tops and smoky black eyes danced to the songs *Udi Gussarish*, *Look What You Made Me Do* and *Woman*. The team was headed by Antara Zaima.

The Indian team headed by Christena Stephens performed to the beats of *Ghar More Pardaiya*. They were dressed in red kurtis paired with jhumkas and used decorated fairy lights as props.

Inception, an external contemporary team performed *Unsteady*, *Thats*, *Rolling in the Deep* led by Karupriya Samson. The pink top and black palazzo functioned well with the contemporary piece.

STE:REO, the external Western team danced to 5 different songs -*Pavoori*, *Mamavali Thug*, *Unboj*, *That That*, *Handclap* which was headed by Harshita Gupta. The External Western team was dressed in black cargos paired with a red top and a silver chain.

The event concluded with a speech by the staff advisor, Rajni Gupta and the Vote of Thanks by the President of the society, Susanna Daniel. It was a successful launch for the society as the event was appreciated by many and got more audience than anticipated.



THE CHOREOGRAPHY SOCIETY, ST. STEPHEN'S COLLEGE

INTRA-RAQS COMPETITION

EVENT REPORT



The Choreography Society organised its intra college annual dance competition- Intra Raqs on 14 January,2023. The event started around 3 pm by the hosts giving an introduction about the event. The participants competed in four different categories-Kala,Natana,Ardour and Duende. The Principal wished all the participants well before the commencement of the competition and filled them with zeal.

Kala,the category for Indian solo, comprised of various graceful Indian classical performances. The winner of Kala was Shinjini Das.

Natana,the category for Indian duet witnessed participants enthralling the audiences with their synchronised Indian classical performances. The winners of Natana were Tess Santhosh and Winnariya Jaison.

Ardour,the category for Western solo, consisted of energetic performances by the various participants. The winner of Ardour was Ankit Kumar.

Duende,the category for Western solo, marked the final category of the day with its mesmerising dance performances. The winners of Duende were Aarna Kashvi and Sneha Sangwan.

The judges Aarman Daniel,Nimish Kale and Sneha Dev congratulated all the winners and distributed the certificates. The President,Susanna Daniels concluded the event by a speech thanking all the participants and the audience for their support.



Participant List

KALA

S. No	NAME	COURSE
1	Annet	II BSc Programme
2	Anushka	I BSc Honours Maths
3	Calistha	III BA Programme
4	Deepanshu	I BA Honours History
5	Serena	II BSc Honours Chemistry
6	Shinjini	II BA Honours Sanskrit
7	Vidhi	I BA Honours History

NATANA

S No.	Name	Course
1	Tess Santosh	II BSc Honours Physics

2	Winmariya Jaison	II BSc Honours Physics
3	Risa Joseph	II BSc Honours Chemistry
4	Anisha Jaison	III BA Honours Philosophy

ARDOUR

<u>S No.</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Course</u>
1	Ayushi	I BA Programme
2	Ishaan Jain	I BA Honours Economics
3	Ankit Kumar	I BA Programme

DUENDE

<u>S No.</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Course</u>
1	Alisha Tookey	II BA Honours History
2	Sharrel	II B Sc Programme
3	Arshia Gautam	I BA Honours Economics
4	Britney Abraham	I BA Programme
5	Ritika	I BA Programme
6	Tamanna	I BA Programme
7	Aarna Kashvi	I BA Honours English
8	Sneha Sangwan	I B Sc Honours Chemistry



THE CHOREOGRAPHY SOCIETY, ST. STEPHEN'S COLLEGE

AMOROS - THE ANNUAL PRODUCTION

Event Report





THE CHOREOGRAPHY SOCIETY, ST. STEPHEN'S COLLEGE

DANCERISE '22 - Dance Camp

Event Report

The Choreography Society organized its three-day Dance Camp - *Dancerise*. It happened on the 27th, 29th, and 30th of September 2022. The workshop was organized to introduce the participants to various dance styles. This was an amazing opportunity for students to learn groovy dance moves from professional External Choreographers and our very own Home Choreographers.

27th September 2022, Tuesday

On Day 1, two workshops were organized.

Mr. Kunal Srivastava, our External Choreographer conducted the Western Workshop. He takes regular classes at Big Dance Center and Right Moves currently. He has foundations in house, lifesteet, contemporary, popping and his forte is hip hop and free styling. The Western Workshop was held in the College Hall from 3-5PM. Kunal sir began with warm-ups and later taught the students a short and fun Hip-Hop choreography. The total attendance was 20 participants.

Christeena Stephen, our Home Choreographer conducted the Indian Workshop. She is the Indian Head of the Choreography Society. The workshop was held in JCR from 3-5PM. Christeena focused on refining basic Indian Dance steps. The participants were also taught a beautiful choreography on the song - *Ghar Move Parvatiya*. The total attendance was 18 participants.

29th September 2022, Thursday

On Day 2, two workshops were conducted.

Richa Cyril Mattom, our Home Choreographer and Vice President of the Choreography Society, conducted the Indian Workshop. It was held in the College Hall from 3-5 PM. Richa taught a short piece of South Indian Kuthu (a dance form practiced in South India especially Tamil Nadu, having catchy beats) on the song *Pistaik*. The total attendance was 16 participants.

Mishka Garg, Home Choreographer and PR Head of Choreography Society, conducted the Western Workshop. It was held in JCR from 3-5 PM. Mishka taught a wonderful choreography on the song *Mr. Saxobeat*, which was performed with great enthusiasm by the participants. The Workshop was attended by 13 members.

30th September 2022, Friday



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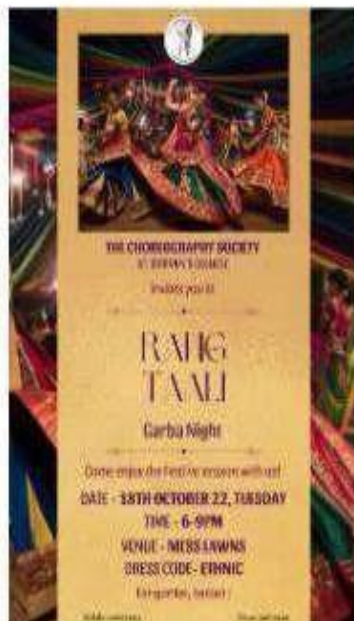
RANG TAALI - Garba Night

Event Report

The Choreography Society organized *RANG TAALI - Garba Night*, as an effort to celebrate the festive season. It happened on the 18th of October, 2022, Tuesday in the Mess Lawns. The audience was invited to join us in the traditional Garba Dance celebration.

The event started at 6:30 pm with a powerful Garba performance by the Choreography society members. This warmed up the stage, after which the space was open for everyone. The society hired a professional DJ for the smooth playing of the traditional songs throughout the fun-filled event. Around 300 students came to be a part of *RANG TAALI*, wearing traditional dresses and accessories looking all set for an energetic and dynamic evening. Everyone present there thoroughly enjoyed the informal dance session. This beautiful and exciting night came to an end by 9:00 pm.

RANG TAALI was a proud and successful event organized by the society. We were able to bring festive vibes to campus. The turnout was amazing as everyone appreciated and showed their enthusiasm towards this event.





THE CHOREOGRAPHY SOCIETY, ST. STEPHEN'S COLLEGE

HARMONY 2023

Event Report

St. Stephen's College's annual fest Harmony was organized from 24th to 26th of March 2023. The event began with the inaugural ceremony, and ended with the most awaited Prom Night.

The Choreography Society performed on the 24th and 25th of March '22. They began with a beautiful inaugural performance with 10 participants dancing to the tunes of 'Aao Na' and 'Agam Seventh Ocean'.



Day 2 of Harmony involved performances of all four verticals of the society - the Western team, the Indian team, Inception and Stereo. The Western team, danced to

The 10 participants of the **Indian team**, with their elegant moves, danced to 'Ranjha', 'Ghoomar' and 'Apsara Ali'.

The 10 participant **Western team** performed with zest and enthusiasm to the songs 'Under the Influence', 'Dum Dum', 'Bure Bure' and 'Illegal Weapon'.

The **Inception** made the crowd roar with cheerful claps, as the 7 dancers performed with ardor along the tunes of 'Feeling Good', 'Unakul Nane', 'Ae Dil Hai Mushkil', 'Kanave', 'Ang Laga De', and 'Bloody Mary'.

STE:REO, the external Western team with 9 participants danced passionately along the tunes of '7 rings', 'Har Ek Friend', 'Parda', 'Jalebi Baby', 'Go Down Deh' and 'Abusadamente'.

The performances were well appreciated by everyone, and received well deserved applauds from the audience.



Participant List

INAUGURATION DANCE

S. No.	Name	Course
1.	Christina Stephen	IIird B.Sc. (Hons.) Mathematics
2.	Richa Cyril Mattam	IIIrd B.ScP with Computer Science
3.	Helen Tom	IIIrd B.ScP with Computer Science
4.	Kanupriya	IIIrd B. Sc. (Hons.) Mathematics
5.	Aiswarya Devassy	IInd B.Sc. (Hons) Physics
6.	Agnas	Ind B.Sc. (Hons) Physics
7.	Amrutha E	IInd B.Sc. (Hons.) Chemistry
8.	Divya Mariam Biju	IInd B.Sc. (Hons.) Chemistry
9.	Yogita	IIIrd B.Sc. (Hons.) Chemistry
10.	Vennela	IInd B.A (Hons.) Economics

WESTERN TEAM

S.No.	Name	Course
1.	Khushi	IIIrd BAP
2.	Aditi	IInd BAP
3.	Prachi	IIIrd B. Sc. (Hons) Chemistry

4.	Sharrel	IInd B.Sc.P with Chemistry
5.	Annet	IInd B.Sc.P with Chemistry
6.	Tanvi	IIIrd BAP
8.	Saijal	IIIrd B. A. (Hons) History
9.	Christna	IIIrd B.Sc. (Hons) Mathematics
10.	Aarna	Ist B. A. (Hons) English
11.	Antara	IIIrd B.Sc. (Hons) Mathematics

INDIAN TEAM

S. No.	Name	Course
1.	Serena Denny	IInd B.Sc. (Hons.) Chemistry
2.	Christeena Stephen	IInd B.Sc. (Hons.) Chemistry
3.	Richa Cyril Mattam	IIIrd B.ScP with Computer Science
4.	Helen Tom	IIIrd B.ScP with Computer Science
5.	Tess Santhosh	IInd B.Sc. (Hons.) Physics
6.	Anna Trissa	IInd BAP
7.	Winmariya Jaison	IInd B.Sc. (Hons) Physics
9.	Agnas	Ist B.Sc. (Hons) Physics
10.	Venisha	Ist B.Sc. (Hons) Physics

INCEPTION - EXTERNAL TEAM

S. No.	Name	Course
1.	Kanupriya	IIIrd BAP

2.	Evelyn	IInd B.Sc. (Hons.) Chemistry
3.	Anna Trissa	IInd BAP
4.	Anisha	IIIrd B. A. (Hons) Philosophy
5.	Tess	IInd B.Sc. (Hons.) Physics
6.	Risa	IInd B.Sc. (Hons.) Chemistry
7.	Serena	IInd B.Sc. (Hons.) Chemistry

STE:REO - EXTERNAL TEAM

S. No.	Name	Course
1.	Diya	IInd BAP
2.	Rishika	IInd B. A. (Hons.) History
3.	Alisha	IInd B. A. (Hons.) History
4.	Annriya	IInd B.Sc. (Hons.) Chemistry
5.	Annanya	IInd B. A. (Hons.) English
6.	Susanna	IIIInd B. A. (Hons.) History
7.	Harshita	IIIInd B. A. (Hons.) History
8.	Antara	IIIInd B. A. (Hons.) History
9.	Simran	IInd B.Sc. (Hons.) Chemistry

THE CHOREOGRAPHY SOCIETY,ST.STEPHEN'S COLLEGE



DELHI TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY,ENGI FEST

Event Report

The Choreography Society of St. Stephen's College participated in the ENGI Fest, organized by Delhi Technological University, on 19 March 2023. The event was a visual treat to the audience. Inception and Stereo are the dance teams that performed on the day from our college.

The event started around 4:15pm by the hosts giving an introduction about the event.

INCEPTION, an external contemporary team performed Dandelions, Unsteady, Thaniye, and Bande (from Vikram Veda). The turtle neck and palazzo functioned well with the contemporary piece.

STEREO, the external Western team danced to 4 different songs - Aankhein Khuli, Saada Haq, Love the Way you Lie, and Let's Get Loud. All the participants wore cargo pants and turtle necks.

Sri Venkateswara College won in the competition. Everyone had a great experience in the fest.



 **CIVIL SERVICES FORUM**
ST. STEPHEN'S COLLEGE
presents
TALK SESSION

 **Mr. Saksham Goel**
(AIR 27, UPSC CSE 2021)

**Decoding the
Civil Services
Examination**

Informal interaction with speaker after the session

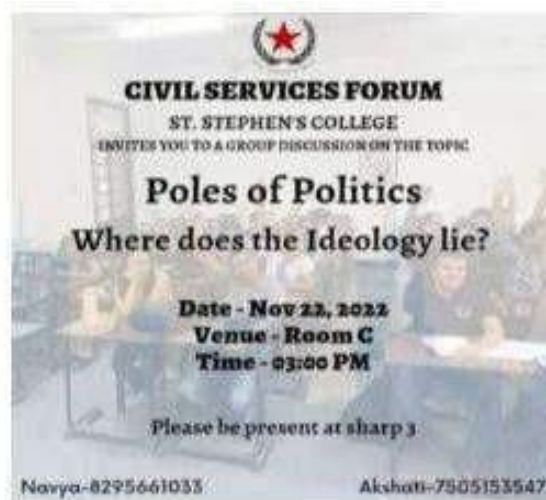
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Civil Services Forum
St. Stephen's College
Invites you to talk session with
CAPT. (DR.) ALOK BANSAL



**TOPIC : STRATEGIC SCAN OF INDIA'S
NEIGHBOURS**

Date: 30 January 2023
Time: 2.30 PM
Venue: Seminar Room

Akshati: 7505153547 Soham: 9319574684

Civil Services Forum
St. Stephen's College



Strategic Scans of India's Neighbours

30 January 2023



Talk and Q&A Session

with

IAS SHRUTI SHARMA
(AIR-1, UPSC CSE 2021)



CIVIL SERVICES FORUM
St. Stephen's College
February 8, 2023





Civil Services Forum
St. Stephen's College
presents
Colloquium 2023
ColloQuiz
17 April
02 PM
Opp. AV Room
Exciting Prizes

The poster features a black background with a red star logo in a white circle at the top left. The text is in white and red. A red megaphone icon is positioned to the left of the 'Exciting Prizes' text, which is enclosed in a red circle. There are also red arrow-like graphics on the sides.



CIVIL SERVICES FORUM
ST. STEPHEN'S COLLEGE
COLLOQUIUM DAY -1

The collage features three photographs: a group of people on a stage, a group of people sitting at tables in a hall, and a group of people sitting on the floor in a hall. The background is a faded image of the brick building from the previous photo. The text 'COLLOQUIUM DAY -1' is written in red at the bottom.



Civil Services Forum
St Stephen's College
presents

Colloquium 2023

Panel Discussion



Amb. Amarendra Khanna, IAS
Former Secretary
Ministry of External Affairs



Lt Gen (Retd) Vinod Khadare,
Principal Advisor
Ministry of Defence



Prof. Anilabh Mehta, Professor,
School of International Studies,
JNU

Moderated By  Aayush Kohli, Asst. Prof.,
Special Centre for National
Security Studies, JNU


**Topic : Contemporary India's Defence and
Diplomacy Landscape**

📅 18 April 🕒 02 PM 📍 College Hall



CIVIL SERVICES FORUM
ST. STEPHEN'S COLLEGE







COLLOQUIUM DAY -2



Civil Services Forum

St. Stephen's College
presents
Closing Lecture



Mr. Armstrong Pame
(IAS, BATCH OF 2009)

**BUREAUCRACY, PUBLIC POLICY AND
INCLUSIVE DEVELOPMENT IN INDIA**

 19TH APRIL, 2023  2 PM  VENUE: NPLT



CIVIL SERVICES FORUM ST. STEPHEN'S COLLEGE



COLLOQUIUM DAY - 3

Society Activity Report 2022-23

Computer Science Society

GAMING NIGHT

Date: 11th June, 2023

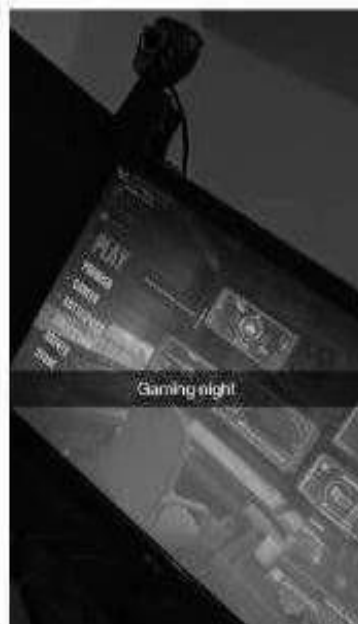
Resource person(s): Saksham, Nickson

No. of participants : 15

Brief description of the event

Back on June 11th, we hosted a gaming night where folks could kick back, have a blast, and play all sorts of games. It was all about having fun, mingling with others, and getting better at games. Gaming nights are popular gatherings where people come together to have a good time. Our event happened on our society's official Discord server, and we played games like Scribble, Crash-Cart, and Valorant, in just three hours of timespan.

Few photographs of the event along with the picture of the main poster



Society Activity Report 2021-22

Computer Science Society

ORFIK: THE TREASURE HUNT

Date: 21st April to 28th April 2023

Resource person(s): Kushagra Kelly, Saksham

No. of Participants: Stephen's – 12, Total – 272

Brief description of the event:

In April, the Computer Science Society in collaboration with the B.Sc. Programme Society to organize an exciting offline event, Orfik 2023, a campus-wide Treasure Hunt. This collaborative venture aimed to offer students from various colleges within the University of Delhi a unique chance to embark on a thrilling adventure, navigating our campus through a succession of clues and challenging rounds. Orfik 2023 provided an engaging platform for exploration, promoting camaraderie and discovery among participants as they deciphered riddles and hunted for hidden treasures on our dynamic campus.

Few photographs of the event along with the picture of the main poster (which was circulated) and the certificate which was given to any one participant (if available)



Society Activity Report 2022-23

Computer Science Society

AUDIO VISUAL WORKSHOP

Date: 14 February, 2023

Resource person(s): Sujai Kerketta, Nickson Yessudas

No. of participants : 11

Brief description of the event

On the 14th of February, 2023, the Computer Science Society conducted an audiovisual workshop open to all Stephanians. The workshop was centred around teaching students how to best utilise audio-visual software to edit photos, videos and sound on at a more professional standard. Participants were taught hands-on the basics of photo and video editing softwares like Adobe Photoshop and Adobe Premiere Pro, as well as the digital audio workstation, FL Studio.

Few photographs of the event along with the picture of the main poster



Society Activity Report 2022-23

Computer Science Society

Data Analysis Case Competition

Date: 16th April 2023 to 25th April 2023

No. of participants: Stephen's – 13, Total – 310

Brief description of the event:

The Computer Science Society hosted the Data Analysis Case Competition with the goal of providing participants with a real-world problem to test their skills in case consulting, utilizing both Excel and programming capabilities. The competition comprised two distinct rounds. In the first round, participants were required to register for a quiz and needed to attain a minimum passing score to proceed. In the second round, participants were tasked with submitting a solution deck that included all the necessary data for resolving the case.

Few photographs of the event along with the picture of the main poster (which was circulated) and the certificate which was given to any one participant (if available)



Picture of the attendance sheet (else mention the names of the participants)

S. No.	Candidate's Name	Course Pursuing	Course Stream	Specialization	Year Of Study	Candidate's Organisation
1	Rahul Goyal	Management	2nd-Year MBA	Not Applicable (N/A)	First Year	Indian Institute of Management (IIM), Sirmaur
2	Vatans Bafna	Management	Integrated Program in Management	General Management	First Year	Indian Institute of Management (IIM), Indore
3	Rohan Upadhyay					Rajiv Gandhi Proudyogiki Vishwavidyalaya (RGPV), Bhopal
4	Mayank	Management	BMS	Not Applicable (N/A)	Second Year	Shaheed Sukhdev College of Business Studies (SSCBS), University of Delhi (DU), Delhi
5	Tushar Kumar	Engineering	B.Tech/BE	Electronics and Communication	Second Year	SRM Institute of Science and Technology (SRMIST), Kattankulathur, Chennai
6	S Vasu Devan	Arts, Science & Commerce	B. Com	General	Third Year	University of Madras (UNOM)
7	Dhruv Kapoor	Arts, Science & Commerce	B. A.	Economics	Second Year	Kirori Mal College (KMC), University of Delhi, Delhi
8	Samarth Kalra	Arts, Science & Commerce	B. Sc	Maths	Second Year	Kirori Mal College (KMC), University of Delhi, Delhi
9	Shivam Meet	Arts, Science & Commerce	B. A.	Economics		Kirori Mal College (KMC), University of Delhi, Delhi
10	Varun Sapra	Arts, Science & Commerce	B. Com	Honours	Third Year	Deen Dayal College, Muzaffarnagar
11	Sanya Tiwari	Management	3 year	Not Applicable (N/A)		Shri Ram College of Commerce (SRCC), University of Delhi (DU), Delhi
12	Kashika Goel	Arts, Science & Commerce	B. Com	Honours	Second Year	Shri Ram College of Commerce (SRCC), University of Delhi (DU), Delhi
13	B Venkata	Engineering	B.Tech/BE	Electronics and Communication	Fourth Year	Sri Sairam College Of Engineering (SSCE), Bangalore



THE DEBATING SOCIETY

KDO

THE THIRD
EDITION

FINALS



TEAM
PANEER PATTIES*

JERRIN
RAJNISH
CHIRAG
*AND MORE



TEAM WON'T SEE YOU
IN THE FINALS

VISHNU
PRATHAM
ANANYA

V/S

TIME: 3:00 P.M.

VENUE: AV ROOM





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Team Proposition

THE DEBATING SOCIETY
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EXHIBITION DEBATE

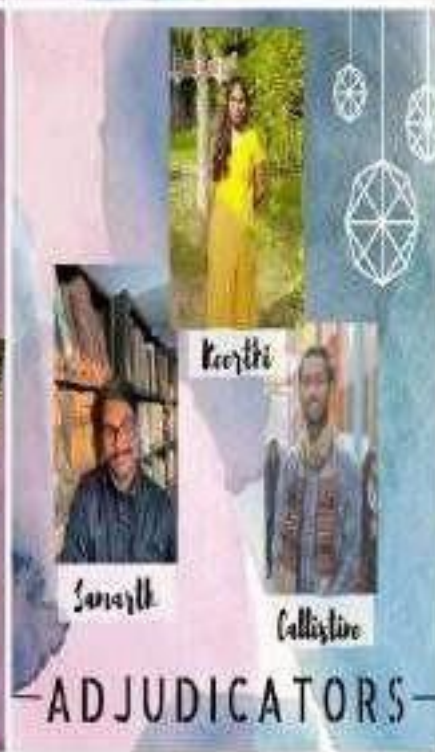
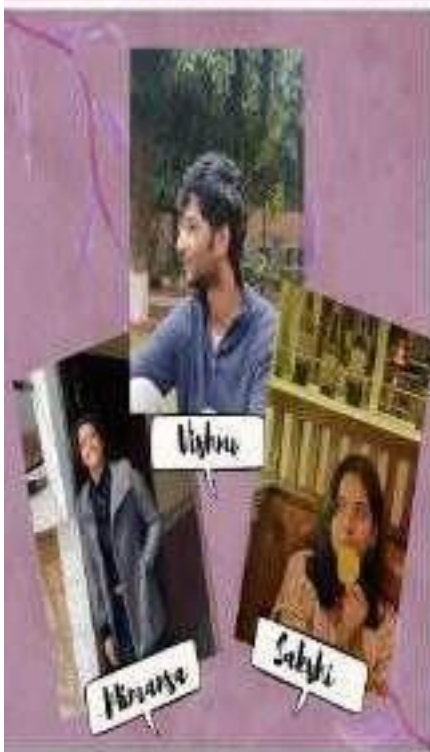
asian parliamentary format

Tuesday,
17th January 2023

04:00 PM

College Hall

Team Opposition



<p>LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES</p>	 <p>THE ORGANIZING OFFICE</p>	<p>LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES</p>
<p>CREATING OPPORTUNITIES</p>	<p>EXHIBITION 2024</p> 	<p>CREATING OPPORTUNITIES</p>

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Speakers

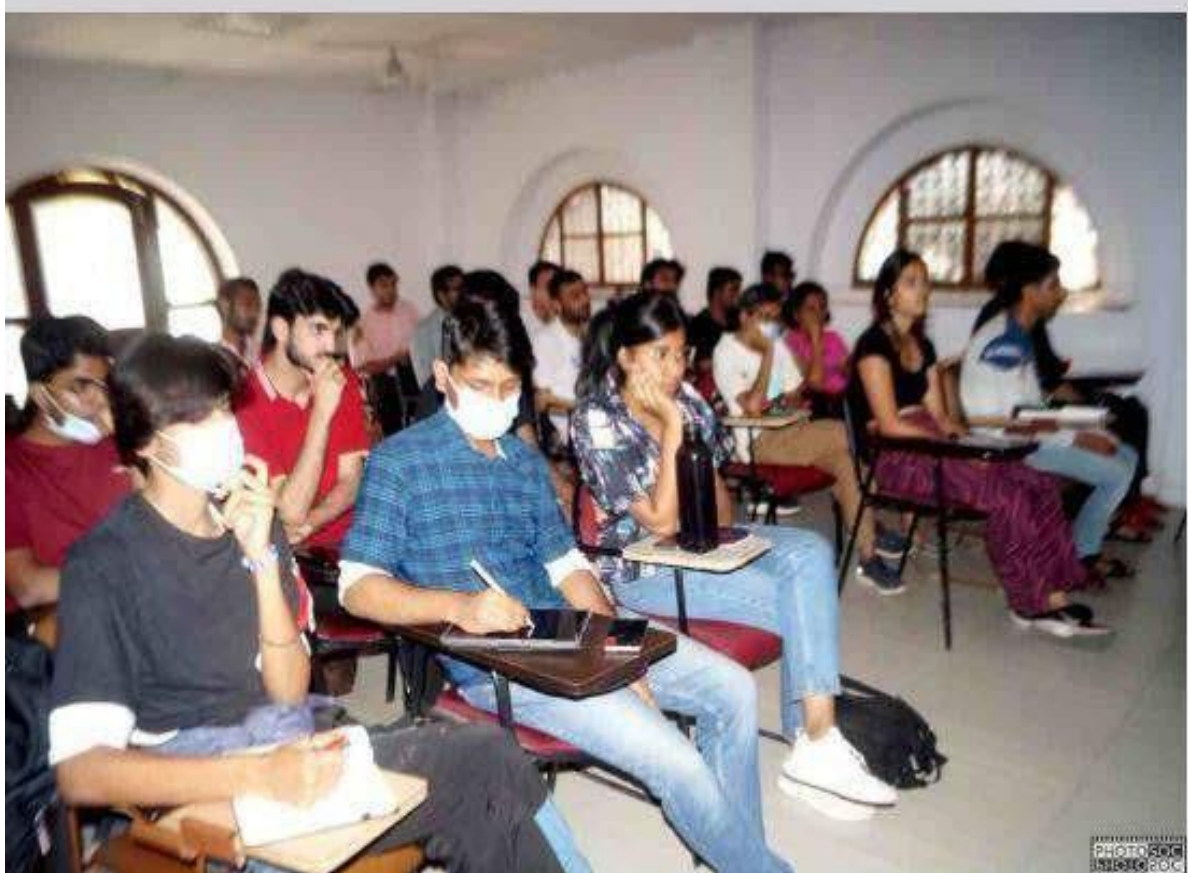
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ECONFLUENCE 2022

Econfluence is Ecosoc's policy case competition. Themed on Crisis Economics, Econfluence was completely an online competition with inspirations drawn as real as possible. It comprised three rumbustious rounds each more clenching than before presenting the audience with varying levels of intricacies and poise.

- **Preliminary Round**

Date: 15th October and 16th October, 2022

Timing: 10AM (15th) - 10AM (16th)

Logistics: Google Forms

Teams had to answer 3 subjective questions on problems regarding policy, international relations, and economics, all requiring a clear understanding of the latest ideas in the global whereabouts. All instructions were conveyed to participants through the mail and a Whatsapp group was specially created for the registrants.

Participation: Lone wolves and teams of 2 were allowed to register. Around 319 teams registered for the event. 39 teams successfully completed the preliminary round.

Qualifiers: After we marked their answers, we normalized scores to account for discrepancies in the difficulty level of questions.

The top 30 teams then qualified for the semi-finals.

They were as follows:

1. Rakshit Sinha
2. Priyanshu Kundu
3. Arul Gupta
4. Punya Malhotra
5. Savleen Kaur
6. Akash Sen
7. Ritandar Kundu
8. Shilpa Ann Thomas
9. Devangi Sharma
10. Shubham Goyal
11. Yashvi Bhutoria
12. Utsav Agarwal
13. Sameer Khurana
14. Tejaswani Sahuja
15. Vinay Prasad
16. Karishhma Sewal

ECQUIZZITE 2022

Ecquizzite is a rumbustious event and a one-of-a-kind quiz based on Economic Theory, History, Business Finance, and Pop Culture. This year it was held in an offline setting in two rounds - **Prelims on 28th September 2022** followed by the Finals on **28th September 2022**. Ecquizzite has been the most sought-after event in the DU Circuit and has seen registrations.

Preliminary Round:

Date: 28th September 2022

Time: 2:00 - 3:00 PM

The major themes were Economic Theory and History, Business, Pop Culture, and Current Affairs. There were 20 questions in total which included Fill in the Blanks, One Word Answer, and Identify X/Y type questions. The participants were handed over sheets of paper to jot down their responses which were later submitted for evaluation. The rulebook was made available to the participants and was also read out for their perusal.

Logistics: The round took place in the college hall

Participation: A total of 309 registrations were recorded, while we had a footfall of 96 teams in the event.

Qualifiers:

We had 6 teams that qualified for the final round which are as follows (not in any particular order):

1. Abhik S Basu and Vasundhra T
2. Rudra Guha and Aditya S Krishna
3. Ambarish Jha and Sujit Ray
4. Nikhil Joshi and Abhiraj Singh
5. Shivam Pareekh and Saarthak Chhabra
6. Dev Ishaan Agarwal and Anirudh Ghildiyal

The Vinod Chowdhury Memorial Debate 2022

The Vinod Chowdhury Memorial Debate was held in two rounds - The Prelims on 10th-11th September and The Semi-Finals and Finals on 17th September 2022. The Debate was started in 2008, in the memory of Vinod Chowdhury, Head of the Department of Economics at St. Stephen's College. Over the years, the debate has seen increasing participation from colleges across Delhi University and has emerged as one of the most prestigious Economics-centric debating competitions in the country.

→ Preliminary Round

Date: 10-11th September

Time: 2:00 PM-7:00 PM (on 10th)

11:00 AM- 1:00 PM and 5:00 PM to 7:00 PM (on 11th)

The theme for the preliminary round was Sustainable Economics and the society had adopted a conventional debate format, consisting of two sub- rounds: the introduction round and the rebuttal + point of information round. The prelims started off with the introduction speech followed by an explanation of the debate format along with time constraints. The teams were then given their stances on the motions they were allotted 30mins prior to the debate. After the completion of all the rounds, a vote of thanks was then given. The round went on smoothly and the structure of the debate was much appreciated by the adjudicators.

Logistics: The round was conducted on Zoom. Each day the meeting room was divided into two breakout rooms. Cumulatively, there were eight breakout rooms in two days, each with a different motion and adjudicator.

Participants: There was a total turnout of 60-70 teams in total. Each breakout room had around 8 teams.

Motions: The following were the motions for each breakout room:

- 10th Room A: This House believes that population control is the best possible solution to achieve the SDGs

- 10th Room B: This house wishes to abolish the expansion and investing in development of labor-replacing technologies such as Artificial Intelligence as it could worsen the ongoing unemployment situation in the long run.

The Vinod Chowdhury Memorial Event 2022

Vinod Chowdhury Memorial Lecture:

Date: September 18th 2022

Time: 6:30 - 7:30 PM

The Economics Society, St. Stephen's College hosted Prof. Bhaskar Chakravorti for a lecture, under the 15th Vinod Chowdhury Memorial Lecture and Debate 2022.

About Prof. Bhaskar Chakravorti: Prof. Bhaskar Chakravorti is the dean of global business at The Fletcher School at Tufts University and founding executive director of Fletcher's Institute for Business in the Global Context. In addition, he also serves on the World Economic Forum's Global Future Council on Innovation and Entrepreneurship, is an advisory board member for the UNDP's International Centre for the Private Sector in Development based in Istanbul, and is a non-resident senior fellow at the Brookings Institution India. He received Ph.D. in Economics from the University of Rochester, his M.A. from the Delhi School of Economics and B.A. (honours) from Delhi University's St. Stephen's College.

Topic:

The topic of this lecture was: "Digital Shock- 10 Surprises About Humans On the Internet In A Pandemic".

Insights from the Lecture:

Prof. Bhaskar Chakravorti started off the lecture by throwing light on the epochal position of the internet in the pandemic followed by nuancing his 10 paradoxical elements in the domain of digital economy and humans. He talked about the first paradox- the emerging solidarity among nations which reaped mirth across the globe despite the challenging times. Later, he brought more arguments into play as he weighed digital growth pertaining to economic growth where he compared economies like the UK, USA and India. In addition to this, he addressed the lack of digital infrastructure which was revealed during the pandemic as countries adapted to new systems. Even as economies took the road to being cashless, bank money circulation grew in value and volume bringing out another paradox which Prof. Bhaskar had highlighted. Further, the lecture factored in the position of AI where technology on one hand espoused research and prognosis, while on the other it failed to give precision thus juxtaposing its accuracy.

Prof. Chakravorti later dealt with more sociological aspects and highlighted how history knits up with people's expectations and behavior which was also seen to be disrupted due to the pandemic, feeding to another paradox. Furthermore, the lecture also peered at the future through the paradoxical lens, as Prof. talked about the swinging position of technology as companies and firms workout the work from home bias. He strongly linked AI development as he enumerated how AI decisions need more diverse instruction dataset which could be aided by diversity hiring. He also laid points on the Ukrainian economy, as it manages to strive in "putindemic", which is a result of in time industry expansion of Ukraine by adapting to digitization. At last, Prof. Chakravorti bid adieu highlighting covid crisis as an "information crisis" besides all its attributes. The session then ended with some very relevant questions raised by the participants.

Participants: The lecture was held on Zoom and simultaneously live streamed on Youtube. We had students from multiple colleges and faculty too. Throughout the session,

the number of attendees hovered between 56-62 with a peak of around 64.

METADRIFT - MARKET SIMULATION

Metadrift is a Market Simulation Event organized by The Economics Society. The theme for this year's market simulation event was racing. Varied components of cars were traded as commodities which included: tyres, engines, suspensions, brakes and drivers. There were four rounds depicting four different race track conditions and ultimately, the team with the highest net worth along with efficiency was the winner.

- **Date:** 5th November, 2022
- **Timing:** 4:00 PM
- **Venue:** SCR Lawns, St Stephen's College
- **Participation:** Lone wolves and teams of 2 were allowed to register. Around 250 teams registered for the event.

About the Event:

The five different commodities constituted to make a whole car for the race. Participants had to gather 8 tyres, 4 suspensions, 1 driver, 1 engine and 1 brake in the least cost. Furthermore, each commodity was divided into sub-commodities that had a certain efficiency factor to them. The participants also had to make sure their car is the most efficient in the race.

The participants had to do so by trading in 4 rounds on the basis of the news and rumors that were released before each round. The news and rumors directly affected both the price of the sub commodity and the efficiency factor assigned to it.

Bank: A bank was also set up where teams could deposit their in-hand cash, at most thrice, for a 10 percent interest. Additionally, the bank also offered the service of trading properties. Teams could buy the properties from the bank at a price 10% higher than the current trading price and sell them to the bank at a price 10% less than the current trading prices. In addition, there were two games booth where teams could win and increase net worth along with efficiency with which they could purchase more sub-commodities:

- **Spin the Wheel:** A team has to guess on two numbers and the wheel will be spun twice respectively. Along with that, teams will also have to bet on an amount ranging from 5 to 15. The team wins twice the amount if one of the numbers matches, thrice if both the numbers match and loses the amount if none of them matches.

NEF Inaugural Lecture

Lecture by Ms. Anshula Kant

Date: 10th February, 2023

Time: 06:00-07:00 PM

The Economics Society of St. Stephen's College hosted Ms. Anshula Kant for the Lecture at its flagship event, the National Economics Festival.

About Ms. Anshula Kant

Ms. Kant is the Managing Director and Chief Financial Officer of World Bank Group, where she handles the crucial financial and risk management of the World Bank Group. She was also a Managing Director and member of the Board of SBI. Through her work at the State Bank of India (SBI), Ms. Kant has more than 35 years of experience in banking, including retail and corporate banking, mortgage finance, local currency and foreign exchange instruments, and a diverse array of leadership challenges covering finance, risk, operations, treasury, funding, regulatory compliance and general management.

Topic:

How the World Bank supports Sustainable Development

Insights from the Lecture:

The speaker began by speaking about the current macroeconomic situation with the world economies coming out of multiple crises. Then she moved on to discussing development gains, the decline in the other positive factors, the sharp inflation increase, and supply chain blockages around the world. This led to tightened monetary policy, base points increased and the climate crisis intensified with a 1.5-2 degree target in doubt for 2050. The Indian economy has been resilient with 6.9% growth in 2023, 6.4% forecasted in 2024. The World bank's overview: IBRD 1944 to rebuild Europe transformed to be the world bank as well as being self-sustaining. It shifted to poverty alleviation in the 60s, owned by 189 countries, largest in the USA etc. Its bonds in capital markets are of AAA rating. Indian history had loans in '49 for railway development by Vijay Laxmi pandit and this was the first asian loan. There are 100+ active projects for over \$22 billion for India. The key focus areas of the world bank are areas like poverty, climate change, food insecurity etc. The mention of green bonds being focussed towards environment sustainability followed a brief discussion on impact reports of the IBRD: Corporate governance, etc. The session ended with an announcement of Internship and young professional programs with the World Bank and a question-answer round with questions on debt trap diplomacy, the Paris club etc.

Participants:

Lecture by Mr. Arun Maira

Date: 11th February, 2023

Time: 09:30-10:30 AM

The Economics Society of St. Stephen's College hosted Mr. Arun Maira for the Lecture at its flagship event, the National Economics Festival.

About Mr. Arun Maira

Arun Maira is a thought leader on social and economic development and transformational change and leadership. Mr. Maira is Chairman of the Board of Trustees of HelpAge International and Chairman of the Foundation for MSME Clusters. He was a Member of the Planning Commission of India from 2009 to 2014, and of the National Innovation Council, besides being Chairman of The Boston Consulting Group in India from 2000-2008. Earlier, he worked with the Tata Group for 25 years in senior management and board positions.

Topic:

A New Paradigm of Economic Policy

Insights from the Lecture:

The lecturer began by sharing some of his experiences in college. There was mention of the 1964 DUSU calls for protest against Chinese encroachment, wherein St. Stephens had refused to join. He had a discussion with the president of the union, who'd said that they weren't nationalists. The discussion began with prospects of public policy and the role of money. The Indian economy in 2009 was growing fast, but rising unemployment and environmental degradation hampered the 5 year plans, making them ineffective.

Economics is a science of the study of the people. System thinking is necessary for good policy making. Students are not taught to listen, but to convince people. Everything must not be measured by money only. Money is required to measure but in this world only money can buy. Human labor becomes an expression of money. There isn't any universal standard for measuring money. Growth of almost everything is measured in monetary terms.

There was mention of the Bhopal gas tragedy where the value of lives were more than the compensation paid according to the US, implying that an Indian life is less precious than the life of an American. Economic inequalities became worse after the onset of liberalisation.

Economists consider the economy as a machine. This model is fundamentally flawed, it does not take into account the innovation that takes place. It doesn't consider human emotions. Friedman had resorted to efficient market outcomes, rather than democratic decision making. This should not happen, people should speak about the injustices in society. He continued by talking about

Lecture by Dr. Prachi Mishra

Date: 12th February, 2023

Time: 07:00-08:00 PM

The Economics Society of St. Stephen's College hosted Dr. Prachi Mishra for the Lecture at its flagship event, the National Economics Festival.

About Dr. Prachi Mishra

Dr. Prachi Mishra is Chief of the Systemic Issues Division, in the Research Department at the IMF. Prior to that she was Advisor in the Research Department at the IMF; Managing Director in the Global Macro Research Group at Goldman Sachs; Specialist Adviser and Head of Strategic Research Unit at the Reserve Bank of India; and Senior Economist at the Ministry of Finance, and at the Prime Minister's Economic Advisory Council in the Government of India. She received a PhD in Economics from Columbia University in 2004, and a Masters from the Delhi School of Economics in 1999.

Topic: Understanding US Inflation during the Covid Era

Insights from the Lecture:

Ms. Prachi Mishra began with a deep dive into US inflation from a general perspective before heading towards the COVID era. There was thus, mentions of headline inflation, core inflation and headline shocks. She stated causes of Labor market tightness over a pass-through time of 12 months (average). She emphasized core inflation by mentioning the importance of Core measurement : XFE inflation vs Median. She talked about non-linearities through locally weighted scatter-plot smoothing (lowess). She reported some Phillips Curve estimates to show Median CPI Inflation. She then went on to explain the framework of rise in core inflation during the pandemic. She talked about how the American Rescue plan played a role in the whole thing by accounting for the rise in inflation. She also compared models to answer two future questions: Whether the Beveridge Curve would shift back after shifting out during the pandemic and will inflation expectations remain anchored even though SPF and Michigan have drifted up slightly. She closed with discussing where inflation is heading, talking about conditional paths for unemployment and Inflation with FOMC unemployment projections. Throughout the session, there were multiple pauses for participants to ask questions on whatever the speaker was talking about and everyone participated enthusiastically.

Participants:

The lecture was held on Zoom. We had students from multiple colleges and faculty too. Throughout the session, the number of attendees hovered between 30-40 with a peak of around 41.

Youtube Link to the Lecture: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=PiuuNxxh38k>

Lecture by Mr. Iqbal Dhaliwal

Date: 11th February, 2023

Time: 06:30-07:30 PM

The Economics Society of St. Stephen's College hosted Mr. Iqbal Dhaliwal for the Lecture at its flagship event, the National Economics Festival.

About Mr. Iqbal Dhaliwal

Mr. Dhaliwal is the Global Executive Director of The Abdul Latif Jameel Poverty Action Lab-MIT (J-PAL), which is a global research center working to reduce poverty. Iqbal stood first in the nationwide Civil Services examination and also received the Director's Gold Medal at India's National Academy of Administration, he began his career in public service as a member of the Indian Administrative Service (securing AIR 1 in 1996), post which he moved out to the United States to excel in the field of economics.

Topic: Why growth is not enough?

Insights from the Lecture:

The focus of the lecture was on randomised control trials. The lecture was not about macroeconomics, it was very focused on microeconomics. It focused on poverty, human behaviour- (Developmental Economics), not philosophically but rather on what can be done moving ahead. There was emphasis on the importance of growth- China was able to lift more than 850 million people out of poverty. Despite economic growth, problems persist around the world. 373 million people remain below the upper middle poverty line of \$5.50 a day. In 2017 almost 1.6 million died from diarrhoea around the world. In the US, 34 million live below the poverty line, there are 10 million food insecure households and more than 5,00,000 experience homelessness. Growth causes problems like greater energy consumption, boosted carbon emissions and pollution and many others. Therefore, growth isn't the answer to all challenges of poverty. Poverty is hunger, lack of shelter, lack of access to preventive or curative health care, illiteracy, unemployment and increased chance of incarceration. Poverty is a vicious cycle which is hard to break.

To combat low demand for schooling, there are information campaigns, Free Lunch programs, cash grant initiatives, deworming and making sure the uniform is not a barrier to attending school. There is sometimes a lack of school inputs which also depends on the quality and supply of teachers. Decision makers face a dilemma where a challenge has many potentially good solutions but time and funding is limited.

Impact is defined as a comparison between what actually happened some time after the program has been introduced vs what would have happened (counterfactual). Counterfactuality represents

Game of Drones

This year we had a case study competition based on the UAV industry and slightly based on the theme of the popular show, Game of Thrones, during the National Economics Festival, titled "Game of Drones".

Preliminary Round

Date: 4th February 2023

Time: 5:00 PM- 7:00 PM

Structure: The prelims consisted of three sub-rounds: a cryptic hunt incorporated with standard quiz questions and a mini case study at the end of the hunt. It had an aspect where the participants cracked some economic riddles.

Logistics: The prelims were carried out on google forms and the information was communicated via WhatsApp Groups made for the same

Participation: A total of 279 registrations were received out of which 6 teams were shortlisted for the finals.

Scoring Criteria: The top 40 teams to finish cracking the clues fastest were sent the mini case study document, the submissions for which were then marked on the basis of feasibility of answers, logical reasoning and creativity of solutions.

The top 6 teams were chosen as the finalists:

1. AgriRealms
2. Anushka & Sahana
3. Team Case Chasers
4. The Ultimate Marketing Plan
5. BonneliX Technology Ltd.
6. BizCon

Further, the following 4 teams were waitlisted:

1. Company X Drones
2. DigBick
3. Shreya, Anaswara & Anita
4. The Calm Storm

Snapshots:

NC RAY Paper Presentation

Date: 11th February, 2023

Time: 11:30 AM-03:00 PM

An indispensable part of the National Economics Festival, NC Ray Paper Presentation is an Economic Research Paper Presentation Competition for undergraduate students that attracts some of the best minds from across the country to put forth their work on any topic related to the field of economics. Participants send their research papers which are then judged by esteemed academicians. In the Final Round, 5 papers were selected and the student teams had to present their research papers to judges in under 20 minutes. After the presentation judges could cross-question the presenters. The judging panel constituted three esteemed judges: Debasis Mishra, Abhiroop Mukhopadhyay and Dr. Soumendu Sarkar. All 5 papers have been published in our annual journal, Towards Equilibrium.

Logistics: The event was conducted in room F.

Participants:

5 Teams presented their papers in the last round

Team 1: Deepali Desai, Ojasvi Ghai

Team 2: Mayukh Dutta, Meghna Ghosh, Kashika Iyer, Saniya Ilyas

Team 3: Rohini Datta, Torsha Sen, Manjari Agrawal

Team 4: Arshia Goswami, Aritra Mazumdar

Team 5: Yasashvi Paarakh, Soumil Agarwal

Results

Winner: Team 3 (Rohini Datta, Torsha Sen, Manjari Agrawal)

Topic: The Rise and Fall of Gender Discrimination in a Heterogenous Family Model and the Role of Globalization: A Micro-Theoretic Analysis

First Runners Up: Team 5 (Yasashvi Paarakh, Soumil Agarwal)

Topic: Do Political Women Help Working Women? Evidence from a Randomized Policy in India

Snapshots:

Prometheus

The flagship Economics and Business Quiz of The Economics Society, Prometheus, from its inception, has been one of the most challenging and exciting Economics and Business quizzes in the Delhi University circuit and has seen registration of 800+ teams every year. This year, it was held in two rounds - the Prelims on 4th February 2023 and the Finals on 12th February 2023.

Preliminary Round

Date: 4th February 2023

Time: 2:00 PM

The Prelims Round was an online preliminary round with a time duration of 30 minutes consisting of 20 questions, which included Fill in the Blanks, One Word Answer, and Identify X/Y type questions. The major themes were Economic Theory and History, Business, Pop Culture, and Current Affairs. All the instructions were emailed to the participants in the form of a rulebook in the morning on the same day.

Logistics: The round took place on Google Forms.

Participation: We received a total of 138 responses.

Qualifiers: We had 6 teams that qualified for the final round which are as follows

1. Saarthak Chhabra and Laxya Lohan
2. Shivam Pareek and Prateet Jain
3. Rudraksh Chawla and Tarun Sunil Malayil
4. Anaamika S and Asmit Kumar
5. Ayushman Kaushik and Chander Maurya Kumbkarni
6. Guruprasad K and Bhargab

Cludonomics: Find The Invisible Hand

The experimental event held under NEF every year that explores out of the box ideas involving the application of economic concepts, Event X held this time was no exception. This year we had a strategy and murder-mystery solving event titled 'CLUDONOMICS: Find The Invisible Hand', that tested innovation and reasoning skills of participants. A famous economist has been murdered and it is time that seasoned investigators track down the attacker and gather the evidence needed to ensure justice for the victim.

Preliminary Round

Date: 4th February 2023

Time: 2:00 PM

The Prelims Round was an online preliminary round consisting of 12 questions. Each time a team answered a question correctly a piece of a picture was shared with them which they were expected to download. After a team answered all the questions correctly and they had downloaded all the images, they were supposed to connect these images to obtain the final image that contained hints for the final clue. The first 4 teams that deciphered the final image proceeded to the finals. All the instructions were emailed to the participants in the form of a rulebook in the morning on the same day.

Logistics: The round took place on Google Forms.

Participation: We received a total of 71 responses of 290 total registrations.

Qualifiers:

We had 4 teams that qualified for the final round which are as follows:

- Savleen Kaur Kapoor and Krishti Khandelwal
- Sakshi Maheshwari and Soumya Agrawal
- Samridha Varmani, Rishit Singh and Kamit Jhajharia
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Lecture by Mr. Subhashish Bhadra

Speaker: Subhashish Bhadra

About the speaker: Mr. Subhashish Bhadra is an operator at a start-up, an investor in venture capital, an author, a public speaker, a policy professional, and a management consultant.

Topic: "Looking at Economics through the lens of institutions"

Number of attendees: Around 35-40 people including professors.

Date: 25th April, 2023

Time: 2:00 PM onwards

Venue: Room XD, St. Stephen's College

Overview:

The lecture began with the speaker giving some context about how he transitioned from the world of management consulting to the public policy domain. He continued by highlighting the political undercurrent within economics and how entrance to the private and public sectors is barred by this undercurrent. There was emphasis on the continuity in the making of policies, the process of which grows with experience. The speaker then talked about leftist and rightist USA, state welfarism, multipolar world order. The concept of leviathan brings an end to chaos and places citizens above the government. Each country is a leviathan in the context of that country's government's work. He moved on to talking about some US policies and their implementation along with its comparison to the Indian context. The examples used included ones like the PDS and PSE'S Law of specific incidence. Scandinavian countries which involve coalition workers were mentioned. Finally, the lecture turned to the talk about how institutions and their way of dealing with other institutions determines how their policies will work, before reaching the conclusion that the concept of an "institution" may sound boring but at the end of the day, it still affects the economy. To control system erosion, governments need to look at good institutions and toil through generations.

This was followed by a question answer round wherein 4-5 people asked questions regarding Political polarisation, erosion, etc.

Economics Deconstructed

Economics Deconstructed was an Essay and Infographic competition as a part of the event hosted by the Editorial Board. The competition gave participants the opportunity to author and create insightful and inquisitive content thus emboldening and expanding ingenious thinking among them.

Date: Entries were accepted from 28th August to 23rd October, 2022

Theme: Deconstructing the economics of branding, climate change or demography

Logistics: Submissions could be submitted in the form of two categories - essays and infographics. The competition will be open to the current undergraduate and postgraduate students of all colleges. The guidelines were published on the blog, EconAfterHours. Participants had to send their entries via mail. The top essay entries were released on the blog.

Participation: We received a total of 25 submissions in both the categories.

Results: The results were as follows

- Essay

Winner: Nathan Lobow

1st Runner Up: Garvit Gupta

2nd Runner Up: Abhigya Asmi

- Infographic

Winner: Kotha Lakshmi Kusuma

Society Activity Report 2022-23

The Electronics Society

The Electronics Society Orientation

Date: 19 Nov 2022

Resource person(s): Ancy A. Daniel, Pankhuri Chaturvedi

Venue: NPLT

No. of participants: 22

Event Description:

To welcome the 2026 batch and brief them about the working of our society.

Poster for the event:



Society Activity Report 2022-23

The Electronics Society

Soldering Session

Date: 19 Feb 2023

Resource person(s): Ancy A. Daniel, Pankhuri Chaturvedi

Venue: CRT (4pm)

No. of participants: 13

Event Description:

The students were introduced to the components for soldering i.e., Soldering iron, solder wire, flux, etc. A demo session by us was followed by a hands-on experience for them to solder LEDs on a perf board.

Society Activity Report 2022-23

The Electronics Society

Artificial Intelligence and its Impact on Education

Date: 27th April 2023

Speaker: Mahasweta Bhattacharya

Date: 27th April 2023

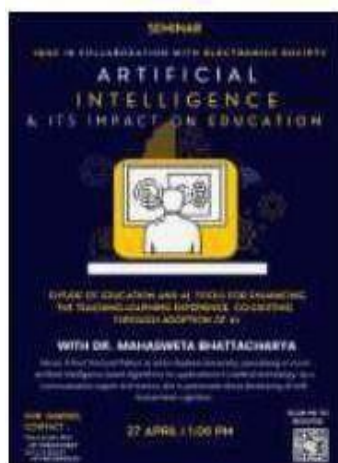
Venue: Seminar room and OPLT

No. of participants: 56

Event Description:

The Electronics Society in collaboration with the IQAC held a seminar. The talk was given by Dr. Mahasweta Bhattacharya on the topic, of A.I. and its impacts on education. In this talk, we looked over why we are using AI models in their current state. Developing from the start of AI model using neural networks and basic image recognition, we discussed various AI tools which have been emerging recently, ChatGPT, bard, etc. We discussed how are these models changing the teaching and learning process and what changes can be expected in the development of students. How can these be used as tools to aid the teaching-learning process and how can they change the course of teaching and learning in subjects of literature and arts. On the one hand, where it's providing us with easy access to information on the other hand it is affecting the creativity of the upcoming generation. The talk was concluded by mentioning the advantages and disadvantages of the A.I tools and what key points one should take into account while using them. By the end, we had an enriching QnA session where Dr. Mahasweta answered questions from faculty and various members attending the talk.

Poster for the event:



From Dreams to Reality, The Journey of a Powerful Vision

The Enabling unit collaborated with the Civil Services Forum to organize a talk on 9th November 2022, by IAS officer Satender Singh. The talk was an enlightening session where Mr. Singh shed light on how one can overcome challenges posed by disability without compromising on one's ambitions.



Questioning the capitalist, abled bodied notion of love

The Enabling Unit collaborated with Debating society in the final event of The Satyam Jha Memorial Dialogue 2023 for a panel discussion on the topic 'Questioning the capitalist, abled bodied notion of love' by NU, Aish and Garima on 8th April 2023 which was an insightful discussion that challenged the normally accepted abled notions in personal life. The panel discussion was an interactive and open session that witnessed a good participation.



Intertwining Disability and University Spaces for Empowerment

The Enabling Unit organised a talk on 30th January 2023, on the topic 'Intertwining Disability and University Spaces for Empowerment' by Mr. Abhishek Thakur, an Assistant Professor at the Department of Social Work, Delhi University. He is a recipient of the National Award presented by the President of India for his contributions towards the empowerment of persons with disabilities.



Drishtikon 2023

Drishtikon is the flagship event of the Enabling Unit held annually. The festival provides a platform for persons with disabilities to showcase their talents and celebrates disability. It includes para-sports, creative writing, and singing competitions, among others. The Enabling Unit provides accessibility support to all participants.

The Annual Fest of the Enabling Unit was held in collaboration with the Social Service League on 5th and 6th April 2023. The event celebrated disability, promoted accessibility, and provided a platform for discourse and discussion on disability. The event featured talks, workshops, and talent competitions centered around the theme of promoting accessibility. It was inaugurated by a chief guest talk by Mr. KVS Rao, and it featured many talent competitions, rock climbing activity, and a musical evening by a band which consists of visually impaired members and headed by a visually challenged and an alumnus of this college Mr. Ankur Gupta. The Blind Relief Association supported and sponsored the event.

1. Talk by Mr. KVS Rao

Azadi Ka Amrit Mohotsav

The Enabling Unit collaborated with the National Cadet Corps to commemorate the 75th Independence day. Enabling Unit members participated and contributed through cultural performances like poetry and singing. The event provided a platform for persons with disabilities to explore their co-curricular interests and develop skills.

The PWD students actively participated in a range of cultural activities and performances that captivated the audience. The event provided a platform for these students to express themselves and celebrate their unique talents.

The Independence Day celebration was a resounding success, emphasizing the college's commitment to inclusivity and providing a platform for PWD students to shine. The collaboration with NCC and the Enabling Unit enhanced the overall experience, making it a memorable occasion that celebrated both the spirit of independence and the diversity of talents within the college community.

Sign Language Workshop

The Enabling Unit collaborated with the Social Service League of St. Stephen's College for a workshop on 26th September 2022, named 'Sign Language Workshop.' Volunteers from the National Association of the Deaf facilitated the volunteers to spread awareness about the basics of sign language to make university campuses more inclusive for persons with hearing impairment.



Enactus Orientation with First-Year Junior Members

Enactus, St. Stephen's College, organized its society Orientation on **19th September 2023**. It was held in **the AV Room from 2-4 pm**. The orientation was held to introduce the first-year junior members to our society. We told them about Enactus, what it stands for, how we work and about our past projects as well as future plans. The orientation was attended by 20-25 people.

After the Orientation, a fun treasure hunt was also organized for the people who attended the orientation.

All the people were divided into teams of three. 7 teams were formed.

They were given questions and QR codes to scan which would lead them to a password protected pdf. The answer to the question would be the password of the pdf and would provide them with the college map, telling them about the location of the next clue.

The winners were given a shoutout and were rewarded.

The treasure hunt was enjoyed by all the participants and made them learn more about the college as well as the entrepreneurship-related questions being very informative for them.

The orientation along with the treasure hunt ended up with the first-year junior members being familiarized with what Enactus does and what Enactus stands for. Both the orientation and Treasure hunt went smoothly and were successful events.

Bussoc: Panel Discussion

Bussoc, the annual flagship event of Enactus, included a Panel Discussion which was held on 3rd April 2023. The event was held in the College Hall from 2pm onwards. The panel discussion included **Sharad Vivek Sagar** (founder and CEO of Dexterity Global), **Aakriti Rawal** (CO-founder and CEO of House of Chikankari) and **Rohit Nandwani** (Founder of Hammer Lifestyle)

The panel discussion was expertly moderated by **Hiteshwar Sharma**, Enactus executive council member, who skillfully guided the conversation, ensuring a productive and engaging discussion.

The theme of the Panel Discussion was “**Why are entrepreneurs doubling down on social impact?**”

The event, organized with the aim of providing valuable insights to aspiring entrepreneurs, witnessed an enthusiastic participation of over 80 attendees from different colleges as it was an open event.

The Panel Discussion was initiated with an introduction from each speaker. The panelists shared their personal experiences, providing valuable insights and practical strategies to navigate the complex entrepreneurial landscape. Attendees actively participated, asking insightful questions and engaging in meaningful discussions.

The panel discussion on entrepreneurship proved to be a resounding success, providing attendees with valuable insights, actionable strategies, and inspiration to embark on their entrepreneurial journeys. The event not only educated but also empowered the attendees, equipping them with the knowledge and confidence needed to navigate the challenges of entrepreneurship. The event was concluded with a vote of thanks to all the speakers and a group photograph of the council and the speakers.

Bussoc: Potenza (Product Innovation and Design Challenge)

Enactus, St. Stephen's College held its third Bussoc 2023 from 3rd to 5th April.

- The participants were presented with a project that they had to analyze using their problem-solving skills, analytical abilities and innovative ideas, and thus presented a business strategy to take the project forward.
- The competition consisted of two rounds:
 - 1) Prelims(online): Abstract submissions on unstop
 - 2) Finals(offline): held in Room AS3 on 5th April at 2:30 pm
- The Theme was “‘No Poverty’ and Any Other Two SDGs”
- All the event publicity was done through online modes on platforms such as Instagram, Facebook and LinkedIn.
- We received 52 registrations for the competition. A total of 15 students were shortlisted after the prelims for the final round. They were then called for the final which was held offline within the college campus where they had to present their project.
- We chose one winning proposal after careful consideration and deliberations with all Enactus team members.

Project Chirag

Enactus, St. Stephen's College, organized Project Chirag in October'22. On the occasion of Diwali, Enactus decided to bring smiles to the women of the potter community by incentivizing their work as we bought diyas in bulk and conducted a diya painting event in the SCR lawns.

The event was held in collaboration with **The Fine Arts Society** of our college.

More than 100 students turned up to paint these diyas. Songs were played while people sat and painted the diyas together with their friends enjoying the festive vibe. The event brought together students in a colorful display of talent and camaraderie. The air buzzed with excitement as participants adorned plain clay diyas with intricate designs, vibrant colors, and imaginative patterns, transforming them into exquisite pieces of art. These diyas were sourced from a local community of talented yet underprivileged women potters which not only empowered these women economically but also infused our event with a profound sense of social responsibility and empathy. The collaboration aimed to support these skilled artisans, providing them with a platform to showcase their craftsmanship and earn a sustainable income for their families.

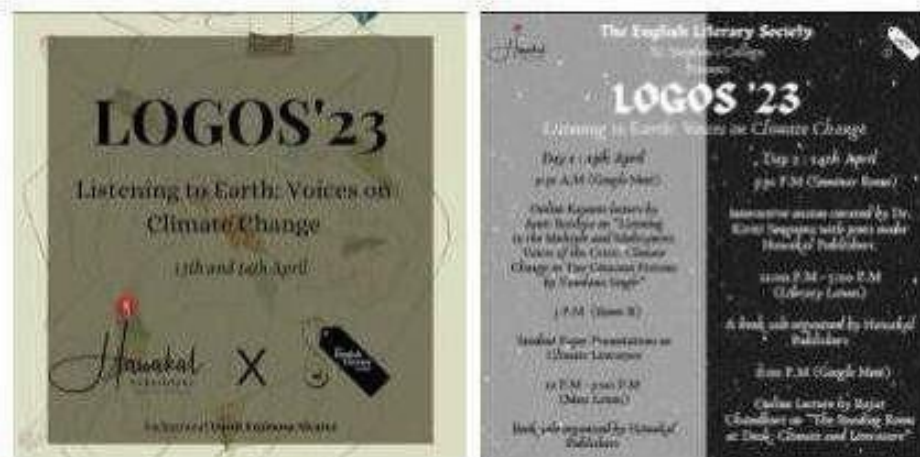
Moreover, Enactus sold Diwali home décor made from waste milk bottles.

This unique partnership transformed the event into a celebration not just of art and culture but also of compassion and solidarity, leaving an indelible mark on the hearts of everyone involved.

It was a very wholesome and memorable event for everyone.

Logos '23

Logos is the annual festival of the English Literary Society, St. Stephen's. It was a two-day fest held between 13-14 April 2023 on the theme "Listening to Earth: Voices on Climate Change". The aim was to bring more attention to the global problem of environmental catastrophe and climate change.



Listening to the Multiple and Multispecies Voices of the Crisis: Climate Change in Two Cetacean Fictions by Vandana Singh

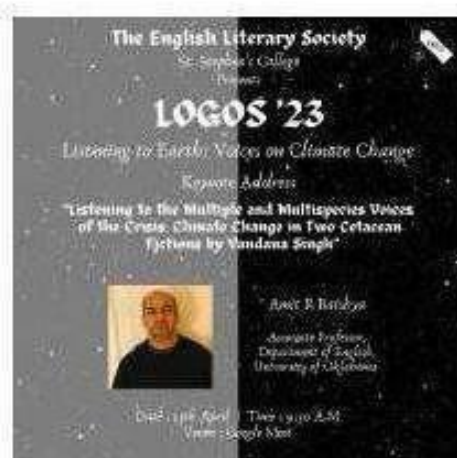
Date: 13 April 2023

Resource person(s): Prof Amit Baishya, Prof Apoorva Dimri, Prof Nishita Khattar

No. of participants: 60

Brief description of the event:

The English Literary Society of St. Stephen's College organised a lecture by Prof Amit Baishya who delivered on ecocriticism, the anthropocene, and contemporary fiction via Google Meet.



Student presentations

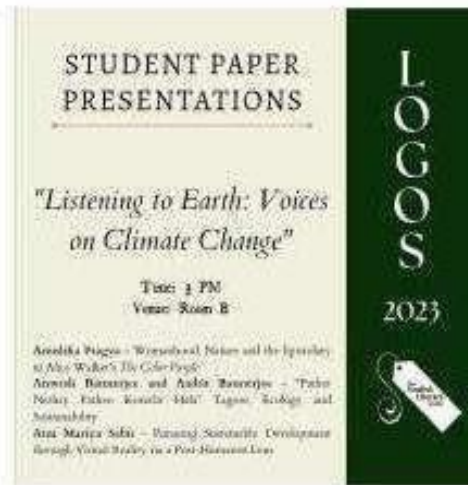
Date: 13th April 2023

Resource person(s):

No. of participants: 10

Brief description of the event:

The student paper presentations which were judged by Professor Apoorva Dimri and Professor Nishita Khattar.



Photoessay Competition

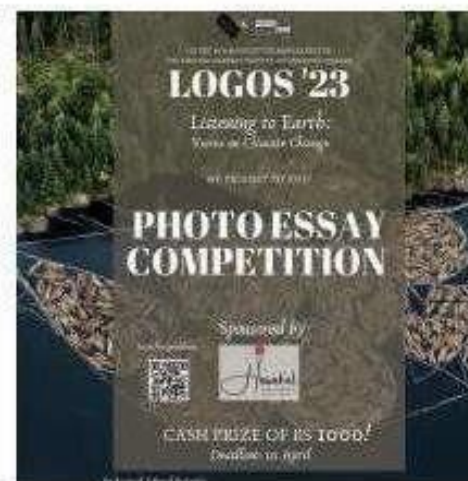
Date: 13th April 2023

Resource person(s):

No. of participants: 30

Brief description of the event:

The English Literary Society of St Stephen's College, in collaboration with The Photography Society, organised a Photo Essay Competition as part of Logos'23. Under the rubric of Climate Change and Literature, participants documented the environment, the relationship between technology and ecology, the anthropocene, degradation, and so on. The winners received a cash prize and the winning entry was featured in the 2022-23 edition of PostScript.



Interactive Poetry Session with Hawakal Publishers

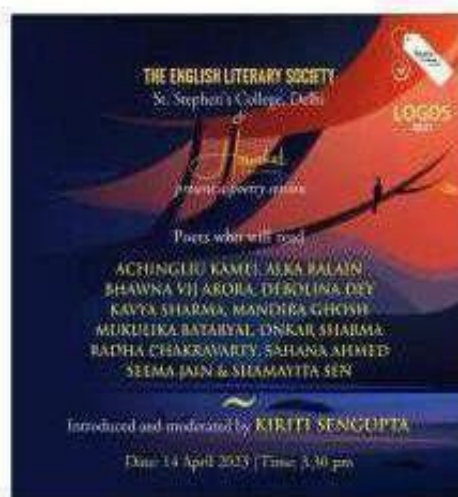
Date: 14 April 2023

Resource person(s): Dr. Kiriti Sengupta, Achingliu Kamei, Alka Balain, Bhawna Viji Arora, Debolina Dey, Kavya Sharma, Mandira Ghosh, Mukulika Batabyal, Onkar Sharma, Radha Chakravarty, Sahana Ahmed, Seema Jain, Shamayita Sen

No. of participants: 35

Brief description of the event:

The English Literary Society in collaboration with Hawakal Publishers held a poet's convention curated by Dr. Kiriti Sengupta where twelve poets in and around Delhi read out poems on climate change and further had an interactive session discussing each others' works amongst themselves as well as the audience.



The Reading Room at Dusk: Climate and Literature

Date: 14th April 2023

Resource person(s): Mr. Rajat Chaudhari

Brief description of the event:


Mr. Rajat Chaudhuri delivered a closing lecture on "The Reading Room at Dusk: Climate and Literature" via Google Meet. Book stalls were set up on both days of the festival as well, in collaboration with Hawakal Publishers who were the official sponsor of Logos '23.

The English Literary Society
St. Stephen's College
Presents

LOGOS '23

Listening to Earth: Voices on Climate Change
Online Lecture

"The Reading Room at Dusk: Climate and Literature"



Rajat Chaudhary
*Author, translator,
critic, and climate
activist.*

Thu, 14th April, Time: 1:00 P.M.
Venue - Utopia Hall


Hawkal
Presents

BOOK EXHIBITION

at
LOGOS 2023

Themed as
"THE READING ROOM AT DUSK"
A Reading Room at Dusk

Date: 13 and 14 April 2023 | Time: 12 noon to 5 pm
Venue: Utopia Hall, St. Stephen's College




Talk by Dr. Geetanjali Shree

Date: 10th April 2023

Resource person(s): Dr. Geetanjali Shree, S. M. Khalid

No. of participants: 60

Brief description of the event:

The Gandhi Ambedkar Study Circle in collaboration with the English Literary Society organised a conversation with the Booker Prize Winner author Dr. Geetanjali Shree. It also served as Day 0 of Gandhi Ambedkar Study Circle's Annual Fest, Satya. The session was moderated by S. M. Khalid. Dr. Shree discussed her International Booker-winning novel, *Ret Samadhi (Tomb of Sand)* alongside other texts, partition narratives, communal violence, translation, and politics. She talked about the politics of translation as well as her positioning as a Hindi language writer who chooses to write about decidedly peripheral characters and perspectives.



Breaking, Bending, Branching: Shapes of Trees and Hidden Knowledge Systems

Date: 5th April, 2023

Resource person(s): Dr. Sumana Roy

No. of participants: 40

Brief description of the event:

The English Literary Society, in collaboration with The Poetry Society, of St. Stephen's College, Delhi University, held a talk with Professor Sumana Roy on the topic "Breaking, Bending, Branching: Shapes of Trees and Hidden Knowledge Systems". Professor Roy teaches in the English and Creative Writing Department, at Ashoka University. This was a pre-fest event, in preparation for Logos'23.



Movie Screening - Nausicaa of the Valley of the Wind

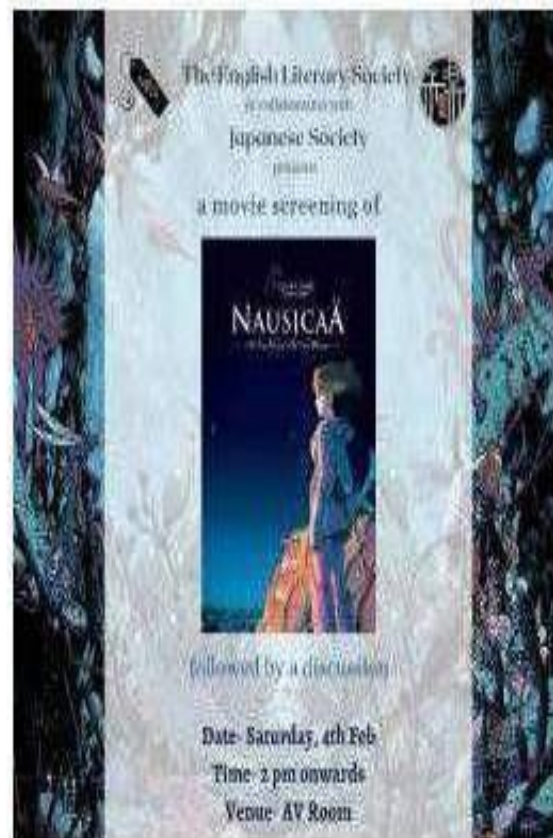
Date: 4th February 2022

Resource person(s):

No. of participants: 40

Brief description of the event:

The English Literary Society in collaboration with the Japanese Society screened Studio Ghibli's critically acclaimed film, Nausicaa of the Valley of the Wind. This is in anticipation of the annual festival of the society on Climate Change Literature.



City Representation and Climate Fiction in the films of Studio Ghibli

Date: 8th February 2023

Resource person(s): Dr. Priya Singh

Brief description of the event:

The English Literary Society hosted a talk on cities and representation in cinema, particularly the films of Studio Ghibli, by Dr. Priya Singh. This talk also took into account the previous collaboration with the Japanese Society and the screening of Nausicaa. A brief interactive session followed this.



Blackout Poetry

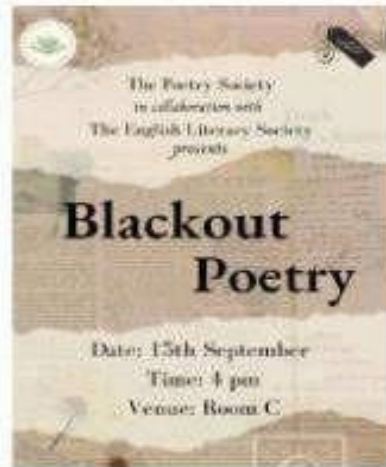
Date: 15 September 2022

Resource person(s) :

No. of participants: 17

Brief description of the event:

In this event, students were given extracts from books. Their task was to use their creativity in crossing out words and creating poetry from what remained on the page. Nearly 30 people participated and their work was later exhibited in another event.



Names of Participants:

Keerthana Haridas

Moulishree Jha

Vidhi Gupta

Muthara Khan

S M Khalid

Saumya Chandra

Ishita Agarwal

Rayan Chakrabarti

Manya Singh

Stuti

Aryan Naithani

Himanshu Dutta

Nadia Makhijani

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Salman Rushdie and Magical Realism

Date: 17 October 2022

Reading Club Session

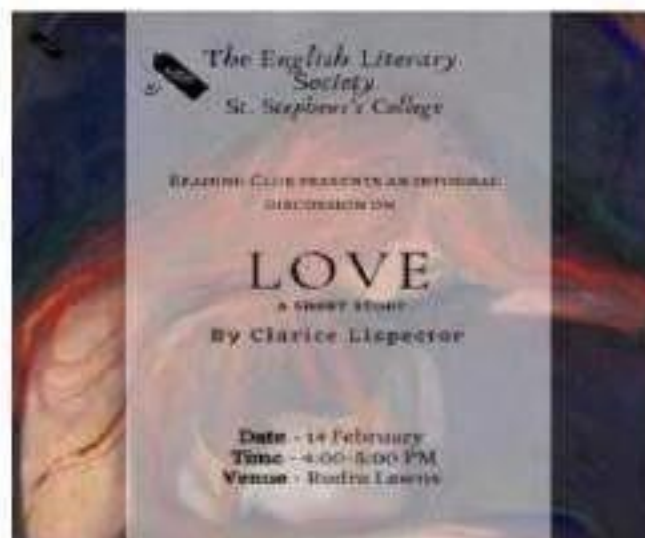
Date: 14th February

Resource Person(s):

No. of participants: 10

Brief description of the event:

The Reading Club organised a session on Clarice Lispector's short story, "Love" followed by a discussion. The short story was read out loud by the participants and particular sections were analysed and interpreted.



Reading Club Session

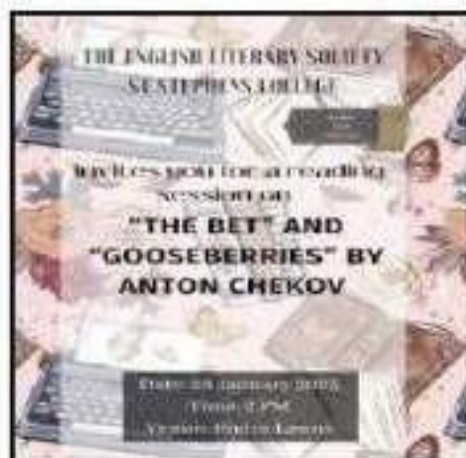
Date: 28th January 2023

Resource Person(s):

No. of participants: 9

Brief description of the event:

The Reading Club organised a session where two short stories by Anton Chekhov, 'The Bet' and 'Gooseberries', were read and discussed.



Reading Club Session

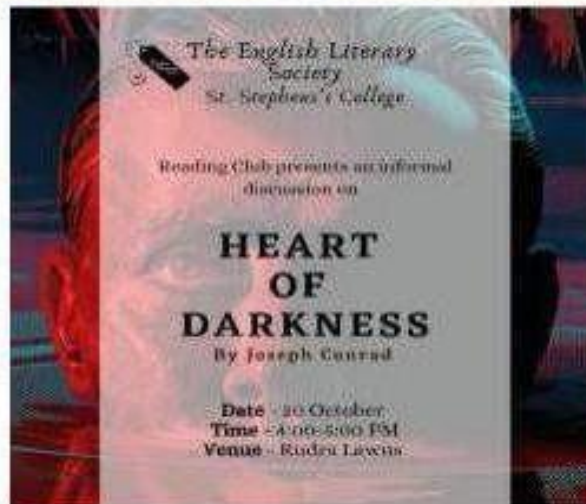
Date: 20th October 2022

Resource person(s): Vaibhav Dwivedi

No. of participants: 9

Brief description of the event:

The Reading Club, a new initiative from the English Literary Society, held its first session moderated by Mr. Vaibhav Dwivedi, a professor in the Department of English. The session was on Joseph Conrad's *Heart of Darkness*, followed by a discussion.



Names of Participants

1. Inderpal
2. Muthara Khan
3. S M Khalid
4. Vidhi Gupta

Narrativising History: Partition Narratives of India and Pakistan

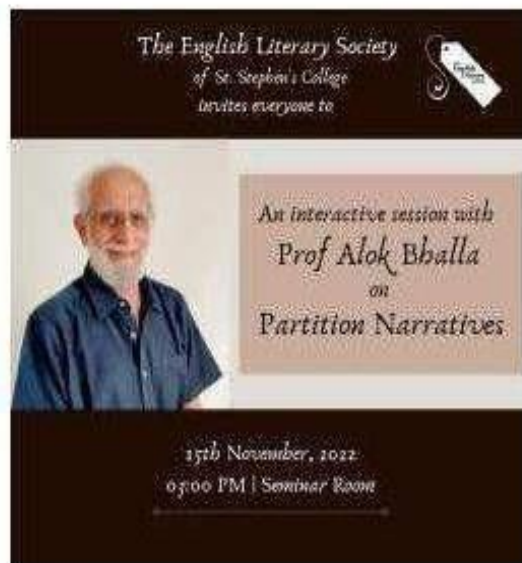
Date: 15 November 2022

Resource person(s): Alok Bhalla

No. of participants: 45

Brief description of the event:

Dr. Alok Bhalla delivered a lecture titled "Partition Narratives". He talked about Simone Weil's philosophy and his own experiences of the Partition while growing up in Delhi. Among other things, he talked about his essay 'Non-Violence, Identity, Sympathy: A Meditation'. An interactive session between Dr Bhalla and the students followed this.



Salman Rushdie and Magical Realism

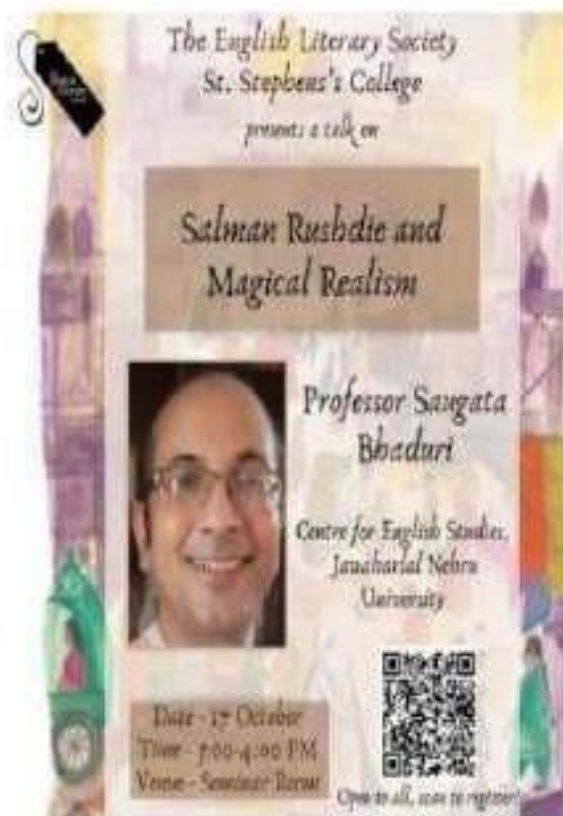
Date: 17 October 2022

Resource person(s): Dr. Saugata Bhaduri

No. of participants: 50

Brief description of the event:

Dr Saugata Bhaduri of Jawaharlal Nehru University delivered a lecture on the use of magical realism by the novelist Salman Rushdie. Dr Bhaduri traced the history of magical realism from its early beginnings in impressionism to its flowering in Latin America. A question-and-answer session ensued.



Goonj Book Sale

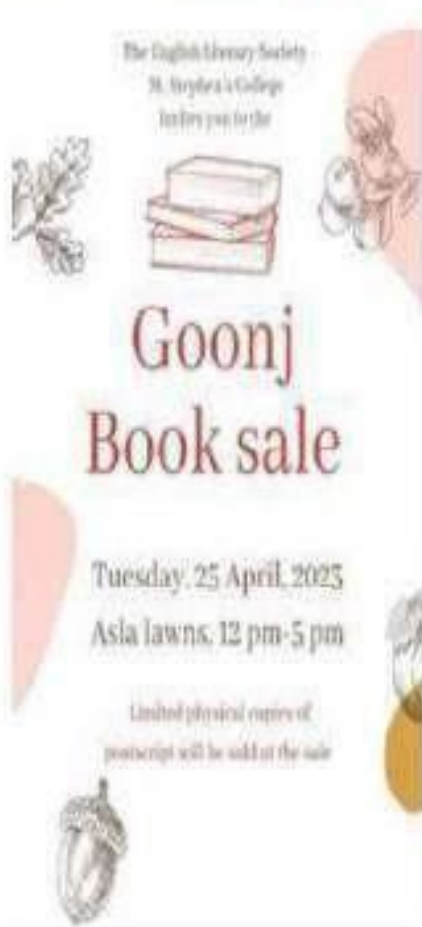
Date: 25th April 2023

Resource person(s): Goonj NGO

No. of participants: 50

Brief description of the event:

The English Literary Society organised a book sale in collaboration with Goonj, a Delhi-based NGO where around 200 books were sold. The books were selected from the collection of books that had been donated to Goonj. All the proceeds from the book sale went towards the NGO. Goonj is working towards addressing crucial gaps in rural infrastructure, water, environment, livelihood, education, health, disaster relief and rehabilitation.



A Talk by Arundhati Subramaniam

Date: 31st March 2023

Resource person(s): Arundhati Subramaniam

Brief description of the event:

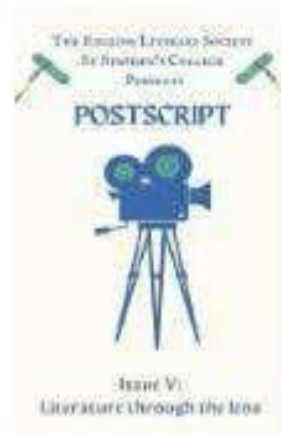
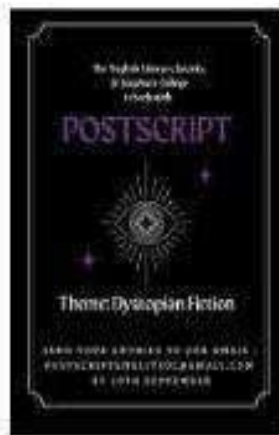
The English Literary Society in collaboration with The Poetry Society hosted a talk by renowned poet and author Arundhati Subramaniam on 31st March. She commented on the art of writing, poetic language, and the institution of poetry. This was followed by an interactive question answer session where she talked about the influence of Bhakti poetry in her writing as well as her experience being the Editor of the India domain of the Poetry International Web.

Arundhati Subramaniam is an author and poet whose collection *When God is a Traveller* won the Sahitya Akademi Award in 2020. She has worked as Head of Dance and Chauraha (an inter-arts forum) at the National Centre for the Performing Arts in Mumbai, and has been Editor of the India domain of the Poetry International Web.



PostScript, the online blog

PostScript, the annual journal of the English Literary Society, also brings out a few issues in the odd semester. This year, PostScript released three issues, on "Dystopian Fiction", "Grief and Literature" and "Literature and Cinema". The content is both academic and non-academic, largely pieces submitted by students from the university. For the academic year 2022-23, this was edited by Moulisree Jha and Keerthana Haridas from II English. Link: <https://postscriptssc.wordpress.com>

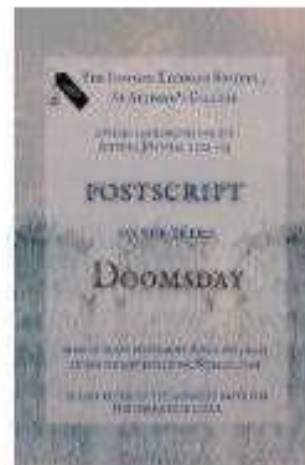


PostScript, the journal

The theme for the journal for the academic year 2022-23 was 'Doomsday'. Several entries were received (both creative and academic) from students from Stephen's as well as other colleges. Of these, a select few were chosen for the journal. The winning entry of the Photo-Essay Competition was featured in the journal. 25 physical copies of the journal were sold at the Goonj Book Sale on the 25th of April, 2023.



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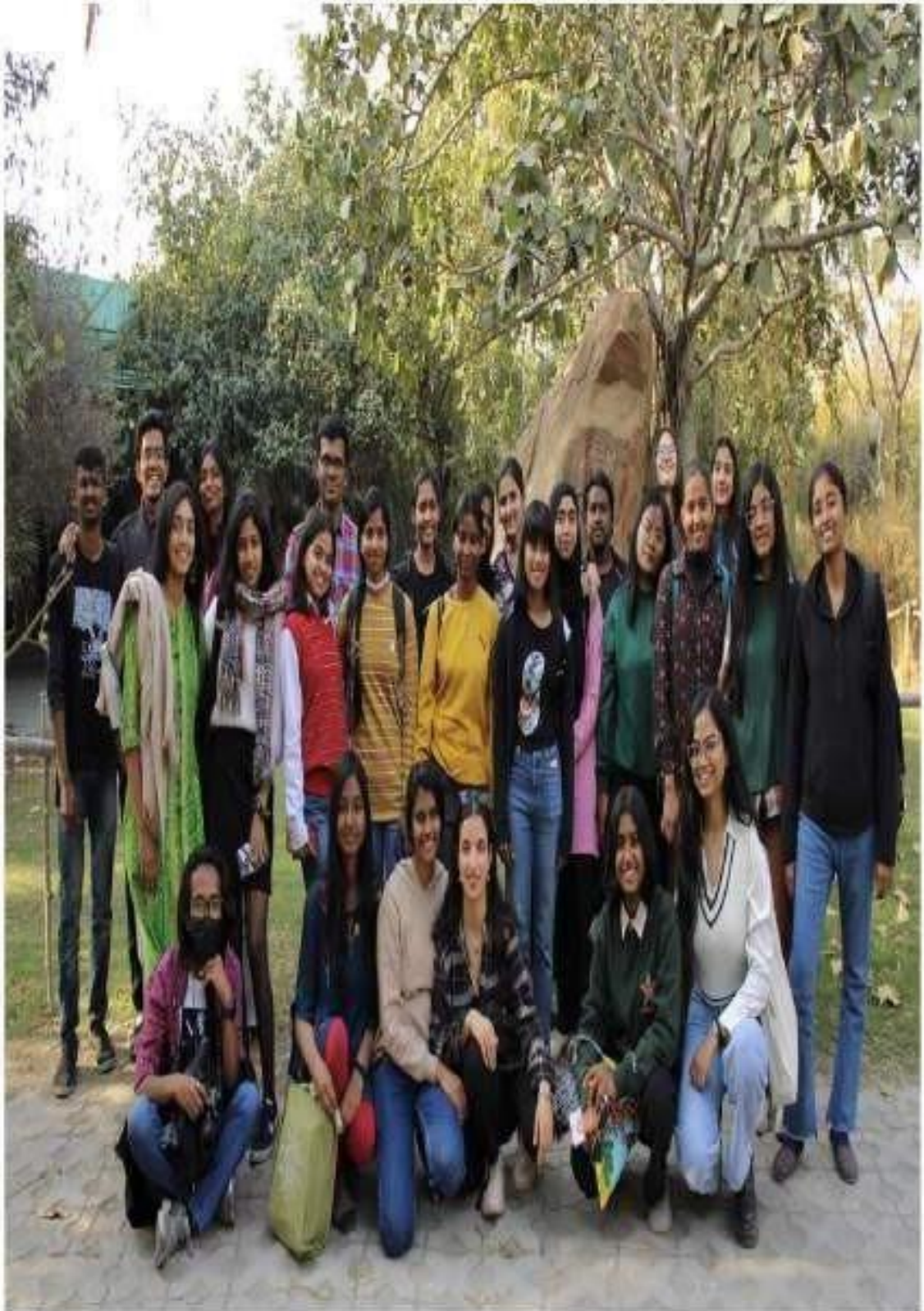
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DATE: 27 April
TIME: 2.00 PM
VENUE: AS 2

CASE CLUB LEAGUE 2022
Organised by the Finance and Investment Cell, 5th November 2022



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Fine Arts Society

(A) Report on "Kalakriti"

Date: 16th September 2022 to 24th September

Description: Kalākṛti is an initiative by The Fine Arts Society, St. Stephen's College to embrace the essence of Indian art forms. Through the initiative of Kalākṛti, we aim to promote Indian art forms and espouse the contribution of various artists to the development of Indian artforms.

(1) Kulhad Painting session

Date: 16th September, 2022

Description: The session aimed at promoting Indian Art forms, (although not directly, as the participants were free to choose art forms of their choice), by giving the participants to display their artistic style on a more traditional and sustainable canvas, KULHAD.

No. of participants: 55



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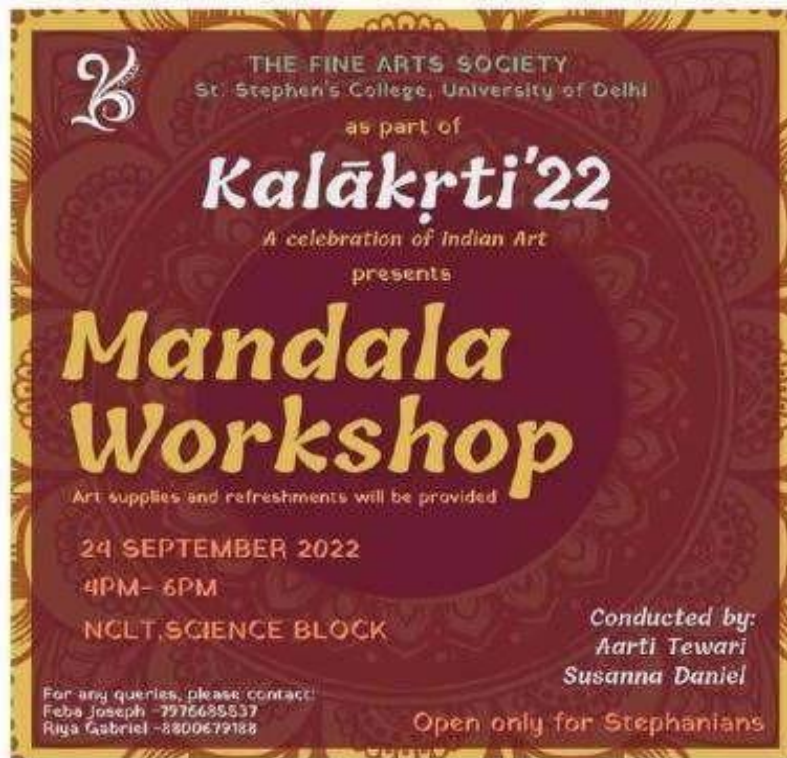
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(2) Mandala Workshop

Date: 24th September, 2022.

Conducted By: Aarti Tewari(BA Programme 2023) and Susanna Daniel(BA history Hons. 2023)

Description: Event was attended by 52 junior members



Poster

Society Report 2022-2023

Fine Arts Society

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(3) Online Art Competition

Deadline: 18th September, 2022

Description: Based on the theme of Indian Artforms, students from all over India sent in their artworks both digital art and traditional art.

Judge: Anushree Dutta

No. of Entries: 64



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Fine Arts Society

(C) Aesthete :

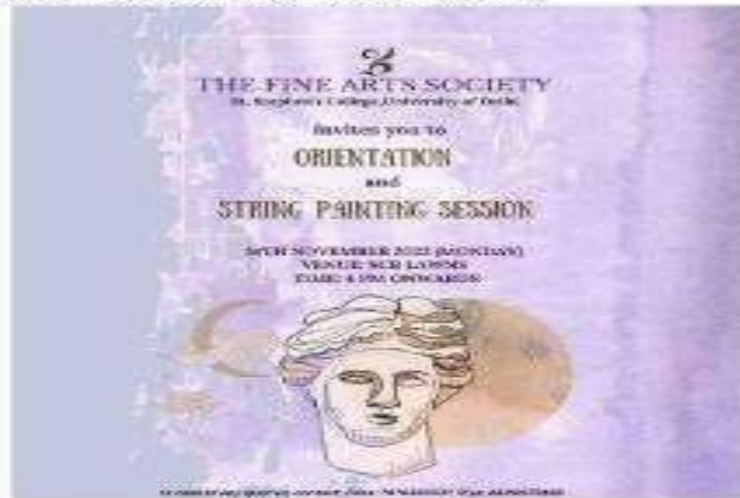
Date: 14th November to 15th November 2022

Description: AESTHETE, a minifest organised by The Fine Arts Society at St. Stephen's College, gives you the opportunity to take a break from all of your assignments and have some fun.

(1) Orientation and String Painting :

Date: 14th November 2022

Description: This event was an icebreaker for the junior members from First Year, giving them an insight into the society while also giving them a little snippet about society's activity through string painting.



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Fine Arts Society

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(2)Face Painting Session

Date: 15th November, 2022

Description: Junior Members got an opportunity to have a fun session in the autumn evening with a relaxing and fun face painting session.



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Fine Arts Society

(E) Annual Fest : Artipelago

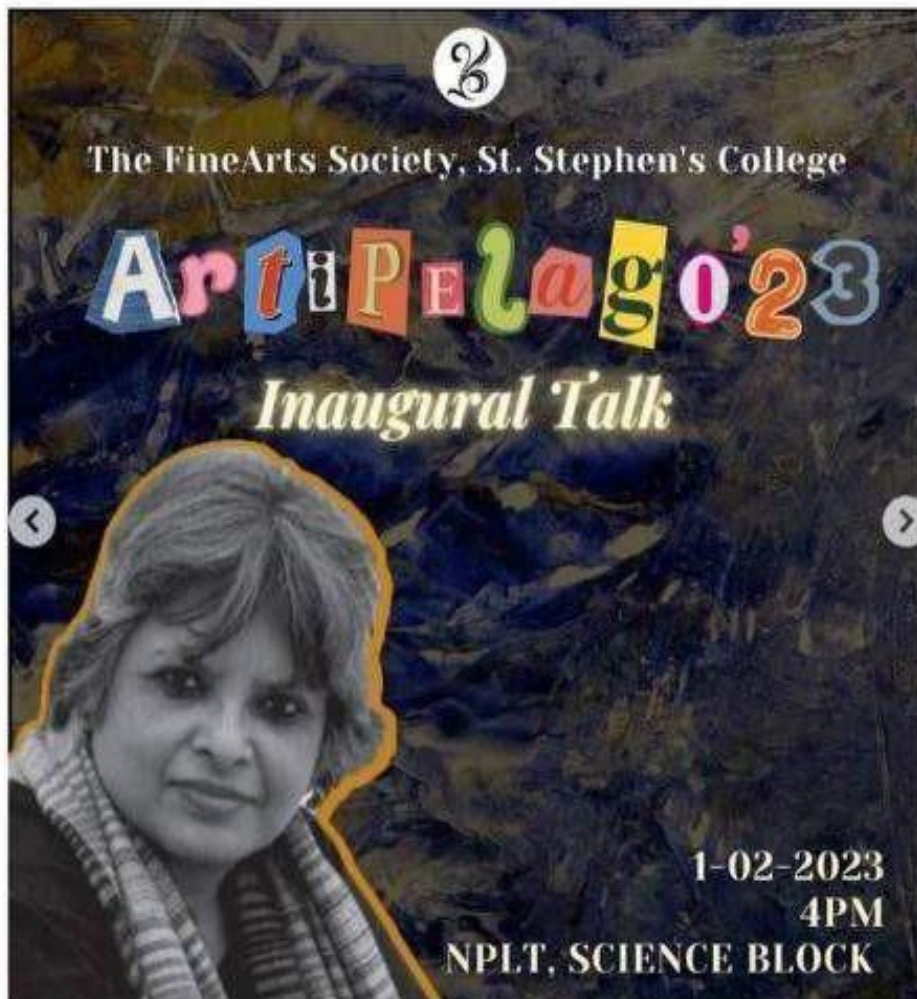
Date: 1st February, 2023 to 14th February, 2023

Description: Artipelago is the Annual Fest of the Fine Arts Society.

(1) Inaugural talk by Prof. Shukla Sawant from the School of Arts and Aesthetics.

Date: 1st February

Description: The talk was on " A Movement from Modernism in India"



Poster for the event

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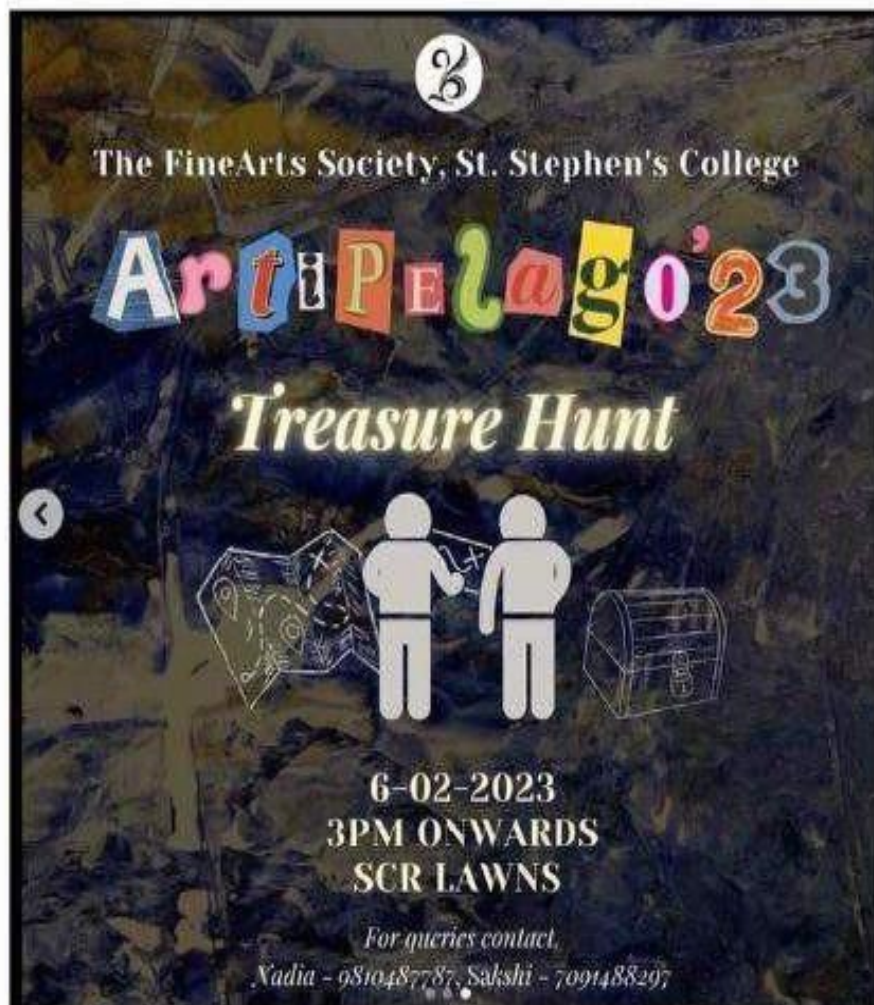
Date: 1st February, 2023 to 14th February, 2023

Description: Artipelago is the Annual Fest of the Fine Arts Society.

(2) Treasure Hunt

Date: 6th February, 2023

Description: An event where students through their aptitude and puzzle-solving skills decoded clues based on art.



Poster for the event

- Magizhchi! Anti-caste Affect & Emancipatory Affect in Indian Cinema with Dr. Manju Edachira

Date: 21st September

No. of participants: 60

Description

The Gandhi Ambedkar Study Circle, in collaboration with Cine Club, organised a lecture by Dr. Manju Edachira on 'Magizhchi! Anti-caste Aesthetics and the Emancipatory Affect in Indian Cinema' following a screening of Satyajit Ray's film 'Sadgati.' Dr. Edachira spoke of the significance of the oppositional 'gaze' and the affective body engaged in the creative act.

Photograph and Poster



- **"We, the Undesirables": Reflections on the Students' Movements of 1968**

Date: 18th October

Venue: Seminar Room

Time: 2pm

No. of participants: 60

Description: The Gandhi Ambedkar Study Circle organized a talk by Mukul Mangalik, a former teacher of History at Ramjas College. The students' movements of 1968 were a significant part of global history and often involved young people advocating for social, political, and cultural change. They took place in various parts of the world, including the United States, Europe, and other regions. Mukul Mangalik's talk delved into the historical context of the various students' movements of 1968 (and some others after '68) and their significance in the imagination of resistance.



- Film Screening with Shishir Jha: 'Tortoise Under the Earth'

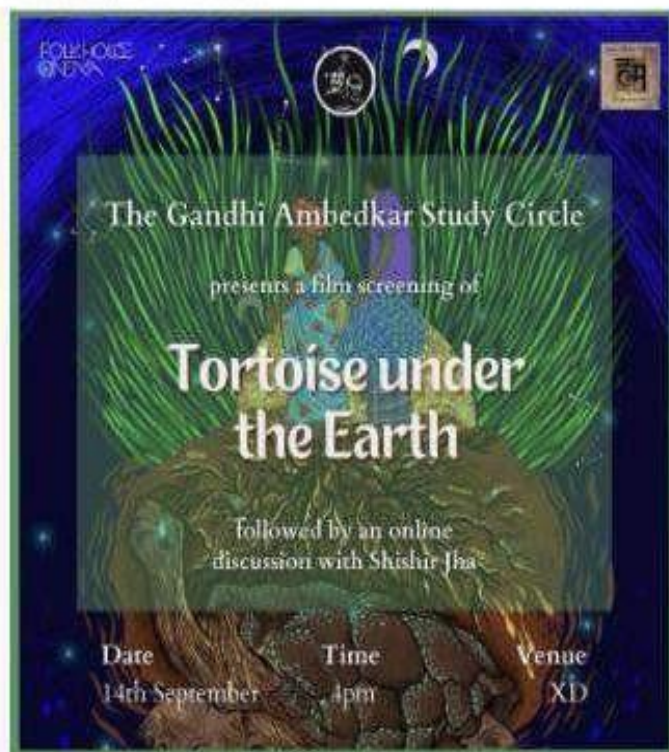
Date: 14th September

No. of participants: 20

Description

The Gandhi Ambedkar Study Circle organised a screening of and subsequent discussion on the film 'Tortoise Under the Earth' (Dharti Latar Re Hor), moderated by the filmmaker Shishir Jha. In the discussion that followed after the film screening, Jha emphasised on the representation of Adivasi people as individuals rather than anthropological subjects through a conscious act of listening and witnessing. Students were interested in discussing how one navigates the ethics of representation and capturing marginality on the screen, given the power dynamics on either side of the lens.

Photographs and Poster



- Investigating Episteme: Knowledge Dissemination Beyond State Hegemony with Meena Kotwal

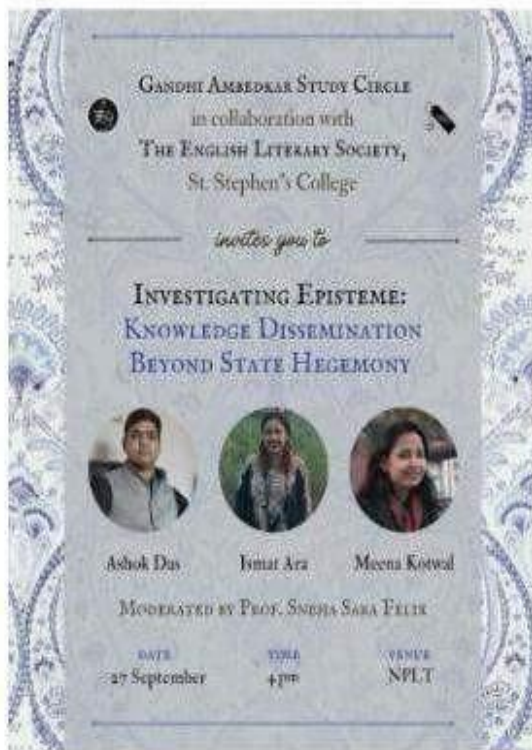
Date: 27th September

No. of participants: 60

Description

The Gandhi Ambedkar Study Circle organised a lecture with Meena Kotwal that discussed the lack of diversity in mainstream Indian media. They discussed how this leads to certain stories about caste violence being undocumented. There was a subsequent discussion regarding the under-representation of bahujans, minorities and queer folk in institutions of power such as the judiciary, the legislature and the bureaucracy and how this lack of diversity is sometimes the cause of attacks on free press and on the rights of the aforementioned communities.

Poster & Photographs



- **Whose State Is It Anyway? A Debate on Political Reservation for Women with Angellica Aribam, Prof. Nandini Sundar & Prof. Seema Kazi**

Date: 3rd October

No. of participants: 60

Description

The Gandhi Ambedkar Study Circle, as part of its mini-fest Satsar, organized a panel discussion with Angellica Aribam, Dr. Nandini Sundar, and Dr. Seema Kazi. The panel took as its focus the recent debates on women's political reservation in the Indian Parliament, and attempted to elaborate on the importance of the move, recent developments in the Indian socio-political sphere, and the intersectionalities of other identities with gender. The panel also engaged with questions from students. It was moderated by Ms. Sneha Sara Felix, Department of Political Science, St. Stephen's College.

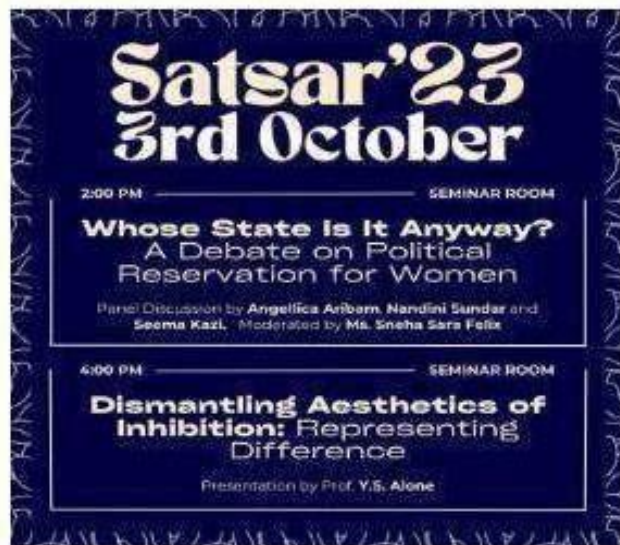
- **Dismantling Aesthetics of Inhibition: Representing Difference with Prof Y. S. Alone**

Date: 3rd October

No. of participants: 30

Description

The Gandhi Ambedkar Study Circle as part of its mini-fest Satsar organized a lecture by Dr. Y. S. Alone on Dismantling Aesthetics of Inhibition: Representing Difference. The lecture attempted to chart the discourse of the aesthetic into the realm of the political, by looking at marginalized, particularly Dalit, modes of creation and expression. The lecture was based on an exhibition by Dr. Y. S. Alone had curated in Kochi, and involved a brief elaboration of the exhibits.



- Reading Session on Mahasweta Devi's *Draupadi* with Prof. N. P. Ashley

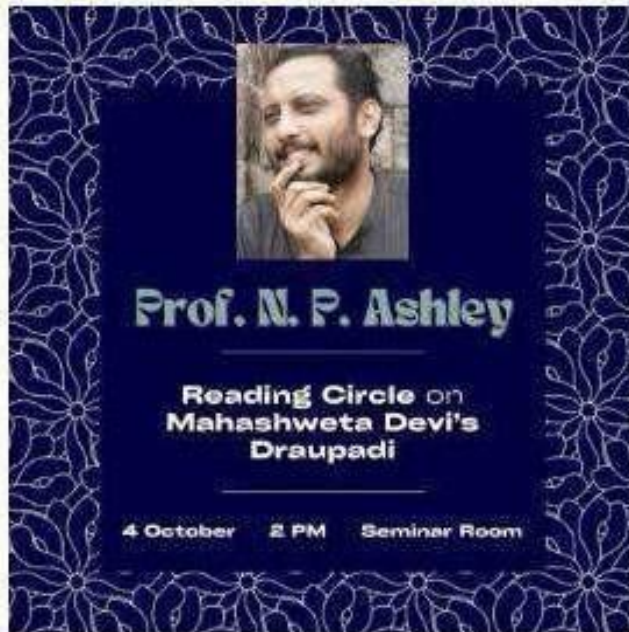
Date: 4th October

No. of participants: 50

Description

The Gandhi Ambedkar Study Circle, as a part of its reading session series on texts grappling with marginalities that were deleted from the Delhi University curriculum, organised a reading session on Mahasweta Devi's *Draupadi*. The session, moderated by Prof. N. P. Ashley (Department of English, St. Stephen's College), grappled with themes of gendered oppression against the subaltern and body as a medium of resistance. Dr. Ashley also discussed the politics behind the removal of certain texts and the inclusion of others in university curricula, addressing how that reflects the larger disinvestment in education and other constitutional ideals.

Poster and Photographs



- "Being, Knowing, Doing and Showing Doing": Towards the transformative potential of participatory performance with Prof. Benil Biswas

Date: 4th October

No. of participants: 15

Description

Between Speech and Silence: Political Science in an Age of Ideology

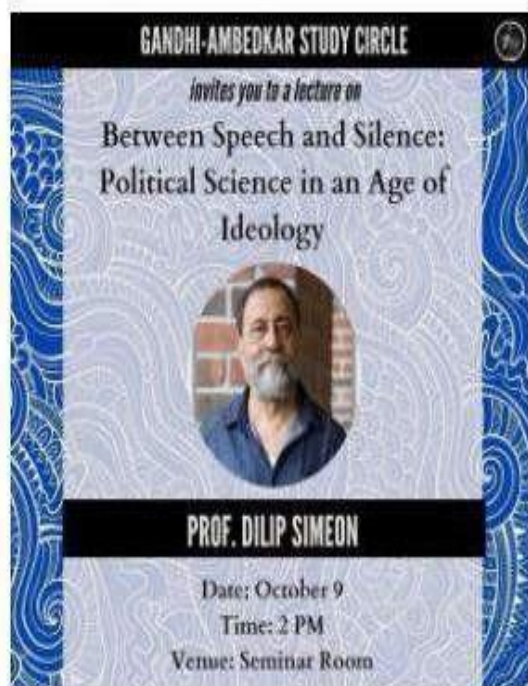
Date: 9th October

No. of participants: 50

Description

The Gandhi Ambedkar Study Circle invited Professor Dilip Simeon to give a lecture on **October 9th at 2pm in the Seminar Room** where he discussed how ideology and agendas may influence speech and perpetrate silence. The students engaged in discussion after his lecture. Which aimed at fostering critical thinking and a deeper understanding of the political landscape and its challenges.

Poster and photographs



- Maya, Modi, and Azad: Dalit Politics in a Time of Hindutva

Date: 12th October

No. of participants: 45

Description: The Gandhi Ambedkar Study Circle, in collaboration with The Debating Society, book discussion and interactive discussion on the book ' Maya, Modi and Azad" Dalit Politics in the Time of Hindutva' by Sudha Pai and Sajjan Kumar. Students from and outside college were able to attend the event and engaged in an enlightening discussion with the speakers. This event aimed at making educational and cultural organizations provide a platform for intellectual discourse and the exchange of ideas on important societal issues, fostering critical thinking and awareness among students and the broader community.

The poster features a blue and white geometric pattern background. At the top left is a circular logo with the letters 'GAC'. To its right, the text reads: 'Gandhi-Ambedkar Study Circle in collaboration with The Debating Society, St. Stephen's College invites you to'. Below this is the title 'Maya, Modi, and Azad: Dalit Politics in the Time of Hindutva'. Two portrait photos are shown: a woman on the left and a man on the right. Below the photos are the names 'Sudha Pai' and 'Sajjan Kumar'. At the bottom, there is a table with three columns: DATE, TIME, and VENUE.

DATE	TIME	VENUE
12 October	3 PM	AV Room

Let's Talk Session

Gender in Societies

Date: 20th March, 2023

Time: 3 PM

Venue: SCR Lawns

The Gender Studies Cell invited junior members to a Let's Talk session on the theme: "Gender in College Societies: Does your gender determine your participation in college societies". College societies are a collaborative space which provide opportunities for learning and bonding beyond the academic environment of the classroom. However, society experience is not the same for each individual. The nature of work one is allotted, one's council position and the moments of learning in a society are all gendered experiences. Through this Let's Talk we discussed the junior members' own experiences of working and navigating the society spaces riddled with inequity of gender and other intersecting identities.



Let's Talk Session

Fitting In : Cliques, Communities and Hierarchies

Date: 18 January

Time: 4 PM

Venue: Scr Lawns

The Gender Studies Cell organised a Let's Talk session on the theme Fitting In : Cliques, Communities and Hierarchies. Venturing into the college space is a big transition and often includes difficulties in finding one's place within the institution, among friends and in college societies. This process can be incredibly isolating and stressful. Through this session of Let's Talk we platformed the anxieties and difficulties experienced by junior members in building that sense of belonging and community within the college space along with navigating their identities and experiences by discussing the unique challenges and struggles each one of us may be facing.



Orientation Report

The Gender Studies Cell at St. Stephen's College joyously unveiled its much-anticipated orientation on Tuesday at 4 P.M. in the SCR Lawns. As a UGC-mandated women's development cell, the Gender Studies Cell provides a safe space for interaction, learning, and exploration. Attendees discovered a haven for expressing thoughts without inhibition and a community fostering solace and resistance.

The orientation was a lively introduction to the society, promising insight into the diverse events planned throughout the year. Participants eagerly embraced the opportunity to engage with the Gender Studies Cell's ethos of openness and inclusivity. The atmosphere was one of camaraderie and enthusiasm, setting the stage for a year filled with meaningful discussions and personal growth. The event successfully conveyed the Cell's commitment to fostering dialogue on gender and society, leaving attendees with a sense of belonging and anticipation for the enriching experiences ahead.



Panel Discussion in collaboration with The History Society

Women of St. Stephen's: Gendering University Spaces and Exploring Experiences

Date: 23 March 2023

Time: 2 PM

Venue: Room B

The History Society, in collaboration with the Gender Studies Cell, hosted a panel discussion on the final day of Kzalchakra, entitled 'Women of St. Stephen's: Gendering University Spaces and Exploring Experiences.' The panelists included former students - Ms. Saba Dewan and Advocate Vrinda Grover from the batch of 1985, along with Dr. Maya John from the batch of 2006. The panel was moderated by Professor Nandita Narain. Professor Narain began by contextualizing the experiences of the panelists through a detailed timeline that flagged international developments, local feminist undertakings, landmark activities within college and current strides in Indian education that informed the realities of the students in university spaces. Ms. Grover and Ms. Dewan jointly recalled their experiences of normalized sexist practices such as 'Chick Charts' that aimed to rank women based on attractiveness. They spoke of the communal nature of these charts in the aftermath of the 1984 riots. They detailed their process of collectivizing struggle against sexist practices across Delhi University. Dr. Maya John spoke about her experience as the first female Student's Union president of St. Stephen's College in 2006. She provided an account of the challenges she faced during the election and her term. She framed her discussion in the context of 'access' and also touched on the fight against arbitrary gendered curfews, poor and unsafe neighborhoods in North Campus and the inaccessibility of campus residence.



Panel Discussion

The Communal Male Gaze: Deconstructing The Dalit and Muslim Women Bodies

Date: 3 April 2023

Time: 3 PM

Venue: NCLT

Resource persons: Cynthia Stephen and Firdous Azmat Siddiqui

The Gender Studies Cell at St. Stephen's College extended a warm invitation to all junior members for a thought-provoking panel discussion titled "The Communal Male Gaze: Deconstructing The Dalit and Muslim Women Bodies". It aimed to unravel the intricate layers of patriarchy, particularly its influence on the corporeal existence of women.

The discussion delved into the concept of the 'male gaze,' exploring its role in objectifying and subjugating women throughout history. The added dimensions of religious, social, and caste identities intensified the impact of this gaze, exacerbating the challenges faced by women belonging to marginalized communities.

The distinguished speakers, Cynthia Stephen, a social policy researcher and analyst, and Dr. Firdous Azmat Siddiqui, Associate Professor at Sarojini Naidu Centre for Women's Studies, Jamia Milia Islamia, brought their expertise to dissect the intersectionality of womanhood and the experiences of Dalit and Muslim women.



Sarfarosh'23

Resource person: Prof Sharmishthaa Atreja

Sarfarosh '23 unfolded with a vibrant theme, "We Belong / Hum Hai." The two-day event, held on April 19th and 20th, showcased a diverse range of activities, fostering inclusivity and dialogue.

Day 1 - April 19th:

The inaugural day commenced with a captivating keynote lecture by Professor Sharmishthaa Atreja, who explored "Collectives with Respect to Creation and Disruption of Space". Participants were intellectually stimulated by the insightful discourse. Adding a historical dimension, the Stephen's Heritage Walk delved into the complex history of the campus, providing a reflective journey into St. Stephen's past.

Day 2 - April 20th:

The second day featured a compelling Student Panel Discussion titled "Belongingness- Tales of Breaking Barriers". Engaging narratives showcased the diversity of experiences, emphasizing the theme of inclusivity. The Open Mic session provided a platform for creative expression, further enriching the atmosphere.

A notable collaborative event with PhotoSoc added a visual dimension, "Documenting Women in College Photographs," capturing the essence of women's experiences within the college community.

Sarfarosh '23 successfully achieved its goal of fostering a sense of belonging, breaking barriers, and celebrating diversity. The collaborative spirit and intellectual energy exhibited throughout the event marked it as a memorable and enriching experience for all participants.

Let's talk Session

Stories of Resistance from Conflict Zones

Date: 29 April 2023

Time: 1:30 PM

Venue: Mace Lawn

The Gender Studies Cell hosted a Let's Talk session on the theme: "Stories of Resistance from Conflict Zones". The College experience is defined by meeting people from diverse backgrounds. Our connection to the college space and our interpersonal relationships are often molded by where we come from. That, our academics, friendships, opportunities and ideas are shaped by our subjective social locations. Many of us come from parts of the country that experience some kind of conflict. This conflict may manifest in chronic, violent and all encompassing ways or in subtler ways.

Through this 'Let's Talk' we provided a space for the junior members to discuss the way they are impacted by the spaces of conflict they come from, their subsequent relations to college spaces and their experiences at the intersections of race, class, gender and other intersecting identities.

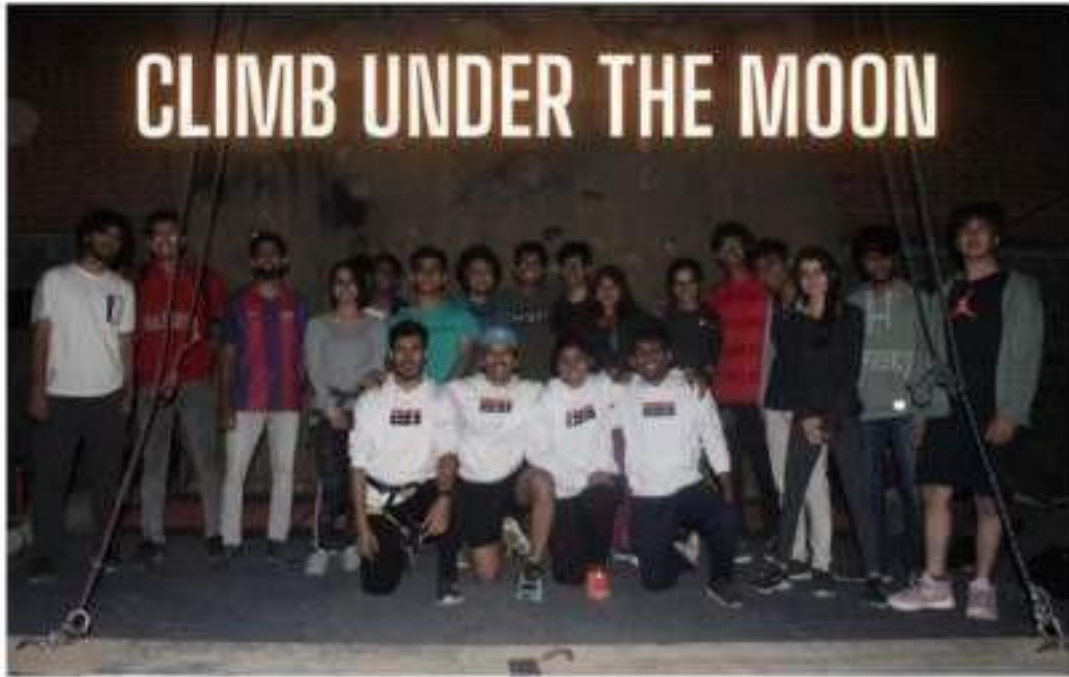












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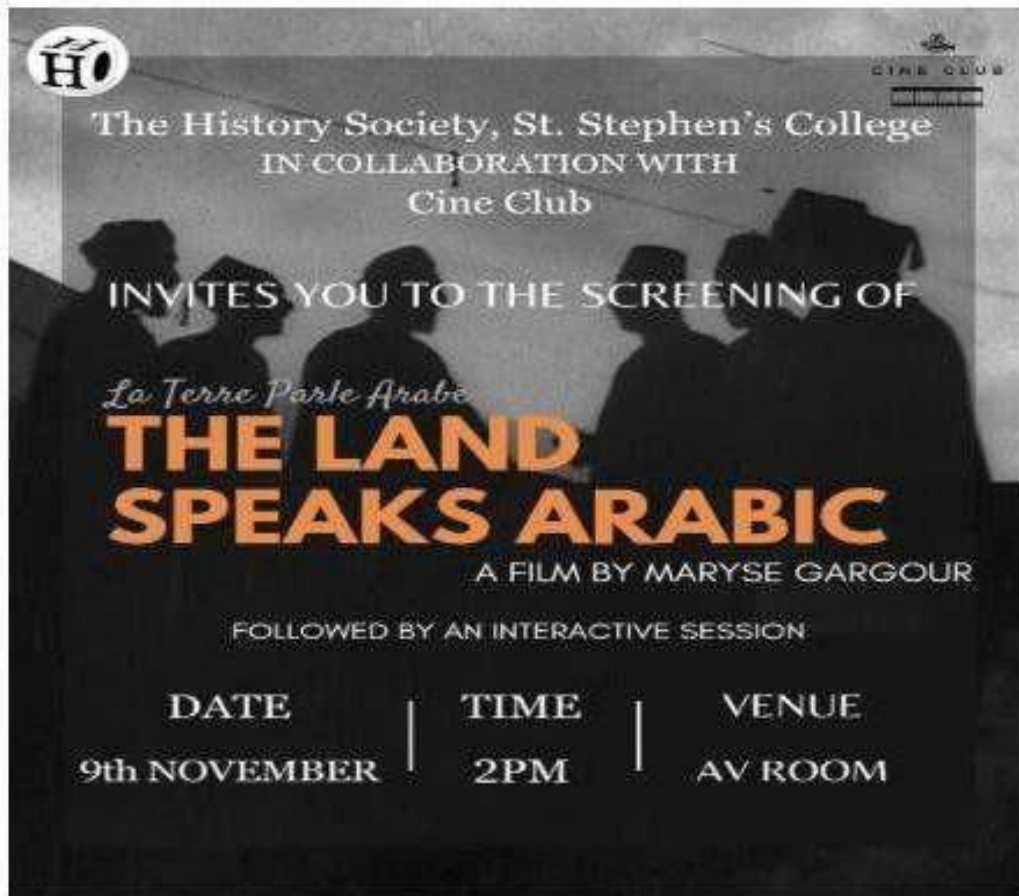


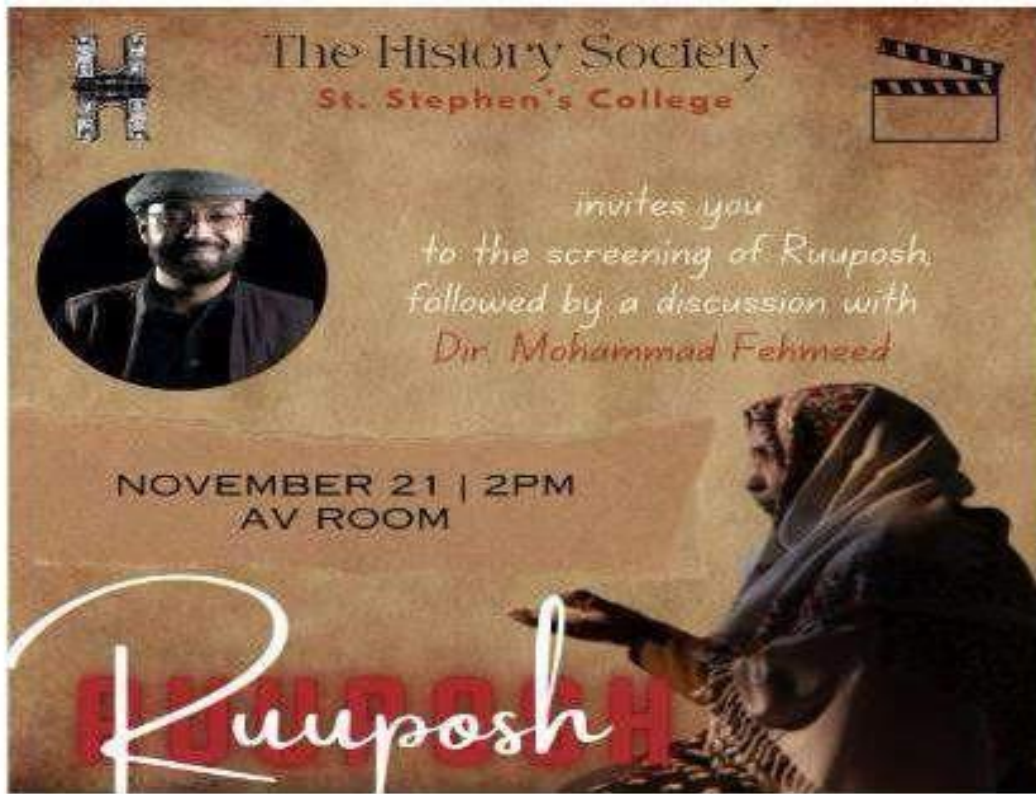


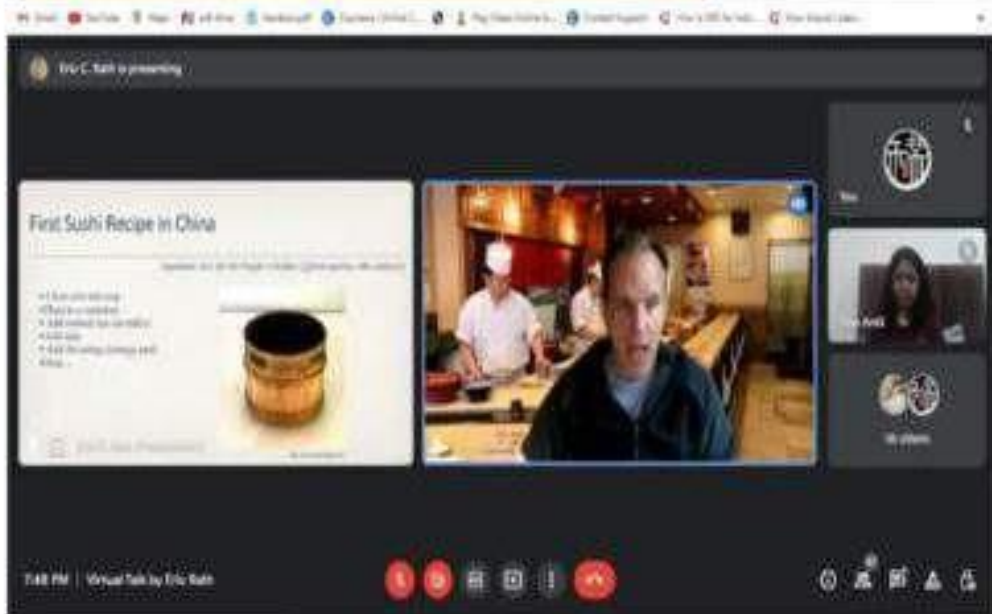












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3. Evolution of Second Language Teaching Methodology
4. Indian Languages and Japanese Language compared
5. Workshop on Kanji
6. Q & A

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Event Registration

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Please note that only those who have registered will be allowed entry for the fest. Students will be permitted entry only after 12:00 PM.

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JUNIOR COMBINATION ROOM (JCR) SOCIETY REPORT 2022-2023

The Current JCR Council got elected after 3 years on 17th October 2022 and started functioning after 3 years. The main events held for this academic year are, Diwali Celebrations, JCR CUP and HOLI Celebrations.

DIWALI CELEBRATIONS 2022

Diwali celebrations began on campus on the morning of the auspicious day. An inter-block rangoli competition marked the beginning of the celebrations. In this competition, a team from each of the six residence blocks took part, and made splendid rangolis that adorned the path between the JCR building and JCR ground on the said day. This competition was followed by a brief break for junior members to freshen up so that they could then come and enjoy the special Diwali lunch, served in the college mess. The Diwali lunch was full of delicious delicacies that the junior members relished. Post lunch, junior members leisurely walked towards the college hall to take part in the screening of a Hollywood murder-mystery movie. By the end of the movie screening, it was evening already and junior members rushed to their blocks, excited to get ready before the evening Diwali celebrations began. In the evening, while the sky was dark, fairy lights adorned the building and area around the Junior Combination Room. Diyas (traditional oil lamps) were lit all over campus and flower garlands adorned the inside of the JCR, which was being prepped for a pooja. Food stalls embellished the JCR grounds. After the pooja, there was a brief but dreamy lantern festival that added an ethereal glow to the celebrations. To add to the vibe, cultural performances were scheduled, post which the evening turned into one, filled with music, fun and frolic. It was an evening to remember, indeed!



JCR GAMES 2023

JCR Games is the flagship sporting event of the Junior Combination Room. The current council brought back the event after 2 years of disruption due to the COVID pandemic. This year's JCR Games were held on the dates 15, 16, and 17 of February 2023. The opening ceremony was held on February 15 at 2 p.m., and Dr. Mahesh Gopalan, the staff advisor of JCR, inaugurated the event by batting. The venues were JCR and JCR Grounds. There were a number of games: blind cricket, carroms, chess, volleyball, table tennis, foosball, and a lovely treasure hunt. The closing ceremony was held on February 17th, and it involved the distribution of prizes by Dr. Mahesh Gopalan, Mr. Naveen John Panicker, Mr. Dias Mario Antony, and other block tutors and wardens. The event was followed by the distribution of small refreshments..

The following are the winners of the JCR CUP 2023:

Winners

1st Prize

Chess

Nohin J Luke

Vivek Gudesaria (2)

Carrom - Prashant Ratawal and Ayush Kothari (1)

Ronnie E.R. and Cyril Binoy

Foosball - Wilson Paulose and Varun Jhajharia (1)

Ujjwal Kumar and Kajal Gahtyari (2)

HOLI CELEBRATIONS 2023 (08/03/2023)

Holi has been an integral part of our society and culture. JCR conducted the Holi celebrations this year after a long gap of three years. The celebrations were held on the JCR Grounds on March 8, 2023, from 10 a.m. onwards, followed by a "Special Holi Lunch" in the Mess Hall at 2 p.m. The celebrations included the use of holi colours and music and the traditional "mud pit" dug in the JCR Ground. The celebrations ended by 2 p.m. after the special Holi lunch..



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Society Activity Report 2022-23

Malayalam Literary Society

Contribution during the NAAC Visit

Date: 9th February 2023 to 10th February 2023.

For the NAAC visit, the Malayalam Literary Society of St. Stephens college presented a Pookalam. Flower carpets, known as "Pookalam" in Kerala, India, are a vibrant and traditional art form associated with the state's rich cultural and religious festivals, especially Onam. Pookalams are intricate and colorful floral arrangements created on the ground in various geometric patterns. Pookalams are not just decorative; they also hold cultural and religious significance. Each flower used may symbolize a different aspect of life or convey a specific message.

The society also presented "vanjipaattu" during the cultural evening. It is a traditional folk art form in Kerala that is often performed during festivals and celebrations. It involves singing and dancing, creating a lively and energetic atmosphere. Vanjipaattu performances are known for narrating stories and legends from Kerala's rich cultural heritage. The themes often revolve around the struggles, triumphs, and everyday life of the people in the region.

These two art forms showcase the state's artistic prowess, deep-rooted traditions, and the importance of community and cultural unity.



Society Activity Report 2022-23

Malayalam Literary Society

Medley Concert

Date: 13th February

No. of participants: 50

On the 13th of February 2023, the Malayalam Literary Society partnered with the Music Society to present a captivating Medley concert. The college hall served as the perfect backdrop for this cultural showcase. The event which commenced at 5pm witnessed an impressive turnout with nearly 50 participants, including instrumentalists and vocalists. The curated performance showcased a medley of songs in Malayalam, Tamil, and Hindi languages, providing a rich cultural tapestry that resonated with the audience.



Society Activity Report 2022-23

Malayalam Literary Society

Kaliyattam- Annual Fest of MLS

Date: 29th March 2023 and 30th March 2023

Resource person: Mr Anuroop Sunny, First MLS president

No. of participants : 100

Kaliyattam - our annual fest happened on 29th and 30th March 2023. The 10th anniversary of MLS was also observed . On 29th March , we witnessed the most vibrant publicity stunt in the campus - the Pulikali Starting from the science block and cafe tree, almost 20 junior members dressed as tigers roamed around the college finally gathered in the mess lawns for a small performance. 30th March marked the second and most important day of kaliyattam . We were honored to have with us , Mr Anuroop Sunny, first president of MLS as chief guest for kaliyattam and the anniversary celebrations. The events for the day started at 4pm in the mess lawns with the inaugural address by the chief guest followed by cake cutting. Several artforms of Kerala - Mohiniyattam, margamkali , Oppana and nadan pattu - were performed proclaiming the rich and varied culture . Later in the evening, a stage play in malayalam language titled Edappally was performed in the college hall in collaboration with Sabha, the multilingual theatrical society. The play told the story of the life of Edappally Raghavan Pillai - a poet and writer and his contemporaries. A food stall was set up introducing various snacks of Kerala.

Society Activity Report 2022-22

Malayalam Literary Society

Chai Pe Charcha

Date: 19th April 2023

No. of participants : 40

Chai pe charcha - an informal discussion and open mic was conducted on 19th April 2023 in the scr lawns. Discussions were done on many topics and several junior members came up either for a performance or to share their experiences. Kerala snacks with sulaimani were also distributed.

Society Activity Report 2022-23

Malayalam Literary Society

The MLS Orientation

Date: 26 November 2022

No. of Participants: 65

Orientation of Malayalam Literary Society for the Academic Year 2022-23 was conducted on 26th November 2022 in the SCR lawns. An appreciable number of first years turned up for the event. Everyone huddled in a circle as the council members interacted with the first years. They were informed about MLS activities and events and heartily welcomed into the college community. This was followed by a fun-filled game session that brought great cheer to the small crowd. The group was then entertained with some beautiful songs. The orientation concluded with everyone assembling for a group photo.

DATE:10 SEPTEMBER 2022

Onam, the annual harvest festival of Kerala, is a celebration that transcends differences, promoting unity, love, and prosperity. The Malayalam Literary Society at St Stephens embraced the spirit of Onam on September 10, 2022, by organizing a grand celebration in the college campus. The event witnessed enthusiastic participation from both junior and senior members, creating a vibrant atmosphere of cultural exchange and communal joy.

The auspicious day commenced with the gracious presence of the college's esteemed Principal, Prof. John Varghese, who inaugurated the Onam celebration. His opening remarks set the tone for the event, emphasizing the significance of Onam's virtues and the importance of coming together as a community.

Following the inauguration, the audience was treated to a series of captivating cultural performances. More than 70 junior members showcased the traditional Thiruvathira, a graceful and intricate dance form integral to Onam celebrations. The cultural extravaganza continued with a Vanjipattu performance by over 30 junior members, highlighting the diverse cultural expressions within the college community. Additionally, the talented singers of the college lent their voices to an Onam song, further enriching the cultural tapestry of the event.


A visually stunning element of the celebration was the beautiful flower carpet prepared in the main portico. The intricate patterns and vibrant colours of the carpet not only added to the festive ambiance but also reflected the attention to detail and creativity of the organizers. This artistic touch enhanced the overall visual appeal of the event.

The cultural performances seamlessly transitioned into the much-anticipated Onam Sadhya, a traditional feast comprising a sumptuous spread of culinary delights. The mess hall became a hub of activity, with over 300 junior members and faculty eagerly joining in to savour the flavours of Onam. The Sadhya not only showcased the culinary expertise of the college but also provided a communal dining experience, reinforcing the spirit of togetherness.

After the delicious Sadhya, the celebration took a rhythmic turn with a Chendamelam performance by an external team. The inclusion of this traditional percussion ensemble added a dynamic and energetic element to the festivities, captivating the audience and further diversifying the cultural showcase of the event.

As the day progressed, the festive spirit continued with games and a tug of war competition. These activities not only brought a playful and competitive element to the celebration but also encouraged active participation from the attendees. The friendly competition likely fostered a sense of camaraderie among the participants, contributing to the overall sense of community engagement.

In conclusion, the Onam celebration at our college was a success, encapsulating the essence of Onam through a harmonious blend of cultural performances, culinary





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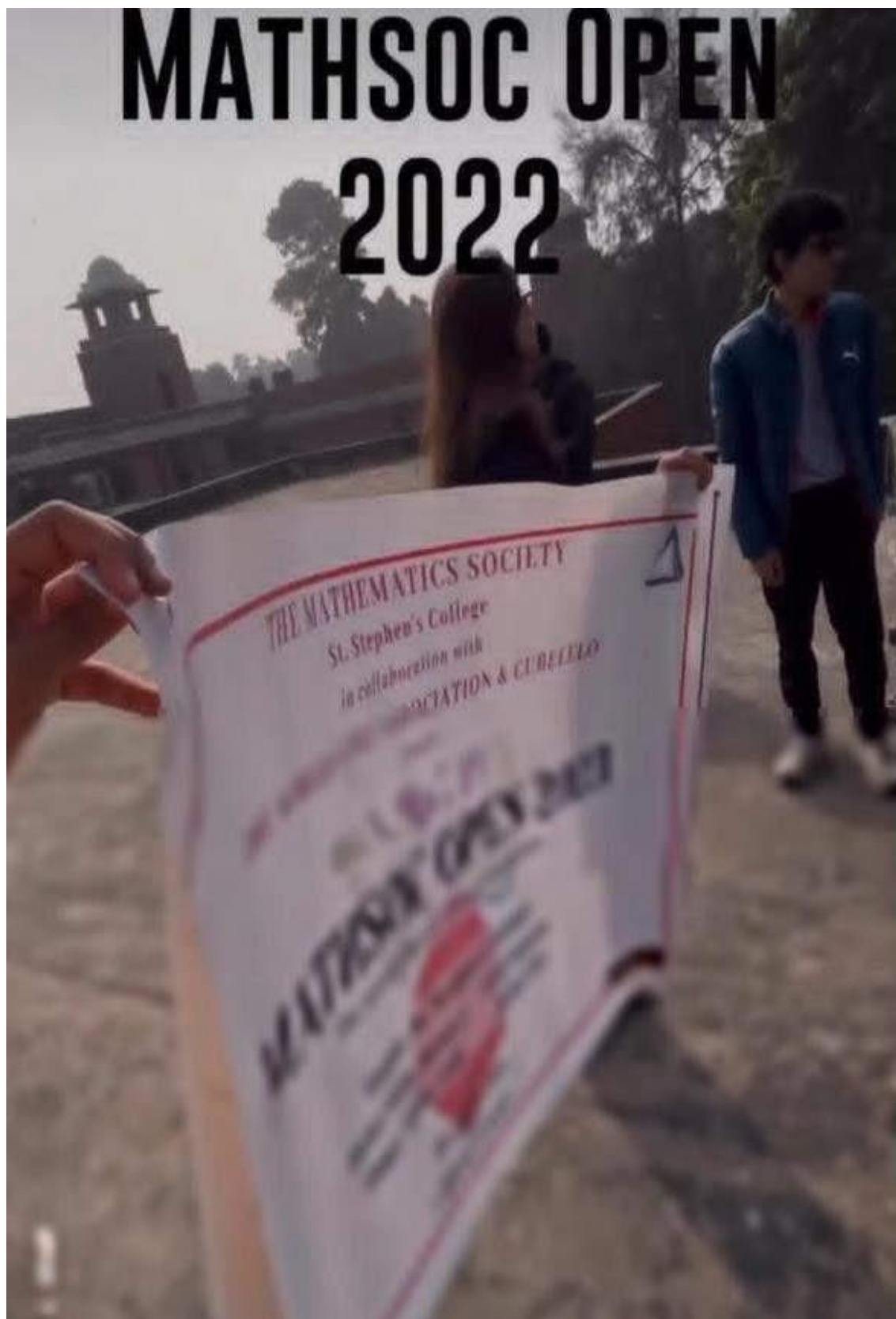
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2 -5 PM

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EVENT REPORT

Polyphony

Date - 1st September

Time - 3:40 pm - 5:30 pm

Venue - Junior Combination Room (JCR)

Participation - 50



Polyphony is an initiative by the Music Society to extend its space and to try our best to provide an inclusive space for everyone to perform, regardless of skill and training. The first jam session under Polyphony was conducted on 1st September, from 3:40 to 5:30 pm at the JCR, which saw a participation of 50+ society members. There were about 13-15 performances from the members including several first-timers which marked the success of the event. The jam session started on time and provided a space for musically-inclined members to perform, learn and grow confident. The event was well-received by the audience.



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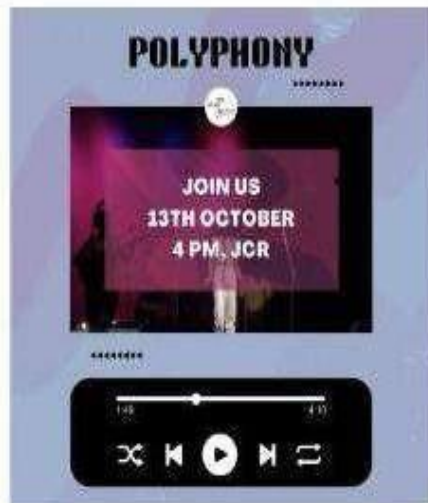
Polyphony

Date - 13th October

Time - 4:10 pm - 5:45 pm

Venue - Junior Combination Room (JCR)

Participation - 30



The second jam session under Polyphony was conducted on 13th October 2022, from 4:10 to 5:45 pm at the JCR. A number of performances from the members of the society including several first-timers marked the event's success. There were 15 performances and the session had an audience of 30 students.

The jam session was a small-scale event that provided the members of the society with an opportunity to learn, perform and grow as confident musicians. The event was well received by the audience.



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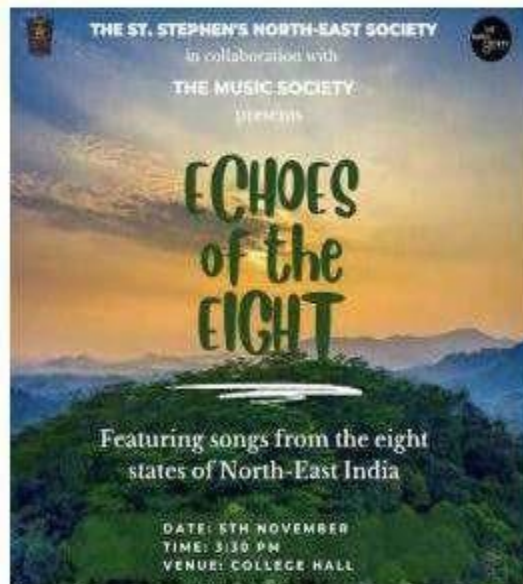
Echoes of the Eight

Date - 5th November

Time - 3:30 pm - 6:00 pm

Venue - College Hall

Participation - 225



One of the Society's most anticipated events is the collaboration with the North-East Society which showcases musical performances from eight states of North-East India. This year's event was held on 5th November 2022, and the performances were significantly received by the audience.

The event started off with a musical performance from the state of Meghalaya followed by Sikkim, Assam, Nagaland, Tripura, Arunachal Pradesh, Mizoram, and Manipur. There was active participation from the members of both the North-East Society and the Music Society as vocalists, instrumentalists, performers, and volunteers. In the end, all the participants gave an energetic action song as a group performance which included the audience. The song was "Deep Cries Out," a praise and worship Christian song. This group performance concluded the event.

EVENT REPORT

Launch Concert

Date - 11th November

Time - 4:30 pm - 7:00 pm

Venue - College Hall

Participation - 300



The Launch Concert, the first major event of the Music Society calendar was held on 11th November from 4:30 to 7:00 pm at the College Hall.

The preparations for the event started around mid-September as the society held auditions for the performers who were then selected and given practice with the instrumentalists to bring it up as a wholesome performance. Publicity for the event started around a week before the event with the release of the poster. The cafe tree decorations, publicity stunts, and foyer painting were the other efforts put in by the society. And finally, after around 6-7 weeks of preparation, the society was all set for the event.

The hall was opened for the event at 1:30 pm. The technical equipment was set up simultaneously with the hall decorations, post-which the sound checks took place at 3:45 pm. The audience, almost 200-250 junior members, started entering around 4:20 PM. The

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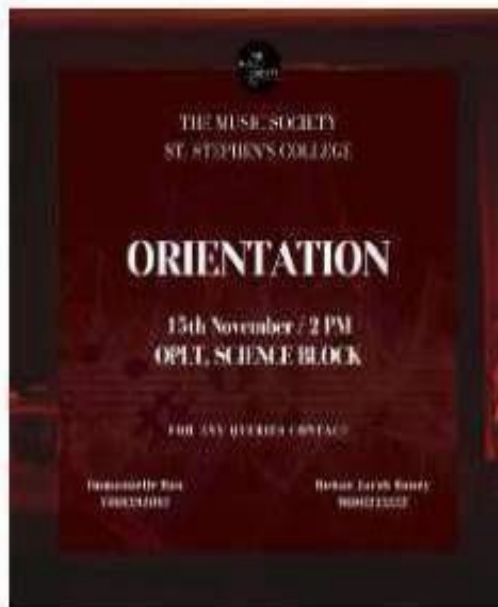
Orientation

Date - 15th November

Time - 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Venue - OPLT

Participation - 80



The Music Society conducted its Orientation for first-year junior members on 15 November 2022 in the Old Physics Lecture Theatre (OPLT) from 2:00 pm. The session began with a brief introduction and overview of the society by the President, following which the heads of the publicity, instrumental, technical, and sponsorship verticals explained the functioning of each and how first-year members could contribute. The heads of Sound Machine and Naqsh, the western acapella team and Indian classical choir, respectively, then spoke about the teams and announced that auditions for the same would open soon. The second years of the society gave a brief description of the various events conducted by the society as well as a brief timeline of the same. The session closed with a question and answer session wherein the first years' queries were addressed.

EVENT REPORT

Polyphony

Date - 28th January

Time - 4:00 pm - 5:30 pm

Venue - Junior Combination Room (JCR)

Participation - 150



Freshers' Acoustica is the Music Society's event exclusively for first-year junior members, marking their debut into the society and organized by the second years of the society. This year the event was conducted on Saturday, 28 January 2023 in the Junior Combination Room from 4:00 pm to 5:30 pm. With a turnout of 150 participants, the event was an immense success.

The society began preparations for the event with auditions in December, following which the performers were selected and practices held. The event was publicized for a week before the events and society members worked on the decorations for it. A run-through was also conducted the day before the event in the JCR from 4:00 pm to 6:00 pm.

Set up for Freshers' Acoustica began at 2:00 pm in the JCR which included putting up decorations, and setting up technical equipment. A short sound check was also conducted, following which the event commenced. Thumloy Phom (II Economics) and Ishaan Lal (II History) were the hosts. 10 performances of various genres ranging from pop and rock to

EVENT REPORT

Medley Concert

Date - 13th February

Time - 5:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Venue - College Hall

Participation - 200



The Medley Concert '23 was organized by The Malayalam Literary Society in collaboration with The Music Society on 13th February 2023 (Monday) at the College Hall. The event started at 05:00 pm, with an attendance that filled the venue. There were 12 performances and the participants were from all years of study. The concert which spanned over an hour saw 37 vocalists and 20 junior members playing instruments. The performances were in

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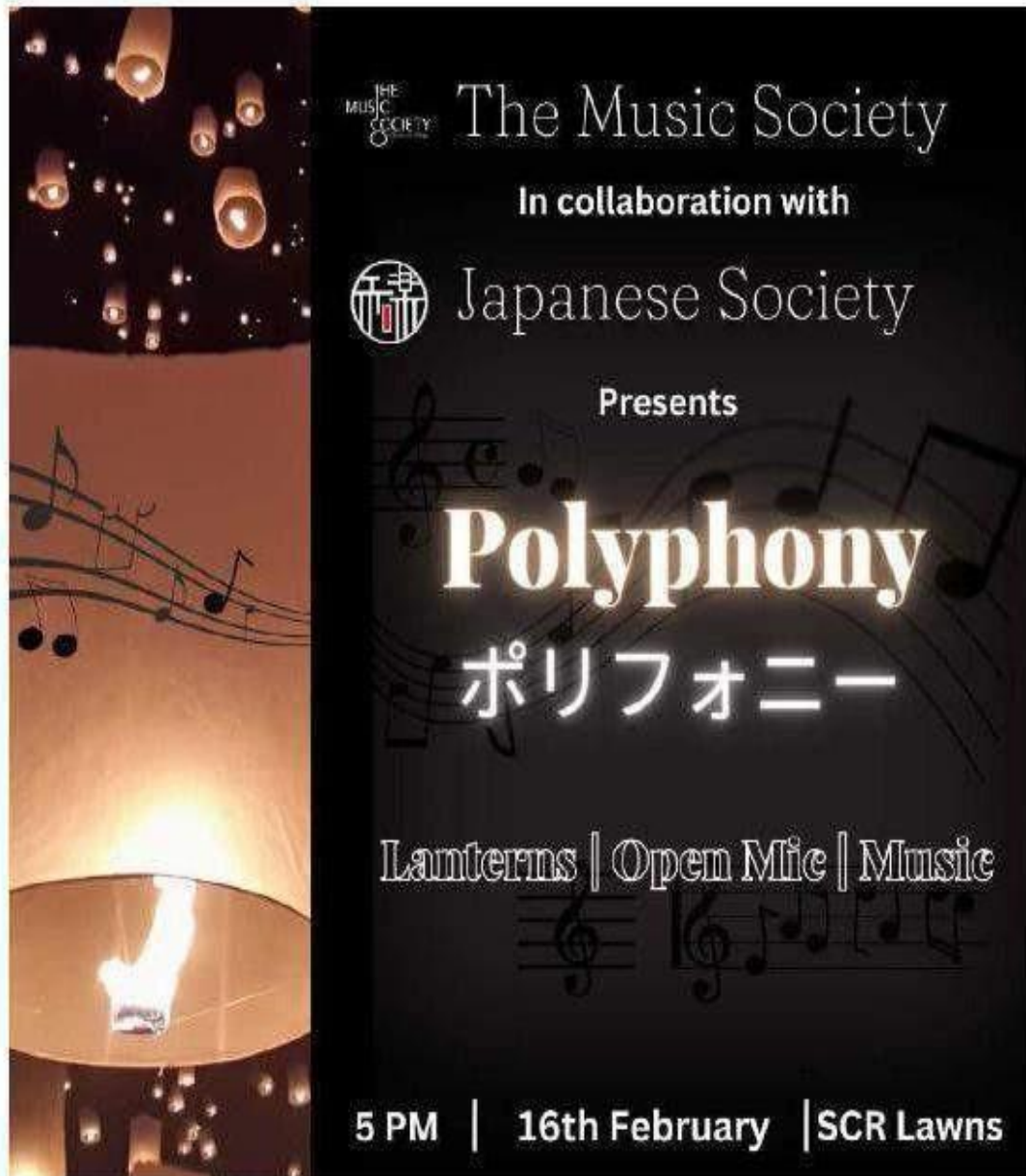
Polyphony x Lantern Festival


Date - 16th February

Time - 5:45 pm - 8:00 pm


Venue - SCR Lawns

Participation - 150



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5 PM | 16th February | SCR Lawns

EVENT REPORT

Crosswinds

Date - 25th and 26th March

Time - 9 am - 6:30 pm

Venue - College Hall

Participation - 500

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EVENT REPORT

Seniors' Acoustica

Date - 26th April

Time - 4:30 pm - 8:00 pm

Venue - College Hall

Participation - 350

Seniors' Acoustica was conducted on 26th April 2023 at the College Hall. The Seniors' Acoustica is an event dedicated to the third years and is conducted annually. It provides the students with the platform to perform for one last time before they graduate from college.

The auditions for Seniors' Acoustica were conducted during the last week of March, after which performers were allotted practice sessions throughout the month of April. Practices took place every day in the JCR from 2:30 PM onwards until the day before the final performance. Publicity for the event included various reels on the society's social media handles to posters.

The college hall was opened at 1:30 PM, after which the sound system was set up by the technical team. The event began at 4:30 PM with the college hall completely occupied. The event had an audience of about 350-400 students. It was hosted by Mawia Rokhum and Vanisha Meena. There were 21 performances from Third Year Junior members from various departments who were accompanied by instrumentalists from all three years. The performances were enjoyed by all and left a lasting impression on many. It ended with a vote of thanks by the society President, Christopher Singh. Seniors' Acoustica was brought to a close at 8:00 PM, which was followed by cleanup.

Report on the Echoes of the Eight

Date – 05.11.2022 (Saturday)

Time – 3:30 pm

Venue – College Hall

Number of participants – 225

One of the Society's most anticipated events is the collaboration with the Music Society which showcases musical performances from eight states of North-East India. This year's event was held on 5th November 2022, and the performances were significantly received by the audience.

The event started off with a musical performance from the state of Meghalaya followed by Sikkim, Assam, Nagaland, Tripura, Arunachal Pradesh, Mizoram, and Manipur. There was active participation from the members of both the North-East Society and the Music Society as vocalists, instrumentalists, performers, and volunteers. In the end, all the participants gave an energetic action song as a group performance which included the audience. The song was "Deep Cries Out," a praise and worship Christian song. This group performance concluded the event.

The event was open to all first, second and third-year junior members and senior members. It was also open to alumni students. The event was a success and was covered by the Photographic Society.



The St. Stephen's North-East Society 2022-2023

The following talk sessions were organized and conducted by the St. Stephen's North-East Society during the academic year 2022-2023:

Talks and Panel Discussions

1. **"Healing of Colonial Wounds: Pitt Rivers Museum and Repatriation of Naga Ancestral Remains"**
 - Speaker: Dr. Arkotong Longkumer
 - Date: 15th October, 2022
 - Time: 3:30 p.m.
 - Platform: Google Meet
 - No. of Attendees: 40

The talk focused on the initiative by The Pitt Rivers Museum in Oxford to reinstate artifacts and ancestral remains of deep cultural and historical value to their rightful homes. This included the repatriation of many Naga ancestral remains. These had been displayed in the museum as "exotic and primitive" for many years. This initiative was catalysed by two distinguished anthropologists, Dr. Dolly Kikon and Dr. Arkotong Longkumer. In his talk with us, Dr. Longkumer elucidated on the significance of the ancestral remains among the Nagas, the process of reaching out to the museum and the repatriation programme that is to be undertaken in the coming times.



THE ST. STEPHEN'S NORTH-EAST SOCIETY
PRESENTS A TALK BY
DR. ARKOTONG LONGKUMER
ON
*Healing of Colonial Wounds: Pitt Rivers Museum
and Repatriation of Naga Ancestral Remains*



Dr. Arkotong Longkumer
General Lecturer in Modern Asia
University of Edinburgh

15th October, 2022
Time: 3:30pm-4:30
Platform: Google Meet
Meeting Code: 111 220 1111

Organized by: Dr. Dolly Kikon
Contact: +91 96110 20117

EVENT REPORT -

NORTH-EAST LUNCH 2022

One of the Society's most anticipated events is an annual lunch that introduces the cuisines of all eight states of North-East India. This year's lunch was held on 30th September 2022, and there was a significant student turnout.

Date – 30.09.2022 Friday

Time – 2:30 pm

Venue – Mess Hall

Number of participants – 121

The Society's decision to add a catch to the Lunch this year was a relatively fresh idea. Through the use of an online random number generator, three winners were announced from the people who have registered for the event. First-place winner Rohan Modayil received free lunch (cashback). Lalremsiana Darchhun and Ananya Vats, who received a traditional wrap-around and shawl as prizes, took second and third place, respectively.

The food on the menu included traditional North-Eastern cuisine such as steamed rice, aloo pitika, dal, papad, chhangban, and gooseberry juice. Those who selected a vegetarian lunch were given pakora thongba, while those who selected a non-vegetarian lunch were given doh syiar khleh. Those who are prohibited from consuming the fermented gooseberry juice due to societal or religious customs were given roselle tea.

The event was covered by both the Photographic Society and the Media Cell. Leftover food from the Lunch was packed into tiffins and handed over to the Social Service League for distribution to the children coming to college for evening classes.

Society Activity Report 2022-23
The St. Stephen's North-East Society

Bihu Festival

Date: 19th January 2023

Resource person(s): N/A

No. of participants: 60

In collaboration with Virsa, the Punjabi Literary Society, the Tamil and Telugu community, and others, the harvest festival of Bihu was observed. There were cultural performances on exhibit, as well as a variety of cuisines from each of the participating communities

Society Activity Report 2022-23
The St. Stephen's North-East Society

Losar Festival

Date: 25th January 2023

Resource person(s): N/A

No. of participants: 60

The celebration of Losar was a new event which sought to accommodate and embrace students from Ladakh, Sikkim, the Darjeeling Hills, Nepal, Tibet, and Bhutan. The society blog included articles on the subject to show how the event was observed in various locales. Dance, music, and regional cuisine were all featured at the occasion

Society Activity Report 2022-23
Philosophical Society

Lecture on "Understanding Epistemic Injustice through a Cultural Lens"

Date: 30th August, 2022

Resource person(s) : Anu Migom Panging, Syed Haider Razvi

No. of participants: 30

Sooraj Mohan Saksena, a PhD student from Northwestern University, delivered a thought-provoking lecture on "Understanding Epistemic Injustice through a Cultural Lens" at the Philosophical Society of St. Stephen's College on August 30, 2022. Saksena's presentation explored issues related to democratic communication within the framework of epistemic injustice and cultural disagreements, drawing upon the scholarship of notable thinkers such as Kristie Dotson, Miranda Fricker, Jose Medina, and Mikhail Bakhtin.

The lecture emphasized the importance of examining social critique beyond individual communicative dialogues, focusing instead on the cultural aspects that shape society. Saksena delved into Bakhtin's concept of dialogism, asserting that meaningful experience is inherently dialogical and extends beyond interpersonal exchanges to include cultural analysis. He argued that communication is a social action, not a monological expression, and underscored the significance of understanding culture as a dynamic, complex process that resists reductionist accounts.

Saksena's presentation also delved into the complexity of cultural conflicts, acknowledging the pluralistic nature of culture and its role as a site of meaning-production. He explored the idea of cultural analysis as a means to highlight interactions between various practices that contribute to the overall societal experience. Additionally, Saksena delved into Kristie Dotson's analysis of systemic exclusion, addressing first, second, and third-order exclusions in the context of epistemic injustices and oppression related to structural inequalities among competing conceptions of social cultures. Overall, the lecture provided valuable insights into the intricate relationship between culture, communication, and epistemic justice.

Society Activity Report 2022-23
Philosophical Society

Reading Club Session on "Two Dogmas of Empiricism" by WVO Quine

Date: 16th September, 2022

Resource person(s) : Sanjana Raghunandan, Avnish Vats

No. of participants: 15

On Friday, September 16, 2022, at 3 PM in Room C, an intellectually stimulating session unfolded as enthusiasts delved into W. V. O. Quine's seminal work, "Two Dogmas of Empiricism." The discussion centered around Quine's challenge to the foundational principles of modern empiricism—namely, the analytic-synthetic distinction and reductionism.

Quine scrutinized the first dogma, the analytic-synthetic distinction, contending that the dichotomy between truths grounded in meanings and those grounded in facts was untenable. He posited that the separation was not as clear-cut as philosophers had traditionally believed. The second dogma, reductionism, faced similar skepticism from Quine, who questioned the belief that every meaningful statement could be reduced to a logical construct grounded in immediate experience.

Attendees engaged in a thoughtful exploration of Quine's arguments, fostering a dynamic dialogue on the nature of empirical knowledge. The event provided an enriching platform for challenging established philosophical tenets, encouraging a deeper understanding of the complexities inherent in the empirical framework.



Society Activity Report 2022-23

Philosophical Society

Film Screening- Breathless by Jean-Luc Godard

Date: 18th October, 2022

Resource person(s) : Sanjana Raghunandan, Avanish Vats

No. of participants: 15

The Philosophical Society of St. Stephen's College successfully hosted a screening event featuring 'Breathless' by Jean-Luc Godard on October 18, 2022, at the OCLT venue. The event was a commemoration of Godard, a pioneering figure in the French New Wave, who passed away on September 13, 2022. The screening was followed by an insightful discussion led by Dr. Silika Mohapatra, delving into the various philosophical themes embedded in the film. Attendees had the opportunity to engage in a thoughtful exploration of Godard's work and its philosophical nuances. The event attracted a diverse audience, fostering a vibrant intellectual exchange. The Philosophical Society expresses gratitude to all participants and looks forward to future endeavors that celebrate the intersection of philosophy and cinema.

Society Activity Report 2022-23
Philosophical Society

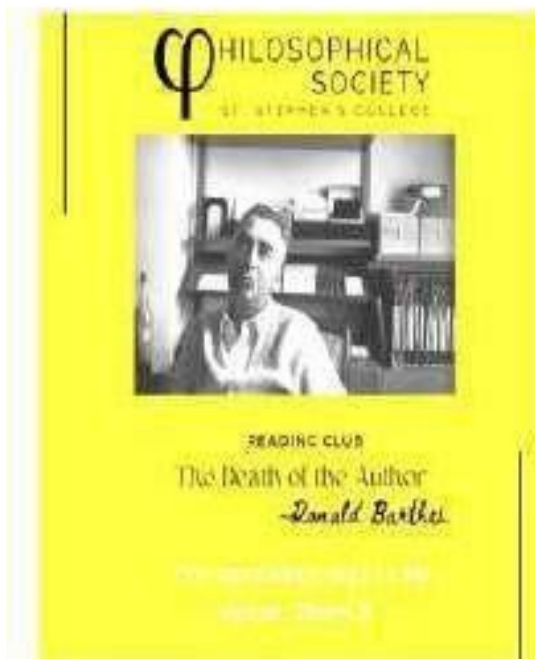
Reading Club Session- "The Death of the Author" by Roland Barthes

Date: 7th November, 2022

Resource person(s) : Sanjana Raghunandan, Avnish Vats

No. of participants: 10

The Philosophical Society's Reading Club session on "The Death of the Author" by Roland Barthes, held on November 7, 2022, at 3:00 P.M., sparked insightful discussions on the nature of literary interpretation. Members delved into Barthes' provocative ideas, challenging traditional notions of authorship and exploring the autonomy of the text. The session fostered a vibrant intellectual exchange, with participants sharing diverse perspectives on the implications of the "death of the author" in understanding and analyzing literary works. The event successfully cultivated an environment for critical thinking and philosophical exploration within the community.



Society Activity Report 2022-23
Philosophical Society

Lecture by Dr. Sanil V on "Should We Read Problematic Philosophers?"

Date: 11th November, 2022

Resource person(s) : Sanjana Raghunandan, Avanish Vats

No. of participants: 30

The Philosophical Society of St. Stephen's College hosted a thought-provoking talk by Dr. Sanil V on "Should We Read Problematic Philosophers?" The event, held at the AV Room, St. Stephen's College on November 11, 2022, explored the ethical dilemma of engaging with philosophers tainted by problematic and sometimes criminal histories. Dr. Sanil V, a seasoned professor of philosophy, guided attendees through nuanced considerations, raising pertinent questions about the intersection of ideas and personal conduct. The event fostered an open dialogue, challenging participants to critically examine the legacy of philosophers like Martin Heidegger and John Searle. Open to all, it sparked reflections on ethical intellectual engagement.

Society Activity Report 2022-23
Philosophical Society

Lecture by Dr. Bikram Phookun on 'Quantum Conundrums: Measurement and the Uncertainty Principle'

Date: 25th November, 2022

Resource person(s) : Sanjana Raghunandan, Avanish Vats

No. of participants: 40

The Philosophical Society's event, featuring Dr. Bikram Phookun's lecture on 'Quantum Conundrums: Measurement and the Uncertainty Principle,' held on November 25, 2022, at 3:00 PM in the OCLT Room, Science Block, was a captivating exploration of quantum mechanics. Dr. Phookun, a distinguished Physics Professor at Ashoka University, elucidated the evolution of measurement in the quantum realm and its intricate connection to the renowned uncertainty principle. The audience was treated to a journey from classical physics to the quantum paradigm, providing valuable insights into the profound shifts in our understanding of the physical world. The event facilitated a rich intellectual experience for all attendees.

Society Activity Report 2022-23
Philosophical Society

Reading Club Session on Ursula K. Le Guin's 'The Ones Who Walk Away From Omelas'

Date: 16th January, 2023

Resource person(s) : Sanjana Raghunandan, Avnish Vats

No. of participants: 20

The joint Reading Club session hosted by The Philosophical Society of St. Stephen's College and the Gandhi Ambedkar Study Circle on January 16, 2023, at Mess Lawns, 4 PM, proved to be a thought-provoking exploration of Ursula K. Le Guin's 'The Ones Who Walk Away From Omelas.' Restricted to junior members of St. Stephen's College, the session delved into the philosophical nuances of the short story, unraveling its themes of utilitarianism and utopia. Attendees engaged in a vibrant discussion, grappling with the moral implications of the narrative's central premise—the juxtaposition of prosperity and the ethical dilemma of a tortured child. The event successfully fostered a space for critical reflection and philosophical dialogue among the participants.

Society Activity Report 2022-23
Philosophical Society

Workshop on How to Apply to Philosophy Graduate Programs

Date: 18th March, 2023

Resource person(s) : Sanjana Raghunandan, Avanish Vats

No. of participants: 20

The Philosophical Society's Grad School Workshop on March 18 at 8:00 PM, featuring alumnae Ms. Lillianne (PhD student at Loyola University, Chicago) and Ms. Urna (PhD student at Cornell University), was a valuable guide for undergraduates navigating the path to graduate studies in Philosophy. The session offered insights and advice from those who've successfully treaded this academic journey. Attendees gained clarity on the next steps, making the transition from undergraduate to graduate studies smoother. The event provided a supportive space for aspiring philosophers, ensuring they are well-prepared for the challenges and opportunities ahead.

**So, You Want To Go To
Grad School in Philosophy?**

If yes, join PhiloSoc's workshop on
18 Mar 2023 at 8:00 PM via Zoom

The workshop will be presented by SSC alumnae:



Lillianne J.
Ph.D. Program
Loyola University Chicago

Urna C.
Ph.D. Program
Cornell University



Zoom Link: tinyurl.com/philosoc-apply-23



Society Activity Report 2022-23
Philosophical Society

Reading Club Sessions on Wendy Doniger

Date: 27th-29th March, 2023

Resource person(s) : Sanjana Raghunandan, Avanish Vats

No. of participants: 10

The Reading Club Sessions on Wendy Doniger, organized by The Philosophical Society as a Pre-S. K. Bose event, unfolded with intellectual vigor and scholarly exploration. The three sessions, held on March 27th, 28th, and 29th, 2023, at Rudra Lawns at 3 PM, delved into Doniger's works, offering a nuanced understanding of Indian texts, gender, and caste discourses.

The first session navigated "The Logical Paradox of Creation Myths," engaging participants in a profound exploration of mythic contradictions. The following day, "Many Masks, Many Selves" prompted insightful discussions on identity complexities. Concluding the series, "Dogs as Dalits in Indian Literature" on March 29th scrutinized caste dynamics within literary representations.

The event provided a platform for intellectual exchange and critical analysis, fostering a deeper appreciation for Wendy Doniger's contributions to the philosophical discourse on India's cultural tapestry.



Society Activity Report 2022-23
Philosophical Society

S.K. Bose Memorial Lecture 2023

Date: 5th April, 2023

Resource person(s) : Sanjana Raghunandan, Avanish Vats

No. of participants: 150

The S.K. Bose Memorial Lecture held on April 5th at St. Stephen's College was a resounding success, attracting 150 attendees both in person and virtually. The event, organized by the Department of Philosophy and Philosophical Society, marked a triumphant return after a four-year hiatus.

Wendy Doniger, Professor Emerita from The University of Chicago Divinity School, delivered a captivating talk titled "The Concept of the Author in Ancient Indian Texts." The audience, comprising students, faculty, and philosophy enthusiasts, engaged deeply with the profound insights shared by Prof. Doniger. The session was moderated by Prof. Vijay Tankha, renowned expert in Greek Philosophy and a retired member of our Department.

The hybrid format, allowing participation both on-site and online, facilitated broader access to the lecture. This inclusivity was particularly appreciated by those unable to attend physically. The seminar room buzzed with intellectual exchange, and the post-lecture discussions showcased the enduring impact of Prof. S.K. Bose's legacy on philosophical discourse.

The event's success owes much to the thoughtful organization, the distinguished speaker, and the enduring interest in philosophical exploration within the academic community. The S.K. Bose Memorial Lecture once again proved to be a cornerstone in fostering intellectual dialogue and commemorating the rich heritage of philosophical inquiry at St. Stephen's College.

Society Activity Report 2022-23
Philosophical Society

Prasna- Annual Fest 2023

Date: 3rd April, 2023

Resource person(s) : Sanjana Raghunandan, Avanish Vats, Shreya Viji, Linyam Beyong

No. of participants: 150

The Philosophical Society's Annual Fest, Prasna, held on April 3, 2023, was a resounding success, offering a day of enriching philosophical engagement. Dr. Soumyabrata Choudhury, Associate Professor at Jawaharlal Nehru University, delivered a captivating inaugural lecture, setting an intellectually stimulating tone for the event.

The fest featured Quiddity, a Philosophy quiz competition that tested participants' depth of philosophical knowledge while fostering friendly competition. The Paper Presentations, a hallmark of the society, showcased the scholarly endeavors of members, providing a platform for thoughtful discussions and diverse perspectives.

Society Activity Report 2023-24
Physics Society

Journal Reading Group- Fractal Geometry

Date: 26th August 2022

Resource person(s) : Vedanta Thapar and Hari Prasad

No. of participants : 20

Fractal geometry, a captivating branch of mathematics, delves into the mesmerizing world of self-similar and intricate patterns found in nature and art. This introductory overview takes you on a journey through the basics of fractal geometry, making it accessible to beginners.

Society Activity Report 2022-23

Physics Society

Applied Physics Orientation

Date: 2nd September 2022.

No. of participants: 25

Venu: NPLT

Brief description of the event:

The Physics Society of St. Stephen's college cordially introduces the audience to the orientation of its brand new vertical Applied Physics. From Electronics to the up-and-coming field of Biophysics, the vertical promised expand the scope of the Society by undertaking discussions in various fields that come under Applied Physics. The speaker Hariprasad SV from TY Physics acquainted the listeners with what all it will cover as a vertical.



Society Activity Report 2022-23

Physics Society

Journal Reading Group -Session 2

Date: 9th September 2022

Resource person(s): Ishaan Utkarsh and Prithvi Singh

No. of participants:30

Brief description of the event

It is the second journal reading session on introduction to quantum mechanics presented by Prithvi Singh, Ishaan Utkarsh.

Abstract

Since the 2nd years haven't studied Quantum physics yet, this jrg session was geared towards giving them an insight into the counter intuitiveness and elegance of Quantum Mechanics. We referred to the 1st lecture from Alan Adams' lecture series recorded at MIT in 2013.

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Society Activity Report 2023-24

Physics Society

Radio Astronomy Introductory Session

Date: 16th September 2022

Resource person(s) : Udish Sharma, Nadia Makhijani, Swara Mishra

No. of participants : 22

The Astronomy Club is ready to resume its sessions for the year. In this Radio Astro session, we will be discussing Radio Frequency Interference (RFI) which is an Important part of any radio astronomical study. It forms the basis of the feasibility and effectiveness of the radio study of a particular location. We will talk about the cost effective methods for carrying out such surveys and discuss the same for our college campus.



Society Activity Report 2023-24

Physics Society

Feynman Lecture No. 1- An Infinite LC Circuit

Date: 9th July 2023 to 11th July 2023

Resource person(s) : Dr. Bikram Phookun, Ashoka University

No. of participants : 62

Inductors and Capacitors are unavoidable components of many circuits in our daily life. Dr. Phookun will provide insight on how an infinite circuit made from inductances and capacitors alone can have an effective impedance that is purely resistive, and discuss propagation of electrical signals through such a circuit.



Society Activity Report 2022-22

Physics Society

Applied Physics - Problem Introduction

Date: 7 October 2022

Presenter : Hariprasad SV

No. of participants : 15

Venue: NPLT

Time: 12:30 pm- 1:30 pm

Brief description of the event

The first problem of the Applied Physics Vertical was introduced in this session. The problem was about the leaky integrate and fire model of a Neuron. It is a primitive yet informative model of the dynamics of signal propagation through the human nervous system.

IQAC Event In Collaboration With Physics Society Report 2022

The Essence of Empathy in Our Times: An Enduring Lesson

Date: 10th October 2022.

No. of participants : 43

Venu: Seminar Room

Brief description of the event

The Head of The Department of Physics, Dr.Jacob Cherian delivered an enlightening talk on the significance of empathy in education. He highlighted the challenges students face during the transition from school to college and discussed the evolving dynamics between teachers and students. The event underscored the importance of fostering empathy and adapting to the changing educational landscape.

Society Activity Report 2022-23

The Physics Society

Feynman Talk – 2 on “Stealth Technology”

Date: 14th October 2022

Speaker: Dr Ratnamala Chatterjee, IIT DELHI

Time: 12.30PM-1.30PM

No. of participants: 32

Event Description:

Dr. Ratnamala Chatterjee, is a Professor of Physics at IIT DELHI.

The talk provided insights on how the Physics of Electromagnetism helps us in developing new materials and the novel engineering techniques, to tackle several technological issues such as battlefield technology.



Society Activity Report 2022-23

Physics Society

Feynmann Talk: Prospect of doing Computer Science at Ashoka University"

Date: 28 October, 2022

Resource person(s) : Dr Anirban Mondal

No. of participants : 24

Dr Anirban Mondal talked about the masters+ PHD combined program in computer Science at Ashoka University and its merits. He is currently employed at the Ashoka University Computer Science department.

Few photographs of the event along with the picture of the main poster (which was circulated) and the certificate which was given to any one participant (if available)

Society Activity Report 2022-23

Physics Society

Feynman Talk – Origin of Life

Date: 11th November 2022

Resource person(s): Prof. Sanjay Jain

No. of participants: 45

Brief description of the event:

*It is one of the lectures organised by "Feynman Club". This talk is given by Dr. Sanjay Jain, University of Delhi on the topic "**Origin of Life**". It is an interactive hour-long session followed by doubts discussion.*

Abstract:

The origin of life poses several puzzles. One of them is: How did inanimate objects, molecules come together to form a living entity - a cell. The property of life ultimately resides in the cooperative chemical organization of different types of molecules. No individual molecule is alive, but the collective is, by virtue of the mutually reinforcing or "auto-catalytic" chemical interactions between the molecules.

Society Activity Report 2022-23

Physics Society

Society Orientation

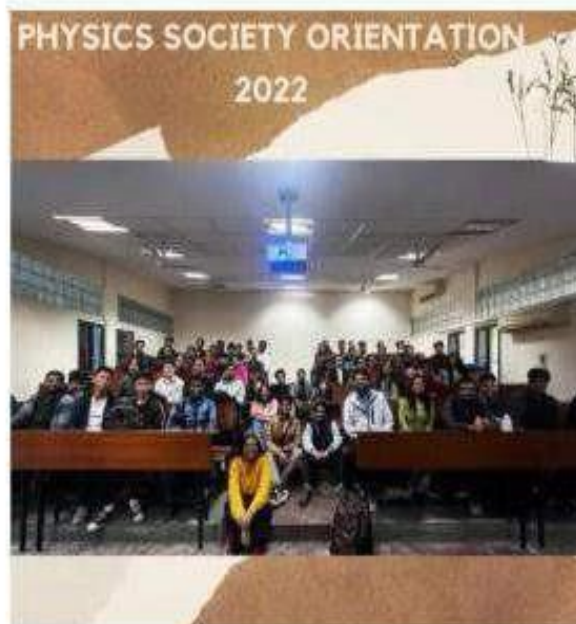
Date: 23rd November, 2022

Resource person(s) :

No. of participants : 42

Brief description of the event : It is the orientation of the new first year students into the society. Through this event, they are introduced to the society council, its previous events, and its plans for the new session.

Photographs:



Problem Solving Session

Report 2022-23

Date: 30th November 2023.

Time: 4:00PM-5:00PM

No. of participants: 18

Brief description of the event

In this Problem Solving session two problems, drafted by the students were discussed. One of the problems involved a falling of a slinky . The problem was aimed to discuss the behavior and properties of a slinky and compare it to a normal spring . The other problem was the Halloween balloon problem . Given an inflated balloon of spherical shape , tied with it a heavy inextensible string it was aimed to predict the motion of the balloon and its interaction with electric field . It was a fairly enjoyable and interactive event.

Few photographs of the event along with the picture of the main poster (which was circulated) and the certificate which was given to any one participant (if available)



Society Activity Report 2022-23

Physics Society

Introduction to Non-dimensionalisation

Date: 11th January, 2023

Resource persons : Anupam Chauhan, Mani Gupta

No. of participants : 24

Brief description of the event

The Astro Club in our society conducted a session on Non-dimensionalization as part of the Data Analysis vertical. This session aimed to introduce first-year students to the concept of treating physical quantities as pure numbers. Non-dimensionalization proves crucial in solving systems of equations involving measured units, simplifying and parameterizing problems. This technique is closely tied to Dimensional Analysis and serves as a foundational step for tackling intriguing problems that entail solving differential equations.

Society Activity Report 2022-23

Physics Society

Ranjan Roy Lecture Series-Our Wondrous and Complex World

Date: 13th January 2023

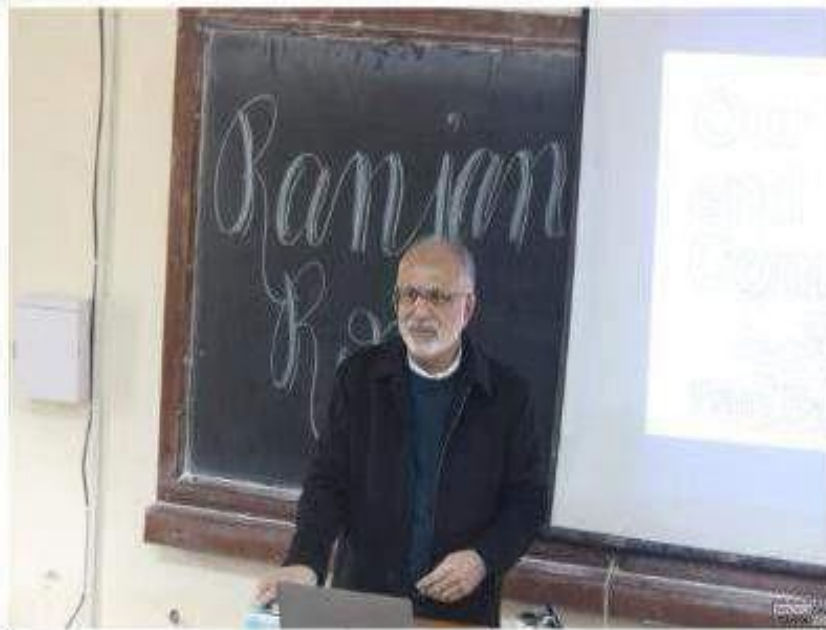
Resource person(s): Prof. Ramakrishna Ramaswamy, IIT Delhi

No. of participants: 80

Brief description of the event:

The Ranjan Roy Memorial Memorial Lecture Series is the flagship event of both the Physics Society as well as the Economics Society wherein an eminent speaker delivers a lecture on the various interdisciplinary fields of study pertaining to either Economics or Physics. In the spirit of Dr. Ranjan Roy's work, the event is focussed on celebrating interdisciplinary science, social issues in the field, and diverse thinking.

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Society Activity Report 2023-24

Physics Society

Introduction to DE solving

Date: 20/1/23

Resource person(s) : Udish Sharma Nadia makhijani

No. of participants : 10

Brief description of the event

Taught Euler algorithm which proves to be useful when solving differential equations. Also introduces RK2 method

Society Activity Report 2022-23

Physics Society

Why You Should Care About Diversity & Inclusion in Science

Date: 16th February, 2023

Resource person(s) : Ankur Paliwal

No. of participants : 45

Brief description of the event : Our initiatives of this academic year have been to set up a dedicated unit to promote awareness of social issues in scientific research communities within the students of the department. With reference to your Nature study on Caste Distributions in Science in elite universities in India as well as your incredible body of work on science inequity and the LGBTQ+ community, we would be honoured to have you speak at the college.

Photographs:

Society Activity Report 2022-23

Physics Society

AP Session: Wavelet Transform

Date: 24/2/2023

Resource person(s) : Hariprasad SV

No. of participants : 15

Hari Discussed the concept and ideas behind wavelet transform and its application to signal processing and biophysical problems.

Society Activity Report 2022-23

Physics Society

Feynman Lecture- Simulation of Electron Detection Systematic Errors for the UCNA+ Experiment

Date: 03 March 2023

Resource person: Ms. Rashika Gupta

No. of participants : 60

The speaker for this event was Ms. Rashika Gupta, an alumni of the Department of Physics, St. Stephen's College and a graduate student at the University of Kentucky.

Abstract:

Society Activity Report 2022-23

The Planning Forum

Inaugural Lecture by Mr. Pulapre Balakrishnan.

Date: 30th September 2022

Resource person: Mr. Pulapre Balakrishnan

Some of the participants were:

Allen Mathew
Jane Eliza Cyriac
Lakshita Jangid
Ria Thomas
Maria Charles
Abiya Biju Thomas
Amala Anna Anil
Avaantika Vivek
Diya Elizabeth Joseph
George Anand
Harnaaz Sikand
Hiba Muneer (Treasurer)
R Avantika
Rachel Batra
Rachel Elsa Jude

Brief description of the event:

The Planning Forum of St. Stephen's College was thrilled to have hosted the Inaugural Lecture by Mr. Pulapre Balakrishnan, a distinguished macroeconomist and accomplished author. With bestselling books to his name and a rich history of consulting for organisations like the International Labour Organisation, Reserve Bank of India, and the United Nations Development Program, Mr. Balakrishnan brought valuable insights to the event. Set in the post-pandemic world, the lecture aimed to address critical economic questions, especially in the context of India's economic recovery. The goal was to chart a meticulous plan of action to achieve the ambitious

Society Activity Report 2022-23

The Planning Forum

Alumni talks

Date: 29th September 2022

Resource person(s): Mr. Mathew Mathai and Ms. Teres Sajeew

Some of the participants were:

Allen Mathew
Jane Eliza Cyriac
Lakshita Jangid
Ria Thomas
Maria Charles
Abiya Biju Thomas
Amala Anna Anil
Avaantika Vivek
Diya Elizabeth Joseph
George Anand
Harnaaz Sikand
Hiba Muneer (Treasurer)
R Avantika
Rachel Batra
Rachel Elsa Jude

Brief description of the event:

The society organised a two-member panel to discuss policy initiatives for sustainable development. The panel comprised alumni Mr. Mathew Mathai, Director at Deloitte India, and Ms. Teres Sajeew, State Coordinator at the Ministry of Justice and Social Empowerment. The event was conducted on 29th September 2022.

Society Activity Report 2022-23

The Planning Forum

Chatrashala

Date: 19th November 2022

Resource person: Ms. Urmi Chudgar

Some of the participants were:

Allen Mathew
Jane Eliza Cyriac
Lakshita Jangid
Ria Thomas
Maria Charles
Abiya Biju Thomas
Amala Anna Anil
Avaantika Vivek
Diya Elizabeth Joseph
George Anand
Harnaaz Sikand
Hiba Muneer (Treasurer)
R Avantika
Rachel Batra
Rachel Elsa Jude

Brief description of the event:

We are pleased to report on our Pro Bono initiative, Chatrashala, which was conducted in collaboration with Teach For India. As a significant component of our initiative, a workshop was led by Ms. Urmi Chudgar, a Legal Fellow at HAQ: Centre for Child Rights, where she addressed the fundamental child rights and duties. The workshop, themed "Fundamental Child Rights and Duties," was conducted with precision and expertise by Ms. Chudgar. The session aimed to raise awareness among underprivileged children about their

Society Activity Report 2022-23

The Planning Forum

St. Stephen's Model United Nation

Date: 24th, 25th and 26th January 2023

Resource person: Mr Ajay Bisaria

Some of the participants were:

Allen Mathew
Jane Eliza Cyriac
Lakshita Jangid
Ria Thomas
Maria Charles
Abiya Biju Thomas
Amala Anna Anil
Avaantika Vivek
Diya Elizabeth Joseph
George Anand
Harnaaz Sikand
Hiba Muneer (Treasurer)
R Avantika
Rachel Batra
Rachel Elsa Jude

Brief description of the event:

We are pleased to present a formal report on the 15th edition of the St. Stephen's Model United Nations (SMUN). SMUN, which has been an annual tradition for fifteen years, provided a platform for young, ambitious individuals to engage in deliberation, debate, and discussion on social, political, and economic matters of global relevance. It also allowed participants to hone their skills in the intricate art of international diplomacy. This edition of SMUN marked a significant return to in-person proceedings after a hiatus of three years, creating immense excitement. We

Society Activity Report 2022-23

The Poetry Society

TALK SESSION WITH ARUNDHATHI SUBRAMANIAM

DATE: 31st March 2023

Resource Person: Arundhathi Subramaniam

No. of Participants: 15+

The Poetry Society organised a talk with Sahitya Akademi Award winning poet Arundhathi Subramaniam. The talk was planned like a special Poetry Under the Sun meeting but owing to unfavourable weather forecast it was moved to Room XD of the college. It was held at 2:00 PM on March 31, 2023. Members were encouraged to interact with the prestigious poet, which proved to be an enriching exercise.



Society Activity Report 2022-23

The Poetry Society

POETRY UNDER THE SUN

DATE: 27th January 2023

No. of Participants: 15

The Poetry Society organised a poetry session open to all junior members. It was held on Jan 27, 2023 at 3:30 PM in the SCR Lawns of the college. The event aimed to alleviate the stress faced by the batch of 2026 before their first semester examinations. It was a modest event where participants could read, recite or just listen to poetry and unwind under the sun.



Society Activity Report 2022-23

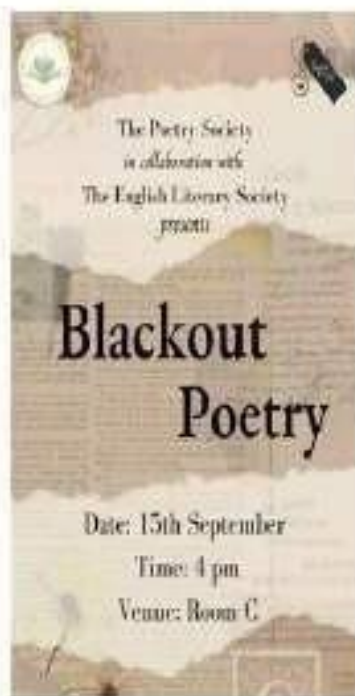
The Poetry Society

BLACKOUT POETRY

DATE: 15TH September 2022

No. of Participants: 20

The Poetry Society organised Blackout Poetry in collaboration with the English Literary Society. It was held on Sept 15, 2022 from 4:00 - 5:30 PM in Room C of the college. The event was open to all junior members, who were provided with the required materials at the venue.



Society Activity Report 2022-23

The Poetry Society

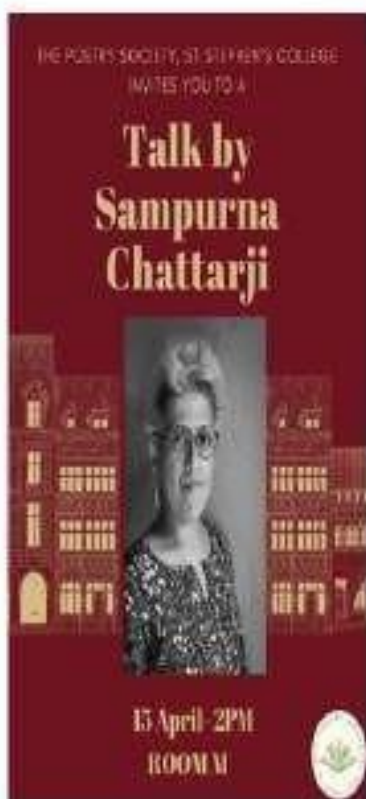
TALK SESSION WITH SAMPURNA CHATTARJI

DATE: 15th April 2023

Resource Person: Sampurna Chattarji

No. of Participants: 20

The Poetry Society organised an interactive session with poet, translator, editor and lecturer, Sampurna Chattarji. The talk was about the importance of poetry in the contemporary era. It was held on April 15, 2023 at 2:00 PM in Room M of the college. Junior members could register with the society prior to attending the talk.



Society Activity Report 2022-23

The Poetry Society

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DATE: 21ST September 2022

No. of Participants: 45

The Poetry Society organised the slam poetry competition in collaboration with the BA Programme Society. It was held on Sept 21, 2022, from 4:00 - 6:00 PM in the Seminar Room of the college. The event was open to all colleges and participants could register in advance to appear for the competition. Entries were accepted in English as well as Hindi and due guidelines were furnished beforehand for proper conduct during the event.



Society Activity Report 2022-23

The Poetry Society

STELLAR 2023

DATE: February 2023

No. of Participants: 8

In collaboration with Tape A Tale, the Poetry Society organised Stellar 2023, a nationwide story-telling competition. Members could participate by registering with the society and appearing for an online preliminary round. Shortlisted members were then offered an opportunity to perform live in Mumbai. The competition took place during February 2023.



Society Activity Report 2022-23

The Poetry Society

DOTS AND BITS

The Poetry Society released periodical prompts for poems under Dots and Bits. The prompts were not only released but also expounded in English as well as Hindi. All junior members were encouraged to send in relevant entries which were then published on the society's Instagram page. Prompts included popular themes like "going away, coming back" and "anybody have a map?" Dots and Bits was carried out for much of the year, pausing only during examinations.



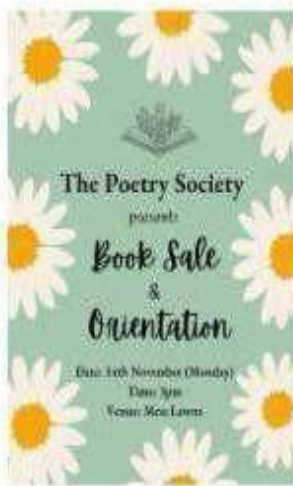
Society Activity Report 2022-23

The Poetry Society

ORIENTATION, OPEN MIC AND BOOK SALE

DATE: 14TH November 2022

No. of Participants: 25



The Poetry Society organised an orientation session for the new members of the poetry society, especially the first year junior members (batch of 2026). It was held on Nov 14, 2022 at 3:00 PM in the Mess Lawns of the college. The event was open to all junior members who wanted to interact with the newly formed society council and learn about the functioning of the society.

The orientation was followed by an Open Mic where junior members from different departments could participate by registering beforehand. It was organised in Room B of the college at 3:30 PM. The society hosted performances in

different languages and literary styles. The last event for the day was the book sale. The society had set up a stall in the Mess Lawns of the college where books were sold under MRP. This was to encourage reading and library building and to make books available, accessible and affordable for junior members.



Society Activity Report 2022-23

The Poetry Society

MERCH SALE

The Poetry Society released an interest form for merchandise which included t-shirts, hoodies, tote bags and bookmarks. All merchandise bore original designs prepared by the society council. Junior members could place their orders with the society and collect them on the designated days in the SCR Lawns of the college.



Society Activity Report 2022-23

The Poetry Society

TALK SESSION WITH SUMANA ROY

DATE: 5TH April 2023

Resource Person: Sumana Roy

No. of Participants: 15+



The Poetry Society organised the pre-fest talk in collaboration with The English Literary Society for the latter's annual fest LOGOS'23 delivered by Sumana Roy of Ashoka University. The topic of the talk was "Breaking, Bending, Branching: Shapes of Trees and Hidden Knowledge Systems". It was held on April 5, 2023 at 3:30 PM in Room B of the college. Members from different colleges were invited to register with the society prior to attending the talk.

Society Activity Report 2022-23

The Poetry Society

TRAVERSE

DATE: March 2023

No. of Participants: 80+

The Poetry Society organised Traverse, the society's annual fest. It sent out calls for translators and designers for the annual chapbook where members could register online. The theme for the fest was Rebirth, referring to the bustling college life that had resumed on the college campus after lockdown.



In addition, the fest also entailed a Slam Poetry Competition adhering to the same theme. It was held on April 03, 2023 at 3:00 PM in Room G of the college. The inaugural address for the fest was delivered by Akhil Katyal of Ambedkar University, Delhi, who had kindly obliged to grace us as the judge for the competition.

Society Activity Report 2022-23

The Poetry Society

BOOKSALE

DATE: 29TH March 2023

The Poetry Society organised another book sale. It was held on March 29, 2023 at 2:00 PM in the Rudra Lawns of the college. This was the society's first intercollege booksale meaning that students from different colleges could engage with the book stall after due registration. Books for sale included works across genres, land and languages and were priced under MRP.



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BY

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 **6 November, 2023**

 **4:00 PM - 5.00 PM**

 **Room OPLT**



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TRANSLATING
GURU NANAK:
IN WORDS
AND IN COLORS



By Prof. Nikky-Guninder Kaur Singh

Prof. Nikky-Guninder Kaur Singh is the Chair of department, and Crawford Professor of Religious Studies Colby College in the USA with her interests focusing poetics and feminist issues. She received her BA Philosophy and Religion from Wellesley College, MA from the University of Pennsylvania, and PhD from Texas University. She has also published extensively in the field Sikh Studies like Poems from the Sikh Sacred Tradition (Harvard) and Janamsakhi Paintings of Guru Nanak (Routledge) etc. A recipient of numerous awards and honours, she serves on the editorial board of several academic journals and is a delegate for the American Institute of Indian studies and the Vice-President for Phi Beta Kappa. In 2022 City of Fresno in California proclaimed March 26 as "Dr. Nikky-Guninder Kaur Singh" Day.

In her present talk titled "Translating Guru Nanak: In Words And in Colours", she shall be talking about how Guru Nanak's poems are beautifully showcased in the language of colors in the 1738 Janamsakhi paintings, as well as the relevance of their universal melodies -- literary as well as visual.

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Report for Tamasha

1.Khwabeeda:Patchwork of Dreams-Stage Play

Organized by Sabha-the Multilingual Theatre Society:

On 21st October 2022 at College Hall from 2 pm till 3:30 pm

Khwabeeda was the first stage production of Sabha after 2 years post lockdown.The event was based on the story of shattered dreams woven over the years.The play had a dance performance as a part of it as well and the performance was in Hindi and Urdu.

Attended by: Angelina Florence Shicil, R.Avantika, Joel Jacob, Manvi Rana, Ananya Choudhary, Ananya Srivastva,Mallika Mandal, Daisy Chhabra, Amy Alexander, Priyel Kumar, Ananya Dixit, Sanyo Sabu,Yastika Jha, Poorti Arora,Neha Pramod, Joel John,Megh Mazumdar

2.Aaiynaa-Open Mic

Organized by Sabha-the Multilingual Theatre Society:

On 21st October 2022 at JCR from 4 pm

Second and Third Years performed various monologues, poems, and lyrics in the Junior Common Room. The multilingual nature of the society was enunciated by the performances ranging from Telugu to Malayalam to Gujarati. Slam poetry,songs and recitations were performed live.

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3.Wajood:The Court is in Session-Street Play of Tamasha

Organized by Sabha-the Multilingual Theatre Society:

On 22nd October 2022 at SCR Lawns from 1:30 pm till 3 pm

The street play which was performed on the SCR lawns revolved around the theme of whether judicial laws truly protect the dignity and rights of women in the society.The play put out by Aadhibhav started with the call song.The play consisted of 3 segments broadcasting the lives of three different women.

Report

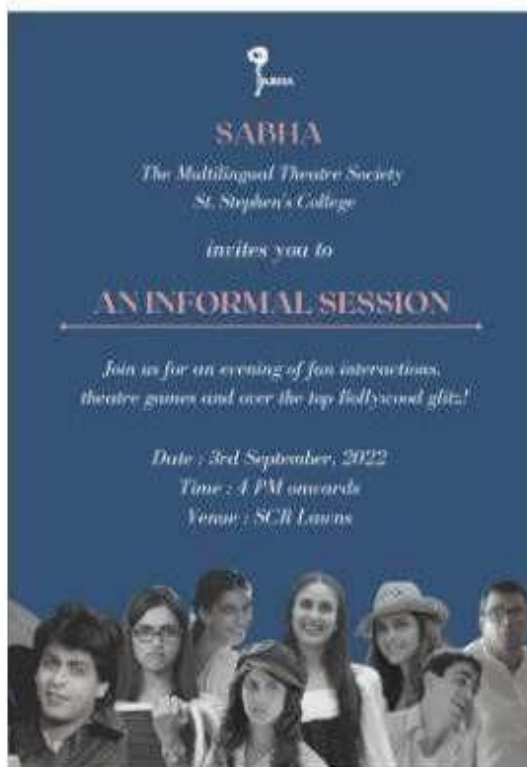
Bollywood Themed Ice Breaking Session

Organized by Sabha—the Multilingual Theatre Society:

On 3rd September 2022 at SCR Lawns

Participants of the session dressed up as mainstream Bollywood characters from various films. Theatre games were also played for team bonding including one wherein each participant had to say a dialogue in different emotions. The session ended with a performance of the Call Song by the members of Aadibhav— Sabha's Street Theatre troupe.

Attended by: Angelina Florence Shicil, R.Avantika, Joel Jacob, Manvi Rana, Ananya Choudhary, Ananya Srivastva, Rachel Batra, Mallika Mandal, Daisy Chhabra, Amy Alexander, Priyel Kumar, Ananya Dixit, Vinnie Singh, Richik, Shweta Rao, Sanyo Sabu, Yastika Jha, Poorti Arora, Neha Pramod, Abhishek Upadhyay



Poster of the event.

Sabha - The Multilingual Theatre Society
St. Stephen's College

Event Report - Dastaan (annual fest)

Date : 12 April 2023 - 15 April 2023

Venue : St. Stephen's College

Theatre's fundamental essence lies in its ability to connect people with stories and vice versa, serving as a powerful medium for storytelling. Sabha eagerly anticipates the celebration of this aspect of theatre through the organisation of Dastaan, the annual theatre festival. As a part of Dastaan, Sabha curates a series of captivating events, including:

1. Mukhauta (April 12) - The festival kicked off with Aadibhav's annual production play, Mukhauta, held on April 12, 2023. The same day featured Vyakt, a monologue competition where participants gathered in a circle to perform in the spotlight.
2. Manto: Afsaana aur Afsaana Nigaar (April 13) - On the second day of the festival, Sabha skillfully transported the audience into the world of Saadat Hasan Manto's stories. The goal was to intricately weave together his life, characters, and political views into a harmonious chorus of Mantoiyat by creatively adapting his fiction and nonfiction works.
3. Final Day (April 15) - The concluding day of Dastaan was a culmination of enriching experiences. Sabha hosted an interactive session with Actor Lakhvir Singh Saran, complemented by a screening of "Khamosh, Adaalat Jaari Hai" by renowned Playwright Vijay Tendulkar. During the session, Mr. Saran delved into various aspects of theatre and shared insights, engaging with thespians and answering their questions. The festivities concluded with a performance of "Maya: Illusion Is The Only Reality" by Dianolds Media Production, a play that had previously graced Dastaan in 2020, leaving the audience with a lasting impression.

**Sabha - The Multilingual Theatre Society
St. Stephen's College**

Event Report

Edappally - a Malayalam play in collaboration with The Malayalam Literary Society

Date : 29th March 2023

Time : 5 PM

Venue : College Hall, St. Stephen's College

A collaborative theatrical presentation by Sabha - The Multilingual Theatre Society of St. Stephen's College and The Malayalam Literary Society of the same institution showcased the Malayalam stage production titled **Edappally** on the 29th of March. The play was written by Joel Jacob, directed by Angelina Florence Shicil and R. Avantika and production heads Amy Alexander and Neha Pramod. This theatrical performance, set against the picturesque backdrop of Kerala, skillfully navigates through the life of the esteemed poet, Raghavan Pillai, as perceived through the perspective of Changampuzha Krishnan Pillai. The narrative of the play is poised to offer a profound emotional journey, exploring themes such as love, heartache, and camaraderie within the context of the 1930s.





Application Information

Application Number: 180123JMR08			Created: 18-01-2023	
Satvik NA	01-01-1970	8826413429	satvik.0529@gmail.com	Request
<p>Comments:</p> <p>To The Principal St. Stephen's College</p> <p>SUB: Permission to Conduct Sanskrit Sahitya Sabha's Kalidas Jayanti Samaroha.</p> <p>Respected Sir</p> <p>We are extremely grateful for your support and consideration towards the Sanskrit Sahitya Sabha in the past semester. With your support, we have been able to organise multiple successful events with the immense participation of the students and hope to carry the same spirit forward.</p> <p>The Kalidas Jayanti Samaroha is the Annual Event of the Sanskrit Sahitya Sabha organised by the students of the Department of Sanskrit. Continuing the legacy which is more than six decades old, our goal is to organise the best Sanskrit Fest in the varsity under the blessings of our guiding figures Dr. Ashutosh Dayal Mathur and Staff Advisor Dr. Pankaj Kumar Mishra. The event is an amalgamation of our year round activities and gives an opportunity to the students to express their knowledge through performances and competitions.</p> <p>For the same, we would like to seek the following permissions:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• To organise the Kalidas Jayanti Samaroha from 10am-5pm on 14th February, 2022.• To host Inter-College competitions by inviting students and judges from outside institutions.• To decorate the event venues, foyer, corridors and space outside the Staff Room with Rangoli etc.• To set up photo corners in the venue lawn.• To move chairs and tables to the event venues.• To use college equipments like mics, batteries, stands, tables, tablecloths, flower baskets, projectors, lamp, name plates, portable notice stands etc.• To use the College Crest and logo in the posters of the event.• To publicise the event by putting up posters within the college campus and on social media handles.• To use flower pots from Nursery/Estate Office.• To give college certificates to position holders in the competitions. <p>We would be extremely grateful if your kind self could permit us to host this event. It will be very encouraging for us if you could grace the event with your presence. We thank you for your consideration and eagerly look forward to hear from you soon.</p> <p>Yours Sincerely Satvik 21BSAN003 General Secretary Sanskrit Sahitya Sabha</p>				
Remarks				



Sanskrit Sahitya Sabha
Sanskrit Department
Sri Lanka Open University
Colombo

Application Information

Application Number: 181022JMR10			Created: 18-10-2022	
SANVNA	01-01-1970	8826413429	savvik.0029@gmail.com	Request
Comments: Respected Sir Hope you're having a wonderful day! Thank you for always supporting the activities of the Sanskrit Sahitya Sabha. We are pleased to inform you that we intend to conduct the Departmental Goshthi, wherein the students discuss upon topics relevant to academic growth and development of a well-rounded personality. Goshthi is a platform where the classroom knowledge acquired by the junior members culminates in the form of skill-building activities, preparation for inter-college events and interaction with seniors and the faculty. Details of this week's Goshthi are: -Date: 20th October,2022 (Thursday) -Time: 1:30pm - 3:00pm -Venue: Room F -Activities planned: Word hunt, verse recitation and speedi. With permission from our Staff Advisor, we have already booked Room F for this purpose. Kindly allow us to proceed with our event as planned. Thanking you in advance. Yours sincerely Savvik (Secretary) Sanskrit Sahitya Sabha				

Remarks

Permission granted. Please go ahead. Best wishes	
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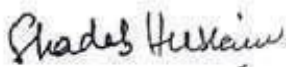
Name of Play : Darmiyan
Performance Dates : 2nd& 3rd March, 2023
Performance Time : 8:00pm
Venue : Amphitheatre
Language / Duration : (Hindi / 60 mins)
Drama Society : Shakespeare Society
Contact Person : Tasneem Khan
Contact Number : +91-8957124949
College : St. Stephen's College
Performance Fees tickets sold by you : Rs.2500 per show (2 shows) + 50% of
Cast & Crew : 15
Sets & properties transportation : Your Own
Lights : Existing
Sound : Existing

Payment will only be made in the name of Theatre Society or College Principal

Tickets will be printed and sold by us.

It is the sole responsibility of the theatre group to get the necessary Permission from the playwright and pay the royalty fees, where applicable. India Habitat Centre will not be responsible or in any way liable for any Dispute/Payment arising on account of this.

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EVENT REPORT

Mental Health Awareness Session

Vidyajyoti, in collaboration with Unboxed, the Mental Health Initiative of the Social Service League conducted a session on the theme, "Mental Health and its Impact on Students" on 19th September 2022, from 3:30pm to 5pm in Room B of our college. The event was organised for the benefit of children who are a part of Evening Classes and the GTB Community, with an aim to make them aware of the nuances of psychological and mental well-being. It was a new concept for most of them since there have never been conversations on the theme in their homes and communities.

Mr. Abdul Mabood, who is a teacher and a trained counsellor and the director of the Snehi Foundation led the session. Several games and activities were organised to facilitate an open dialogue with the children. There were 30 children in attendance. The event was very enriching and the children benefited greatly from Mr. Mabood's insights.



The speaker in interaction with the children



Sign Language Workshop '22

On 26th September 2022, the Parivatan and Donation Camps vertical of SSL organized a Sign Language Workshop in collaboration with the National association of the Deaf and The Enabling Unit. The speaker for the event was Mrs. Ritu Panda, a deaf expert from the NAD accompanied by her interpreter Ms. Sarah.

The event saw more than 100 registrations with students from other colleges as well. The attendees got to know about the various initiatives launched by the government of India and other organizations for development and fostering of deaf and hard of hearing communities. Later, in the discussion the speaker talked about the significance of September as the Deaf Awareness Month and 26th September being celebrated as the World Day of the Deaf.



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However the major part of the event was the crash course in Sign Language that the speaker taught because of which by the end of the event everyone was able to sign basic words and knew the whole alphabet in sign language. In conclusion, the engaging and interactive nature of the event made it a success among its attendees who seem to have enjoyed the workshop and were glad to have been a part of the experience.

EVENT REPORT

MEET WITH THE COLLEGE COUNSELLOR

Unboxed, the Mental Health Initiative of Social Service League, in collaboration with IQAC, conducted an online meet with the college counsellor, Dr.Malar Suresh at 6 P.M. on 28th September, 2022. The meet was organised to make the college students aware of the counsellor facilities in college and to engage them in an interactive session about the same. MHI executive council member, Catherine Biju served as the event's moderator and to ensure the event ran smoothly.

Catherine Biju welcomed and introduced Dr.Malar Suresh and then she carried on with the talk. Dr. Suresh elaborated on the college counselling services. She spoke about personality roles, identity crisis, goals of counselling, and encouraged students to ask for help when in need.

The event ran for approximately 1.5 hours and saw 30 people in attendance. The session ended on high note with a Q&A session related to mental health by the students that Dr.Suresh addressed in a very insightful manner.

EVENT REPORT - Wall Climbing

The Evening Classes vertical of the Social Service League, in collaboration with the Hiking Club, organised a Wall climbing session for the students of Evening Classes on 17th October, 2022.

The event was organised in the light of the fact that extra-curricular activities / physical activities are also vital factors for growth and development.

All of the students (around 20-25 in number), irrespective of age participated in the event. Each turn started with a warm up session, which included running and basic stretches along with squats and wall sits. These were done under the supervision of the experienced members of the climbing team of the Hiking Club.

The participants were asked to climb as high as they could. And to set a bar, the wall was divided into several levels: for crossing each level, the participant would be awarded a chocolate that was hung on the wall at the end of each level.

The students enjoyed climbing, and some of them climbed more than once.

Overall, the event was a great success, and served as a stress-buster for the students as well as the volunteers.



EVENT REPORT

Diya Painting Session

The diya painting session was organized on 21 October from 4 to 6PM in Room C under the Evening Classes Vertical of the Social Service League for the kids of Non-Teaching Staff of St. Stephen's College. The session was held as part of the extracurricular activities for the kids' overall development. The proper arrangements were made before the diya painting session and all the tables were covered with newspapers. The diyas as well as fabric colors were provided to the kids and around 15 kids participated in the session.

The session was open to the students of all age groups to come together and bring colors to everyone's life. It was held on account of the Diwali Festival and the painted diyas were carried by the kids to their homes in order to light up their houses.



EVENT REPORT

Movie screening

Evening Classes in collaboration with Vidyajyoti vertical of Social Service League organised a movie screening session under the guidance of Dr. Sangeeta Luthra Sharma of the Department of History. The session was held in the AV room on 28th October from 4 to 6 PM. It was held for the kids of Non-teaching staff as well as the GTB community from classes 5-8th. Around 30 kids attended the session which included 18 kids from Evening Classes and 12 kids from Vidyajyoti.

Around 7-8 short animated films have been shown to the kids which served the 2 purposes simultaneously. The films were humorous as well as had some hidden life lessons like caring for others, gratitude for what we have and many more. The hidden life lessons were significantly explained by Dr. Sangeeta Luthra. It was an enriching session and all the kids enjoyed it a lot as well as had good values to take out from the session.



UNBOXED EVENT REPORT

Movie Screening

Unboxed, the Mental Health Initiative of Social Services League, in collaboration with Cine Club organised the screening of the film, Good Will Hunting on 29th October, 2022 at 2PM in the AV room in St. Stephen's College, Delhi.

Goodwill Hunting is a movie that unfolds many aspects of life and beautifully touches upon the subtleties of mental well-being. Hence, this film was screened to spread awareness among our fellow students that seeking help is very important and completely normal. It was also meant as a recreational activity amidst their hectic schedule.

This event was open only to the current students of St. Stephen's College. There were 40 participants in total and refreshments were provided to all the participants. The event concluded by 4:30PM, 29th October, 2022.

Pictures and poster-

EVENT REPORT

Discussion Session on Gender Equality

In collaboration with the Gandhi Ambedkar Study Circle, the Evening Classes Vertical of Social Service League organised a small quiz and discussion session for the kids on the theme of gender equality. It was held on 4th November from 4 to 5PM in room C. The purpose of the session was to know about the perception of the kids regarding Gender Equality especially in occupation. The level of the discussion was kept low as per the kids' understanding. The session was held for the kids from classes 6th to 12th.

Around 8-10 kids participated in the discussion. Some of the symbols related to occupation were shown to the kids and they were asked to tell from their experience whether the number of males or females were involved in that occupation. The kids also shared some of the incidents that they have encountered where Gender Equality was not being followed. Through the session, the kids were taught about the importance of gender equality and enjoyed being involved in the discussion.



EVENT REPORT Aarohan Annual Survey

The Aarohan vertical of The Social Service League successfully conducted the Annual Survey for the non-teaching staff on October 2022. Jame Thomas Mathew, the Vertical Head, and Hiteshwar Sharma, the Survey Coordinator, efficiently organized the event. A total of 216 respondents participated in the survey, facilitated by 90 junior members from all three years who acted as enumerators. The survey comprehensively covered aspects including Family Data, Health Information, Financial Status, and Assistance Requirements for the Non-Teaching Staff of the College. This initiative marked a significant milestone as it led to the development of a comprehensive Survey Report, presenting policy suggestions to enhance the welfare of the Non-Teaching Staff, which was subsequently submitted to the Principal. The enumerators were provided with email verification for their work through the society's official mail ID: ssl@ststephens.edu -

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Vidyajyoti Event Report

Origami session

Vidyajyoti, Social Service League in collaboration with the Fine Arts Society organized an Origami session for the kids in GTB Nagar on 11th November 2022 (Friday) from 4 PM to 5 PM in Room B of our college. It was attended by 12 students from the community. And it was organized by 1 SSL Member- Anna Trissa, 2nd year coordinator of Vidyajyoti who was the POC for the entire event.

The art session was organized to equip the younger kids of GTB Nagar with the technique of crafting innovative objects using coloured sheets of paper. The session was ideated upon in consideration of the academic constraint w.r.t. timetabling, which neglects the development of a child's creative potential. The art of paper folding using origami was new to the kids. It, therefore, drew their curiosity towards following the instructions given during the session and applying them independently to create paper butterflies. The session concluded with the kids posing for a snapshot with their respective paper butterflies.

Pictures:



EVENT REPORT

MEET WITH THE COLLEGE COUNSELLOR

Unboxed, the Mental Health Initiative of Social Service League, in collaboration with the IQAC, conducted an online meet with the college counsellor, Dr.Malar Suresh at 5 P.M. on 9th December, 2022.

The meet was organised to make the college students, especially first-year students aware of the counselling facilities in college and to engage them in an interactive session about the same. Unboxed executive council member, Catherine Binu served as the event moderator. During the course of the event, Dr. Suresh elaborated on the college counselling services. She spoke about peer pressure, the dangers of substance abuse, personality disorders, identity crisis, the goals of counselling, and encouraged students to seek professional help when in need.

The duration of the event was approximately 90 minutes. There were around 25 students in attendance. The session ended on high note with a Q&A session related to mental health by the students that Dr.Suresh addressed in a very insightful manner. The event concluded with a vote of thanks.

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NEW YEAR PARTY EVENT REPORT

Aarohan vertical of The Social Service League, organized a heartwarming New Year Party for the non-teaching staff on 18th January 2023 at the Principal Lawns. Coordinated by Mohammad Hasnain and Priyanka Parihar, the event witnessed a turnout of 500 staff, along with their families and around 100 students. The vibrant gathering took the form of a college get-together, fostering an atmosphere of unity. Attendees partook in various activities, including games, singing, and dancing. As a token of gratitude for their unwavering dedication, the non-teaching staff and their children were presented with thoughtful gifts. The evening concluded on a delightful note with a sumptuous meal, leaving behind cherished memories and a sense of camaraderie.

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RUDRA DINNER EVENT REPORT

Organized by the Aarohan vertical of The Social Service League, the Rudra Dinner for the non-teaching staff took place on 25th February 2023 at the Mess Hall and College Hall. Event coordinators Jame Thomas Mathew and Hiteshwar Sharma oversaw the successful turnout of 500 staff, their families, and 150 student volunteers. This event was held in memory of the college's first Indian Principal, SK Rudra, who established an endowment for this annual dinner. Faculty and students prepared food for the non-teaching staff and families, followed by cultural performances by the staff and their children in the College Hall. A lucky draw and a captivating dance performance by the Executive Council members of the Social Service League concluded the evening's festivities.

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TRIP TO NATIONAL MUSEUM AND BAL BHAVAN

Date: 31 March, 2023

No. of participants: 1 faculty member, 4 coordinators, 3 volunteers and 20 kids

The Evening Classes vertical took our students on a one-day educational-cum-recreational trip to the National Museum and Bal Bhavan, on the 31st of March, 2023. We left college around 11 am in the morning, visited the India Gate on the way and reached the National Museum around noon. The kids were in awe in exploring the portals of our nation's historical troves. Having stopped for lunch in between, we reached Bal Bhavan around 3 pm and enjoyed the games and rides there. We wrapped up the day's events with a sumptuous meal and reached college back around 8 pm. The volunteers and teacher also enjoyed spending time with the kids, and overall it was a very successful trip.



EVENT REPORT FREE MEDICAL CAMP

The Annual Medical Camp for the non-teaching staff and their families was successfully organized by Aarohan Vertical of the Social Service League in collaboration with Sarcoma Cancer Care. The event was coordinated by Diya Elizabeth Joseph and Diya Susan, members of the Second Year Executive Council. Held on 12th April 2023 at Room AN1, the camp witnessed an impressive turnout of 220+, setting a new record.

Distinguished medical professionals including Ophthalmologists, Dieticians, Physicians, Pediatricians, Dentists, Gynecologists, and Oncologists from esteemed institutions such as AIIMS Delhi, NCIT Jhajjar, PGICH Noida, and GIMS Greater Noida offered their expertise. The camp featured screenings for blood pressure, cholesterol, and breast cancer, along with the provision of free spectacles for those with visual impairments. This event facilitated crucial healthcare services and underscored the society's commitment to the well-being of the Non Teaching Staff.



The poster is a vertical rectangular graphic with a light blue background. At the top left is the logo of The Social Service League, featuring a red star and a green figure. To its right, the text reads "THE SOCIAL SERVICE LEAGUE" in bold, followed by "IN ASSOCIATION WITH" and "SARCOMA CANCER CARE" in a smaller font. Below this, three logos of supporting institutions are shown: AIIMS, NCIT, and GIMS. The central text "MEDICAL CAMP 2023" is prominently displayed in large, bold, black letters. Below this, the date and time "10 AM- 4 PM | 12 APRIL 2023" and the venue "LCR & AN1" are listed. A white box contains two columns of text: "DEPARTMENTS" and "TESTS OFFERED". At the bottom, a white banner states "FREE SPECTACLES PROVIDED !!". The footer contains contact information for Diya Susan and Diya Elizabeth.

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SOCIAL SERVICE LEAGUE, ST. STEPHEN'S COLLEGE

DRISHTIKON

EVENT REPORT



The Enabling Unit and The Social Service League organised the two-day annual flagship event, Drishtikon 2023, which took place across 5-6th April from 9:30 AM to 6 PM. This event served as a valuable platform for students with disabilities to showcase their remarkable skills and talents. We extended a warm invitation to all undergraduate and postgraduate students with disabilities, enrolled in colleges and institutes across Delhi, to participate in this extraordinary gathering.

Drishtikon 2023 commenced with an insightful Inaugural Talk by Mr. KVS Rao, focusing on the theme "Six Years of RPWD Act (2016): WHERE WE STAND?". Following this engaging opening session, a series of exciting competitions unfolded, including Creative Writing, Quiz, Break The Pot, Talent Hunt, and Turncoat, providing participants with opportunities to display their abilities and compete in friendly camaraderie.

Additionally, The Hiking Club offered an exhilarating hiking wall experience, adding an adventurous element to the event. The evening was further enriched by the enchanting melodies and joy brought by the Shining Star Band, which captivated the audience with their musical performances.

Notably, every participant was paired with a dedicated volunteer who assisted them in exploring the college and ensured their guidance and support throughout the event. Drishtikon 2023 was a resounding success, and it stands as a testament to the dedication of The Enabling Unit and The Social Service League in promoting inclusivity and celebrating the talents of individuals with disabilities. We look forward to more such impactful events in the future.

EVENT REPORT

Interactive session with Ms. Shubhrata Prakash

Unboxed, the Mental health initiative of the SSL, organised a talk session with Ms. Shubhrata Prakash, on 7th February 2023. The speaker is an IRS officer, an alumnus of St. Stephen's College, and a passionate mental health advocate.

The event was held from 3-4:30 pm. and saw the speaker deconstructing myths and taboos surrounding mental illness. She shared her experiences with depression and ADHD, and her journey to recovery. She shared insights from her book, "The D-Word", in which she accounts her experience with depression. She also threw light on the government's initiatives to promote mental well-being of students. The discussion concluded with a vibrant q&a session, which saw students expressing their ideas and concerns. Devika Sapra delivered the vote of thanks. The event saw 30 students in attendance.

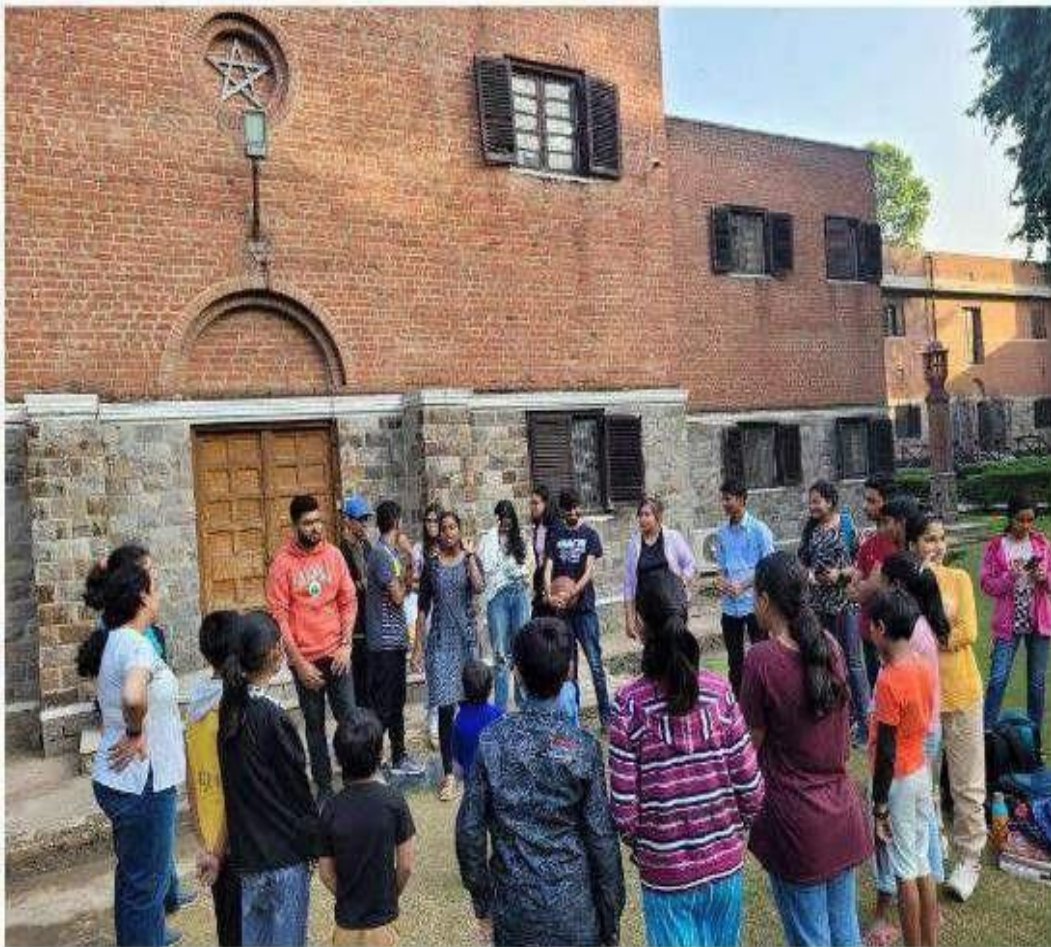
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EVENT REPORT - Maths related Activities (Maths Soc Collaboration)

The Evening Classes Vertical of Social Service League, in collaboration with the Mathematics Society organized an evening filled with fun and activities, teaching them the importance of Maths in their daily life on 11 November 2022, Friday in the Rudra Lawns.

The event was conducted by members of The Mathematics Society by engaging the kids in various fun related activities. The activities involved all the kids, irrespective of age groups. Activities like folding a piece of paper as much as possible and later explaining that a paper cannot be folded more than 7 times and the reason behind this phenomenon, games like passing a ball with the numbers twist, multiplication table games and many more were held. The winners of each game were rewarded with chocolates.

Many first years also attended the event and had a great time with the kids.



Event Report

Vidyajyoti Annual Day

Date: 16th February 2023

Time: 3:30 – 5 PM

Venue: College Hall

No. of attendees: 150

The Vidyajyoti vertical of the Social Service League successfully organized its Annual Day on 16th February 2023. The event was conducted in the College Hall, where set up for the event began at 1:30 PM. The event started at 3:30 PM and had an audience of around 100 junior members and 50 family members of the Vidyajyoti Students from the GTB nagar community.

The annual day is held every year to encourage students from the GTB community to showcase their wide spread talents, ranging from poetry recitation to short skits to a dance number. The event was preceded with a month of weekly practices. The participants and attendees were escorted the mess lawns after the event ended at 5 PM, where refreshments were provided to all.



BLOOD DONATION CAMP 2023

Date: 12th April 2023

Resource person(s) : All India Institute of Medical Sciences, New Delhi & Blood Connect

No. of participants : 151

On April 12th, 2023, a remarkably successful Blood Donation Camp was held under the Donation Camps and Parivartan vertical. Led by third-year coordinators Akshita Kumar and Nancy Nixon, and second-year council members Jeslin Mary Thomas, K A Joseph Philip Neri, Reyna Prasad, Sharon James, Sufyan Khan, and Vasanth Benchy Thomas, the camp took place in the college hall in collaboration with the esteemed All India Institute of Medical Sciences (AIIMS) and Blood Connect NGO.

The camp ran from 9:30 AM to 6 PM and witnessed an overwhelming response, with 151 individuals generously donating blood. Over 100 students volunteered their time and effort to ensure the camp's smooth operation, demonstrating their unwavering commitment to social service.

In recognition of their contributions, AIIMS provided refreshments and T-shirts to the donors, while Blood Connect gifted keychains and tote bags as tokens of appreciation. As part of the publicity drive, the Social Service League, in collaboration with Sabha, conducted a Blood Donation Camp rally on April 11th, 2023. The rally was a resounding success, attracting over 60 participants and effectively raising awareness about the upcoming camp. The Blood Donation Camp stands as a testament to the college community's unwavering commitment to social service and the collective efforts of the organizers, volunteers, and donors.

This event has undoubtedly made a significant contribution to fulfilling the critical need for blood donation and has set a remarkable example of compassion and selflessness.



