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#### **Supporting Documents**

#### **Sample of Activities of Societies promoting Constitutional Values:**

*Reports of NCC*

*Gandhi-Ambedkar Study Circle*

*Civil Services Forum*

*Social Service League*

*Junior Combination Room*

*Students Union Society*

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# National Cadet Corps St. Stephen's College

**Combined Annual Activities Report**

**Training Session 2022-2023**



## G20 SUMMIT 2023

To mark the Presidency of India in the G20 summit, the NCC Company of St. Stephen's College organised several events throughout the months of February and March. The events started on the occasion of Foundation Day of the college,

the coy was privileged to have Mr. Harshvardhan Shringla, the chief coordinator of G20 Presidency as one of our VIP guests who is also an alumni of St. Stephen's College. During the event, we were enlightened about G20 Summit India which is an inter-governmental forum comprising of 19 countries and the European Union.

He talked about the theme of India's G20 summit 2023 - "One Earth, one family, one future" which majorly addresses the issues related to the global economy, such as international financial stability, climate change mitigation and most importantly sustainable development. He mentioned about the priority of G20 which is to continue pressing for reformed multilateralism that creates more accountable, inclusive, just equitable and representative multipolar international system that is fit for fighting the challenges of 21st century. Moreover, we came to know about some fun personal experiences of Mr. Harsh Vardhan. The NCC cadets also got the golden opportunity to have a word-to-word interaction with him which enlightened us as to how our small steps can make a big difference, which motivated us to strive for the betterment of all.



In order to create more awareness about G20 Summit, a poster making event was conducted on 27th March 2023 and all the cadets enthusiastically participated in the same and came up with informative and innovative posters.







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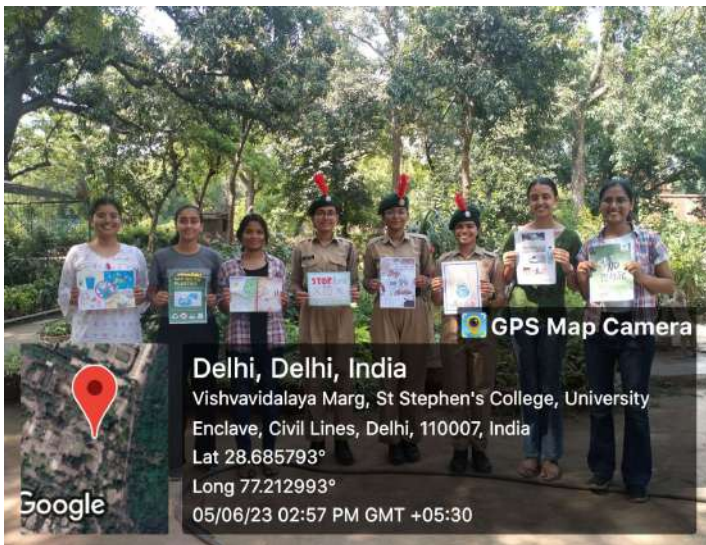
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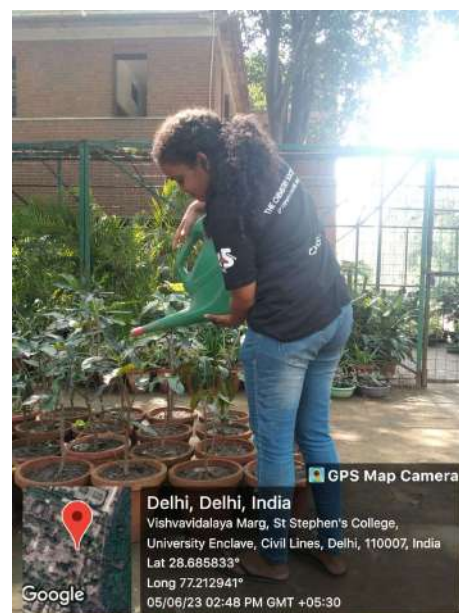




#### 4. Meri Life App

The Meri Life app was launched as a build up to World Environment Day on June 5th. The St. Stephen's NCC Coy and one ANO downloaded the app and completed the 5 step actions guided in the app.

**5 actions for June 5th**  
Take 5 actions to become a LIFE champion





## 5. Online Webinar

An Online webinar that was conducted by the Ministry of Education for The World Environment Day was attended by St. Stephen's NCC Coy to be more educated and informed regarding the environment.



## 6. Pledge

A pledge was taken by the Coy to protect and educate others about our environment.





## **INTERNATIONAL YOGA DAY**

The *NCC COY* of *St. Stephen's College* celebrated *International Yoga Day* on 21st June, 2022 at 7.00 AM with few other colleges like *Hansraj, Khalsa, DRC, Kirori Mal, FIMT, Miranda, MAIT* of unit 1 DGBN where about 175 cadets gathered at *St. Stephen's Cricket Academy, Mori Ground* to perform the *Common Yoga Protocol*.

The main objective of conducting *Yoga Day* is to introduce students to the art of meditation and the many benefits of yoga in healing the *mind, body* and *soul*. It helps to spread the message of *love, peace* and *oneness* amongst the people.

The program was hosted by *IDGBN*. The event was started by introducing the people to The International Yoga Day and the common yoga protocol. Dignitaries like *CO Sir Pankaj Sati, GCIs* and *ANOs* made their presence felt by being actively involved in the event.

The cadets practiced the *yoga asanas* alongside the instructor while carefully keeping into account the instructions involved. All the cadets were given refreshments as the event came to an end.





## NATIONAL WOMEN'S DAY

On the occasion of National Women's day celebrated every year on February 13, cadets from St Stephen's College organized multiple events and competitions to mark the day which saw enthusiastic participation from the students in college. They were encouraged to promote gender equality, and the women leaders who made great contributions to our society were remembered.



A card-making competition was organized allowing the cadets to showcase their views on the topic of promoting gender equality using their creativity. Along with this, an extempore on the same theme was also organized wherein each participant was given limited time to prepare for a short speech on a topic. Both activities saw participants delivering their best.

Activities conducted helped commemorate woman's success in every field and raised awareness against gender bias. This day holds a lot of significance for every Indian citizen, especially women, for whose civil rights this day stands as a testimonial and is celebrated to remember Sarojini Naidu, the Nightingale of

India, who took an active part in the Indian independence movement and stood for women's empowerment.

The day ended with the winners being announced for both competitions. Although every participant did very well, the winners were appreciated by the Assistant NCC officer- Lt Rakhi Thareja. She motivated cadets to leave their mark on society and strive towards greater change.



# DRISHTIKON



Drishtikon is an annual event of St. Stephen's College, held by 'The Enabling Unit' in collaboration with the 'Social Service League' and the 'National Cadet Corps'. This event provides a platform to students with disabilities to showcase their skills and talent. This year, the event was conducted on 5th and 6th April 2023.

Day 1 observed the inauguration of the event in the college hall. The chief guest, Mr. K.V.S. Rao, a distinguished speaker, renowned for his work for PWDs shared his words of wisdom and endowed the gathering with his exceptional knowledge. He made everyone aware of the Rights of the Persons with Disabilities Act, of 2016.

The event captured the attention of specially-abled students from all over Delhi. Participants were deeply engrossed in listening to the speaker and wholeheartedly participated in the day's activities. During all the activities, each PwD student was accompanied and helped by

an NCC cadet, who made sure the event went on smoothly. The fun yet educative activities included creative writing, quiz prelims, turncoat, hiking wall and break the pot.



The exemplary services provided by the NCC volunteers played a huge role in the success of the event. They escorted and helped the visually challenged participants. Many cadets also volunteered as scribes in the creative writing competition. Cadets were enthusiastic and always ready to help the people which is the kind of attitude and quality that NCC works to invoke in the youth.

# Centenary Run

## *Report*

As a part of Centenary Celebrations, University of Delhi organized a Centenary Run on 18th November 2022. Olympic gold medalist Neeraj Chopra flagged off the run in presence of Arjun Munda Union Cabinet Minister for Tribal Affairs, Vice-Chancellor of DU and other distinguished dignitaries.

The NCC Coy of St. Stephen's College helped controlling the water stalls. NCC Cadets extended their service at 6 water stations and 4 first aid points. Some of the cadets participated in centenary run. There were other students from our college as well as other cadets at the water stall.







***Cadets Participated :***

1. Yogita
2. Shrijita
3. Chandana
4. Priyanka
5. Sheetal
6. Parul
7. Manmayi
8. Annet
9. Amrutha
10. Nirmala
11. Aleena
12. Aditi
13. Serena
14. Winmariya
15. Sneha Mary
16. Diya Susan (SY)
17. Christy Mol (FY)
18. Khushi Jaiswal (FY)

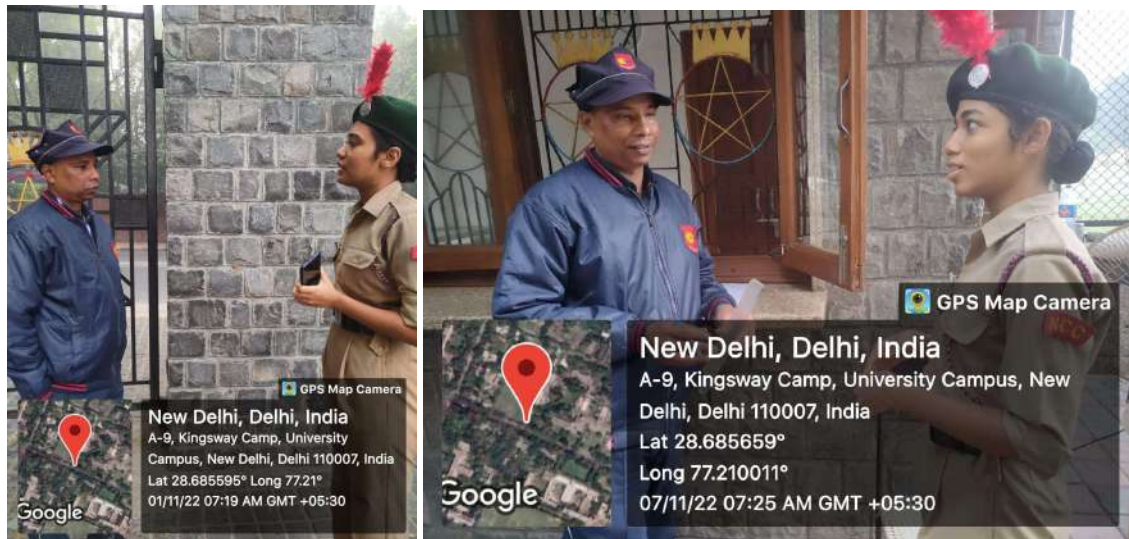
# Awareness drive among non-teaching staff for Digital India

## Report

19th November 2022

NCC Cadets of St.Stephen's College had interacted with the members of the non-teaching staff of the college like security guards, gardeners, gyps about digital India and shared information about useful apps like Google Pay, Paytm, WhatsApp, netmeds, pharameasy, and other pertinent apps that can improve their quality of life while also boosting the economy. The cadets demonstrated how to use the apps and assisted the staff employees who were unsure in installing them.





### Cadets participated:

1. CDT Parul
2. CDT Aleena
3. CDT Uma
4. CDT Muralika
5. CDT Nirmala
6. CDT Serena
7. CDT Aiswarya
8. CPL Anjali
9. CPL Vennela
10. CPL Sanjali

# **National Unity day**

## **Run for Unity : Unity day celebration on 29<sup>th</sup> October 2022**

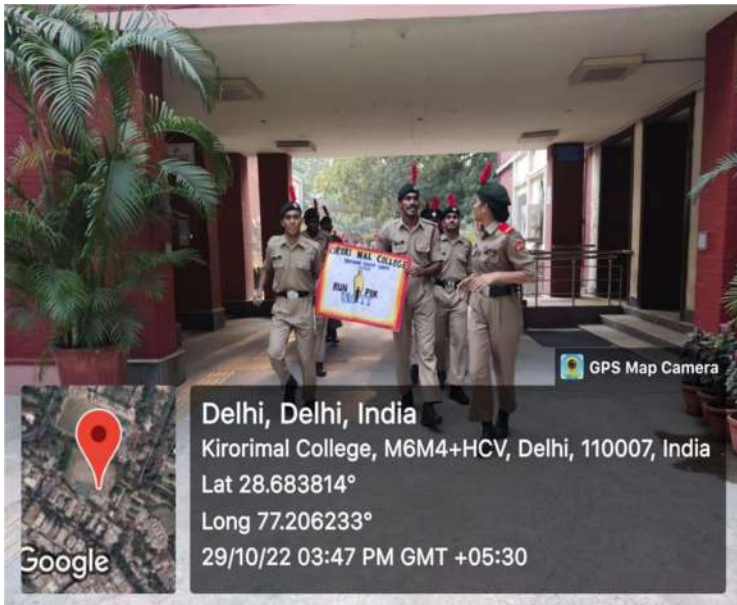
KMC–NCC organised a unity run within college premises on 29<sup>th</sup> October 2022 to celebrate the National Unity Day (31<sup>st</sup> October 2022). 60 NCC cadets (40 SD and 20 SW) participated in the unity run. The run started from the sports grounds and went to teacher’s staff quarters (via canteen lawn, Ashoka lawn surrounding pathway, main entry of the college, parking space, arts and science buildings corridors and principal office).

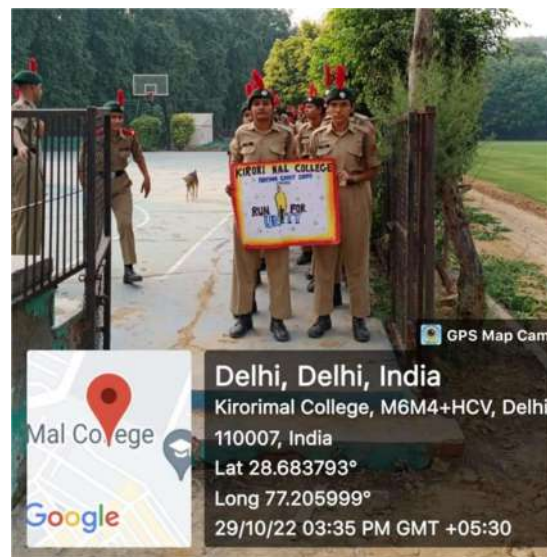
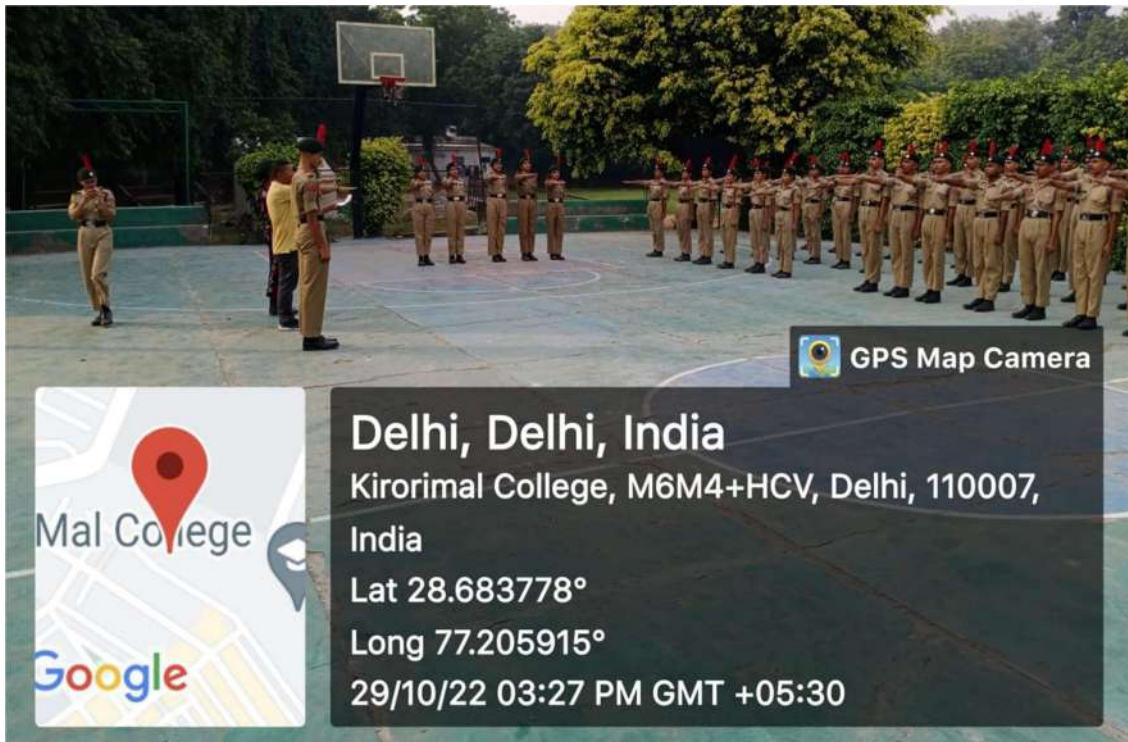
## **Pledge: Unity day celebration on 29<sup>th</sup> October 2022**

The “Rashtriya Ekta Diwas Pledge” was taken by KMC- NCC cadets on 29<sup>th</sup> October. The pledge was about dedicating oneself to preserve the unity, integrity and security of the nation and also spread this message among the fellow countryman. The pledge was taken in the spirit of unification of the country made possible by the vision and action of *Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel*.

## **Participation in Unity day celebration on 31<sup>st</sup> October 2022, by University of Delhi.**

Unity run was organised by University of Delhi on 31<sup>st</sup> October 2022 at 7 am. The run was flagged off by Hon’ble Minister of Education. KMC-NCC cadets (21 cadets, 10 SD and 11 SW) participated in this run. The run started from the Gate No. 1 Near Gandhi statue north campus and ended at the same point taking a round of the university sports ground.





## DONATION DRIVES

Since the beginning of new session from August 2022, NCC St. Stephen's Coy has been donating snacks and food items to underprivileged children and orphanages with an aim to bring smiles on children's faces and to make our cadets contribute and understand their responsibilities towards society.

Regularly, the cadets collect food items that are fresh and packed and a few cadets carry the items to visit the orphanages and to meet the children who need them.

### Kilkari Rainbow Home

#### Report

29 August 2022

On 29th August 2022, 3 cadets from NCC of St. Stephen's College went to Kilkari Rainbow Home which is near Kashmere Gate, Delhi. It is an orphanage for girls, their vision is- For every child to grow up in a secure and joyful environment where he/she can fully develop his/her talents in order to live an independent life with dignity. They provide a safe environment, shelter, food, love and attention, health care, social interaction and education to 127 girls. After a bridge course, the children go to a regular school, where they attend classes with their peers from 'middle class' Indian families. The integration into 'mainstream life' therefore starts as soon as the children go to school. When they are 18-20 years old, they have completed their regular school, learned to live in a social structure, learned to become the owner of their life and future and they are able to participate in mainstream Indian society.



**Cadets Participated:**

1. SUO Yogita
2. SGT Garima

## Paalna Orphanage

### Report

**8 September 2022**

NCC Cadets of St Stephens Coy went to Paalna Orphanage near Prema Kunj , Civil Lines on 8th September 2022 at 3:00 pm to distribute food items and packed snacks to the children. They had 15 packed meal boxes consisting of banana, biscuits, juice and cake which were handed over to the management staff of the orphanage. It was a great pleasure to be able to help the needy children and to bring a few moments of joy to them.



#### **Cadets participated:**

1. CDT Aditi



## 2. CDT Annet

### Evening Class Report

**5 September 2022**

On 5th September 2022 at 4:00 PM, NCC cadets of St. Stephen's College met the children of Evening Class and distributed food items to them. Evening Class is a vertical of the Social Service League which takes care of academics and extracurricular activities of the children of non-teaching staff of St. Stephen's College. The meal boxes which were distributed to the children included fruits, juice, biscuits, namkeen and cake. The children were delighted to receive it after their tiring day in school and in the evening class.



#### **Cadets Participated:**

1. SUO Yogita
2. JUO Shrijita
3. SGT Garima

## Kilkari Rainbow Home

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**14 October 2022**

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#### **Cadets Participated:**

1. CDT Winmariya
2. CDT Sanjali

## **KILKARI RAINBOW HOME**

### **REPORT**

**12 November 2022**

On 12th November 2022, cadets from NCC of St. Stephen's College went to Kilkari Rainbow Home to distribute food items. They had 15 packets of meal boxes which had apple, biscuits, juice and mixture which were handed over to the management staff of the orphanage. Kilkari Rainbow Home is an orphanage for girls, their vision is- For every child to grow up in a secure and joyful environment where he/she can fully develop his/her talents in order to live an independent life with dignity. They provide a safe environment, shelter, food, love and attention, health care, social interaction and education to 127 girls.



#### **Cadets Participated:**

1. CDT Sanjana Dagar
2. CDT Aditi



## KARGIL VIJAY DIWAS



Kargil Vijay Diwas. is commemorated every 26 July in India, to observe India's victory in the Kargil War. On 26<sup>th</sup> July, 2022, The NCC Coy of St. Stephen's conducted online webinar at 6:00 pm. It started with the anchoring of CDT Uma.



Welcome address was given by CDT Amrutha. CDT Manmayi and CDT Sanjana gave an informative introduction about the significance of Kargil Vijay Diwas. It was followed by a Malayalam patriotic song by CDT Serena Denny which filled us with nationalism. Then SUO Yogita addressed the cadets with her motivational speech. As per SUO Yogita's instructions, we closed our eyes for 2 minutes and wished eternal peace to the souls of the soldiers who died in the Kargil war. Next we enjoyed another patriotic song sung by CDT Shinjini.





We had conducted Digital poster making competition, Content writing competition, and Online quiz for NCC cadets of various colleges related to Kargil Vijay Diwas. SUO Yogita announced the winners of these competitions. Webinar ended with the vote of thanks by CDT Nirmala.

## ATTENDANCE

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| Annet Sibi Puthenagady (You) |  |  |
| Aiswarya Devassy             |  |  |
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| Aditi khanna                 |  |  |
| Aleena Kottarathil           |  |  |
| Amrutha                      |  |  |
| Arjun Athlete                |  |  |
| Britney Tims                 |  |  |
| Cadet Jyoti Kumari ...       |  |  |
| Drishhti Agarwal             |  |  |
| Himanshi                     |  |  |
| Jatoth Chandana              |  |  |
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| Mahi Chaurasia               |  |  |
| Manmayi Mohapatra            |  |  |
| Maria Jacob                  |  |  |
| Mary Rose                    |  |  |
| Meena Bisht                  |  |  |
| Miss Anjali                  |  |  |
| Muralika M                   |  |  |
| Nirmala Jenson               |  |  |
| Palak Sharma 211042          |  |  |
| Parul Singh                  |  |  |
| Pratibha Dadhich             |  |  |
| Priyanka Parihar             |  |  |
| RAIYNA CHANDRA               |  |  |
| Rakhi Thareja                |  |  |
| Ritu Bharadwaj               |  |  |
| Sanjali Mereena              |  |  |
| Sanjana Dagar                |  |  |
| Serena Denny                 |  |  |
| Shinjini Das                 |  |  |
| Shrijita Bisht               |  |  |
| Simran Rani                  |  |  |
| Siri Vennela                 |  |  |
| Sneha Mary Prince            |  |  |
| Sneha Sneha                  |  |  |
| Sona                         |  |  |
| Swati Nehra                  |  |  |
| Tamanna Chaudhary            |  |  |
| Uma Sharma                   |  |  |
| Usha Rani                    |  |  |
| Vandya Bisaria               |  |  |
| Winmariya PJ                 |  |  |
| Yogita                       |  |  |

1. Aditi Gautam
2. Aiswarya Devassy
3. Aleena kottarathil
4. Amrutha.E
5. Anagha N.
6. Annet Sibi Puthenagady
7. Krishna S. Krishnan
8. Mahi chaurasia
9. Manmayi Mohapatra
10. Maria Jacob
11. Mary Rose
12. Muralika M
13. Nirmala Jenson
14. Parul Priya Singh
15. Priyanka Parihar
16. Raiyna Chandra
17. Sanjali Mereena Joseph
18. Sanjana Dagar
19. Serena Denny
20. Shinjini Das
21. Sona Mariam Sobi
22. Thota Siri Vennela
23. Uma Sharma
24. Winmariya PJ
25. Yogita
26. Ritu Bharadwaj
27. Jatoth Chandana
28. Shrijita Bisht
29. Sneha Mary Prince
30. Anjali Meena

**No. of People Attended : 46**



## **INDEPENDENCE DAY 2022**



Independence Day is celebrated every year on 15 August to commemorate the independence of the nation from the British on 15 August 1947. This year marks the 75 years of India's independence, which is being celebrated with zeal across the country as 'Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav 2022.'



To celebrate the 76th Independence Day, The NCC Coy of St. Stephen's College conducted a combination of offline and online events. The event started with the welcoming of the Chief Guests Dr. Neelam Saxena and Prof. Saxena by the Guard of Honour team. The Principal and chief guest unfurled the National Flag. The unfurling was followed by a speech given by the principal. Following the speech, the various dignitaries and guests along with the students proceeded to the College Hall to listen to the wise words of the Chief Guest for the day and to witness the various cultural performances

organized by the NCC in collaboration with various societies. Welcome address was given by CDT Raiyna, followed by a speech by the Chief Guest. CDT Serena and CDT Sanjali gave an encouraging speech on Independence Day. It was followed by



an enthusiastic and energetic dance performance by the choreography society. CDT Parul, CDT Amrutha and CDT Priyanka spoke about our brave freedom fighters. This was followed by a melodious song by the Music Society and poetry by the Enabling Unit.

To mark this momentous occasion our Cadets hoisted flags in their homes under the campaign 'Har Ghar Tiranga' from August 13 to August 15 and participated in the Independence Day Rally held on 10th of August.



We had conducted Digital poster making competition and Singing competition, for NCC cadets of various colleges. CDT Manmayi announced the winners of these competitions. The event ended with the vote of thanks by CDT Shinjini.





## Refreshments Distribution Report

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Cadets Participated:

1. SUO Yogita
2. JUO Shrijita
3. SGT Garima

## EBSB IDC Report

EBSB IDC camp was organised from 1st August 2022 to 15th August 2022. The camp was organised for the celebration of 76th Independence Day: "Azadi ka Amrit Mohatsav" at the Red Fort. The cadets represented their state at the Red Fort. The camp was attended by cadets from all over the country. During the camp the cadets visited many historic places of Delhi such as Qutub Minar, Lotus Temple and Akshardham Temple.

The cadets also had the opportunity to meet the Minister of State for Defence, Ajay Bhatt. On 15th August 2022, the Prime Minister addressed the nation from the ramparts of Red Fort and the cadets witnessed it from the gyanpath of the Red Fort.





**List of Participants:**

Sanjana Dagar





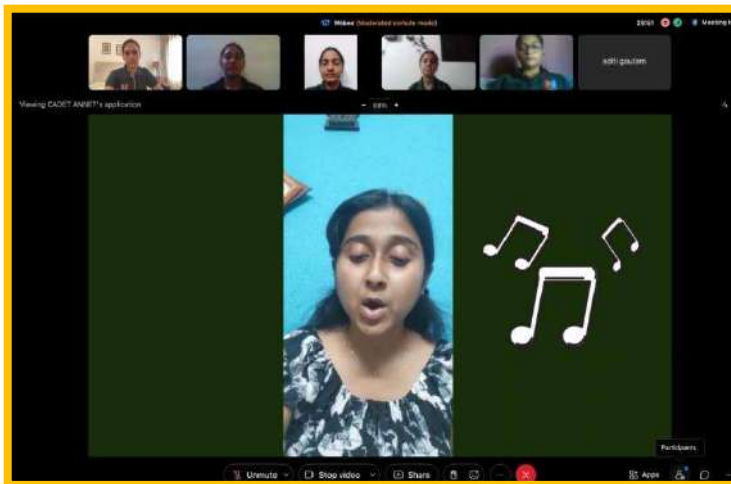
## WEBINAR ON ENVIRONMENT DAY



The NCC Coy of St. Stephens conducted online webinar on Environment Day i.e. on 5<sup>th</sup> June 2022 at 9:00 am. It started with a brief introduction by CDT Parul and CDT Raiyna.



CDT Manmoyi and CDT Amrutha walked us through a informative presentation on importance of conservation of environment and steps we should inculcate in our daily lives for betterment of our environment. The webinar depicted our cadets involved in tree plantation, cleanliness drives, talking with gardeners of



our college and calling out slogans on environment. It was followed by a beautiful dance performance by CDT Aleena , melodious song by CDT Shinjini and poem recitation by CDT Nirmala and CDT Muralika. We also organized Photography competition and Poster making competition with participation of NCC Cadets from various colleges and winners of these competitions were announced.

Webinar ended with a vote of thanks by CDT Uma



## **COMBINED ANNUAL TRAINING CAMP**

The NCC COY of St. Stephens College attended the CATC stay Camp which was held by 1 Delhi Girls Battalion for 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> years at NCC BHAVAN from 7<sup>th</sup> to 16<sup>th</sup> June 2022. 32 of our cadets took part in this camp.

Our cadets took part in various competitions such as Volleyball, Kho-Kho, Group and Solo Song, Group and Solo Dance, Poster Making, Drill and Guard of Honour. Along with this our cadets also took part in firing, tent pitching and obstacle training.

Our cadets also fulfilled the duties which was assigned to our college such as mess duty, filling canters and pots with water and preparing mats, boards and markers for theory classes. Cadets also learned about map reading, drill, compass reading in theory classes and also took part in morning exercise sessions.





SUO Yogita was college senior and cultural head for the Camp attendance in charge. JUO Shrijita was Camp Senior. CPL Anjali, Cadet Sona and Cadet Winmariya went for water rally. Cadet Manmayi, Cadet Amrutha, Cadet Annet and Cadet Shinjini participated for Extempore. SGT Garima was mess in charge. Also JUO Vanshita, Cadet Uma, Cadet Sanjana and Cadet Muralika were selected for TSC Camp and CPL Vennela was selected for Table Drill. Our college secured *1<sup>st</sup> position in Volleyball* consisting of JUO Vanshita, CPL Vennela, Cadet Manmayi, Cadet Aleena, Cadet Aditi and Cadet Nirmala in team; *2<sup>nd</sup> position in Group Song* consisting of team members CPL Vennela, Cadet Uma, Cadet Aditi, Cadet Serena, Cadet Priyanka, CPL Anagha, Cadet Annet, Cadet Aiswarya, Cadet Raiyna and Cadet Winmariya; Cadet Shinjini secured *2<sup>nd</sup> position in Solo Song*, *3<sup>rd</sup> position in Drill* consisting of SUO Yogita, JUO Vanshita, JUO Shrijita, CPL Sanjali, CPL Anagha, Cadet Raiyna, Cadet Annet, Cadet Muralika, Cadet Nirmala, Cadet Uma; and *3<sup>rd</sup> position in Guard of Honor* consisting of SUO Yogita, JUO Vanshita, CPL Sanjali, CPL Anjali, Cadet Raiyna, Cadet Annet, Cadet Muralika. SUO Yogita, JUO Shrijita and Cadet Raiyna were honored with certificate as a token of appreciation for their hard work shown in camp.





## **REPORT: G20 ACTIVITIES**

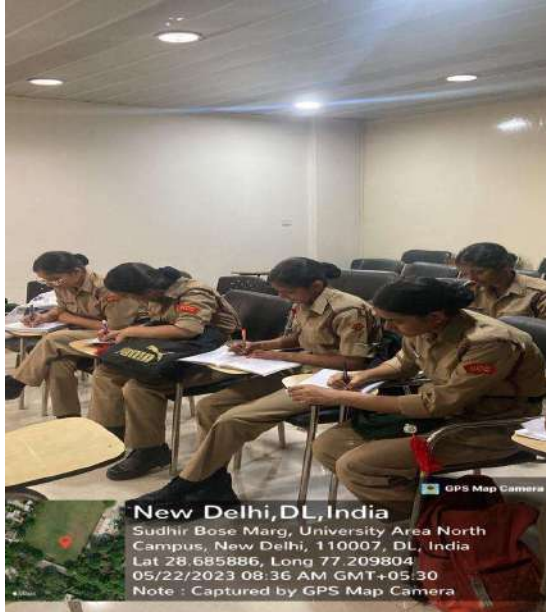
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The G20 boasts of some of the world's largest economies and including both industrialized and developing nations; it accounts for around 80% of gross world product (GWP), 75% of international trade, two-thirds of the global population, and 60% of the world's land area.

The events held in college are listed below:

### **1. Poster Making Competition**

A poster making competition was organized on the topic: G20. The cadets participated enthusiastically and showed their creativity.



## 2. Debate Competition

A Debate Competition was organized on the topic: G20 and India's presidency. All cadets showed their confidence and knowledge for this activity and participated.





### 3. INTRA-COY COMPETITION

India's G20 presidency has brought with itself a huge opportunity to bring the youth together and spread awareness on global issues. The theme of India's G20 summit 2023 is -" One Earth, one family, one future" which majorly addresses the issues related to the global economy, such as international financial stability, climate change mitigation and most importantly sustainable development. Recognizing this, the NCC cadets of St. Stephen's College organized an intra-coy competition where the cadets held a debate on the issue of sustainability-climate and energy. The event saw enthusiastic participation by the cadets. From each platoon, two cadets were selected with each group being assigned a country from among the G20 countries. Each group was given ten minutes wherein they shed light on the sustainable efforts being undertaken by their respective countries followed by a round of questions from the audience. It was a really enriching experience for us as it raised our awareness about how climate change had become such a major problem that it endangered human existence and various efforts being undertaken at the global level.







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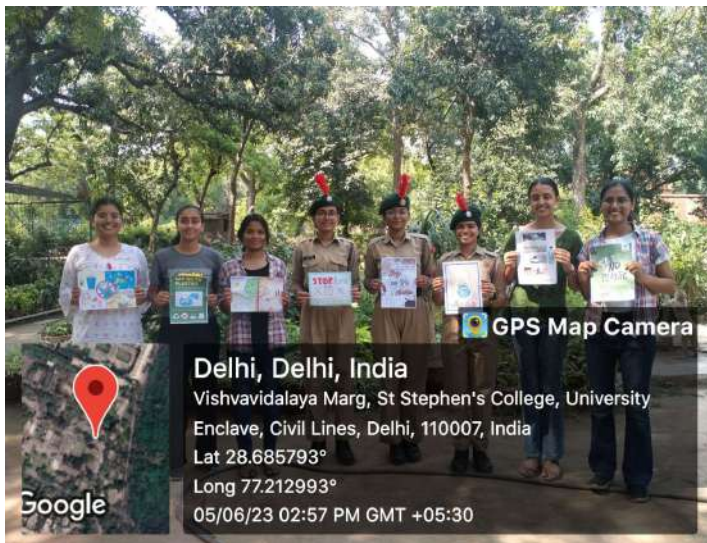
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A Debate Competition was organized on the topic: Plastic Pollution is a social injustice.







#### 4. Meri Life App

The Meri Life app was launched as a build up to World Environment Day on June 5th. The St. Stephen's NCC Coy and one ANO downloaded the app and completed the 5 step actions guided in the app.

**5 actions for June 5th**  
Take 5 actions to become a LIFE champion



## 5. Online Webinar

An Online webinar that was conducted by the Ministry of Education for The World Environment Day was attended by St. Stephen's NCC Coy to be more educated and informed regarding the environment.



## 6. Pledge

A pledge was taken by the Coy to protect and educate others about our environment.





## **REPORT: YOGA DAY ACTIVITIES**

St Stephen's College, NCC Coy has conducted the following activities for International Yoga Day 2023. International Day of Yoga 2023 is being observed worldwide on 21st June, 2023 with the aim to raise awareness about the numerous benefits of practicing Yoga.

## 1. ATTENDED THE YOGA DAY CELEBRATION IN CORONATION PARK

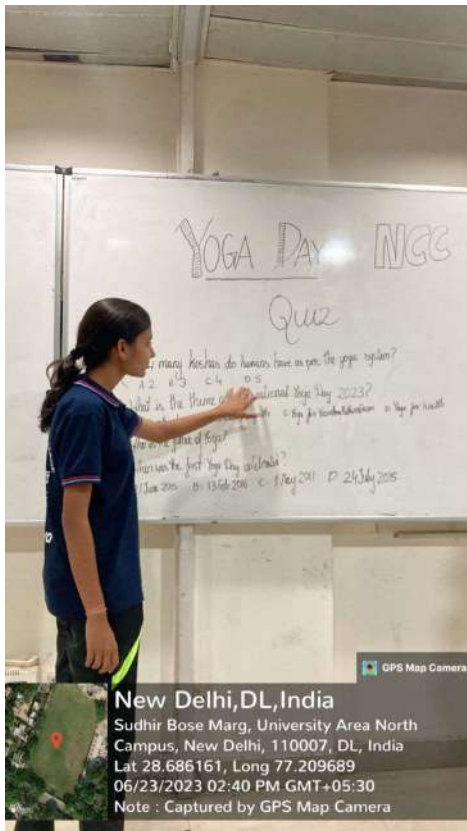
St Stephen's College cadets attended the International Yoga Day Celebration, 2023 organized in Coronation Park.

Cadets practiced the yoga asanas and were able to learn the benefits of yoga.



## 2. QUIZ ON YOGA

Conducted a yoga quiz to enhance the cadets' knowledge and understanding of various aspects of yoga.



### 3. MEDITATION SESSION

A guided meditation session was organized as part of the Yoga Day event. Cadets did different meditation techniques, such as mindfulness or breathing exercises. They also shared their experiences and any insights or challenges they encountered during the meditation session.



#### 4. Game with Cadets: Yoga Asanas

A fun and interactive game session was organized with the cadets to engage them in practicing different yoga asanas.



#### 5. YOGA DAY CELEBRATION IN ST STEPHEN'S COLLEGE

Yoga Day celebration was organized in St Stephen's College for the first years where they practiced yoga asanas accompanied by a yoga instructor.





## REPORT : FOOD DONATION

On the 5th of September 2023, the NCC unit at St. Stephen's College demonstrated its commitment to community service. Cadet Manya, Cadet Kavya, and SUO Parul took the initiative to distribute food packets to the needy around Kashmere Gate. The recipients expressed heartfelt thanks and joy for the food assistance they received. This act of kindness exemplifies the values of service and compassion instilled in our college cadets through the NCC program, further strengthening their bond with the community.





## **Gandhi-Ambedkar Study Circle Report 2022-23**

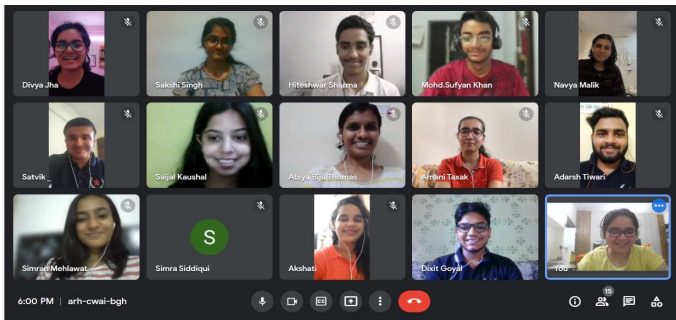
| <b>DATE</b>         | <b>TITLE</b>   | <b>TYPE OF EVENT</b>         | <b>GUEST SPEAKERS</b>                      |
|---------------------|--|------------------------------|--|
| 2nd September 2022  | Bhimgeets: “Kayeda Bheemacha” and “Tu Saheb Jhaalas Motha”   | Reading session              |  |
| 29th September 2022 | India at 75: What Happened to Gandhi’s ‘Swaraj’ and ‘Ahimsa’?                                      | Lecture                      | Dr. Ananya Vajpeyi                         |
| 23rd October 2022   | Disability and its Intersections   | Panel discussion             | Dr. Kurukhetra and Ms. Bhanu Priya         |
| 11th November 2022  | Systematic Silences in Caste and Gender-based Violence: From Forbidden Waters to Communal Impunity | Panel discussion             | Dr. Ajay Gudavarthy and Dr. Maya John      |
| 23rd November 2022  | Reading Session: Bhimayana   | Orientation                  |  |
| 16th January 2023   | Ursula K. Le Guin’s The Ones Who Walk Away From Omelas   | Reading Session              | Collaboration with Philosophical Society   |
| 19th January 2023   | Satyam Jha Memorial Discussion: Navigating Life in Conflict Zones                                  | Student-led Panel Discussion |  |
| 20th January 2023   | Satyam Jha Memorial Discussion: Love in Times of Communal Politics                                 | Student-led Panel Discussion |  |
| 21st January 2023   | Satyam Jha Memorial Discussion: Queer Identities and Mental Health Issues                          | Student-led Panel Discussion |  |
| 1st February 2023   | Yeh Lo Bayaan Humaare  | Film screening and Lecture   | Uma Chakravarty                            |
| 28th March 2023     | Anti-caste Feminism: Deliberating Unity and  | Lecture                      | Dr. Anandita Pan in collaboration with the |

|                 |   |                              |   |
|-----------------|---|------------------------------|---|
|                 | Identity  |                              | Debating Society  |
| 10th April 2023 | A Conversation with Geetanjali Shree                                  | Satya Fest: Lecture          | Geetanjali Shree in collaboration with the Literary Society |
| 11th April 2023 | Democracy and Dissent in India  | Satya Fest: Lecture          | Zoya Hasan  |
| 11th April 2023 | Politics, Media and Movements   | Satya Fest: Quiz             |   |
| 12th April 2023 | Writing Resistance  | Satya Fest: Panel discussion | Dr. Ajay Gudavarthy, Prof. Ivy Hansdak, Prof. Hemlata       |
| 12th April 2023 | Queering Diversity  | Satya Fest: Workshop         |   |
| 13th April 2023 | 1st Annual Savitri Bai Phule Lecture: Caste Beyond Borders            | Satya Fest: Lecture          | Prof. Kancha Ilaiah Shepherd                                |
| 13th April 2023 | Katha Kalratri Ki   | Satya Fest: Play             | Jana Natya Mach   |
| 24th April 2023 | From Footnote to Text: The Subversive Potential of a Feminist Archive | Lecture                      | Dr. Ritu Menon  |

## CIVIL SERVICES FORUM

### ANNUAL REPORT 2022-23

First Council Meeting on Saturday, 02 July, 2022 at 5 PM was conducted in an online mode on Google meet. All 15 members registered their presence.



First offline meeting of the second year council was conducted on Wednesday, 06 July, 2022 at 5 PM in Room RS 4. All 11 second year council members were present in the meeting. The Annual Calendar was decided during the same.



### Talk Session with Saksham Goel

Talks vertical of the society conducted the first event of the academic calendar 2022-23 on July 23, 2022 at 3 PM. IAS Saksham Goel decoded the Civil Services Examination for around 40 participants in the Seminar Room of St. Stephen's College. The session was followed by an informal interaction that was highly enriching for the students.



### **Group Discussion: Nation First, Always First**

75 years of Independence were celebrated in the entire country with utmost zeal and patriotism. The chosen theme for the 76th Independence day of India was Nation First, Always First. Drawing from the same, the group discussions vertical held a GD on the topic: Nation First, Always First (India @ 75) on September 07, 2022 at 04.30 PM. Room XD was the venue where 22 people took active part in the session. It was an interactive and informative session.



### **Campus to Collectorate**

The Hindu in collaboration with GS Score had organized an event titled “Campus to Collectorate” on September 24, 2022 at Shah Auditorium. Civil Services Forum, St Stephen’s College was invited as a participant in the competition where civil services societies operating in various colleges of University of Delhi had to present their society. We competed against 11 eminent societies to stand tall as the second runners up. The event was also graced by honorable Mr. Amod Kanth, IPS and. It was a great learning experience for the executive members.



## **ICWA Sapru House Visit**

September 30, 2022.

Members of the Civil Services Forum, St. Stephen's College were invited to ICWA, Sapru House to attend the '39th Sapru House Lecture & discussion on 25 years of Indian Ocean Rim Association(IORA) by H.E. Salman Al Farisi, Secretary General, IORA in the presence of H.E. Ina H. Krishnamurthi, Ambassador of the Republic of Indonesia to India.

Mr. Salman presented on the 25 years journey of IORA and the working towards a prosperous, sustainable, and peaceful Indian Ocean Region

## **Talk Session with IAS Satender Singh**

The Talks vertical of CSF in collaboration with the Enabling Unit conducted another talk session of the academic calendar 2022-23 on November 9, 2022 at 3 PM in the college hall. It was based on the topic 'From Dreams to Reality', The Journey of a Powerful Vision wherein Mr. Satender Singh(PWD) shared insights on his physical and mental struggles and challenges. It was quite an enriching session with an audience of around 100 participants. The students found it really motivating and encouraging.



## **Group Discussion: Who Rules? The Political Spectrum**

The Civil Services Forum organized a group discussion on the topic "Who Rules? The Political Spectrum" on Thursday, November 10 at 5 PM in the Seminar Room. The events garnered a presence of around 20 enthusiastic participants. The participants returned with insightful knowledge catering to the the topic and beyond alongside a wonderful answer writing guide book by Mr. Manuj Jindal (IAS).

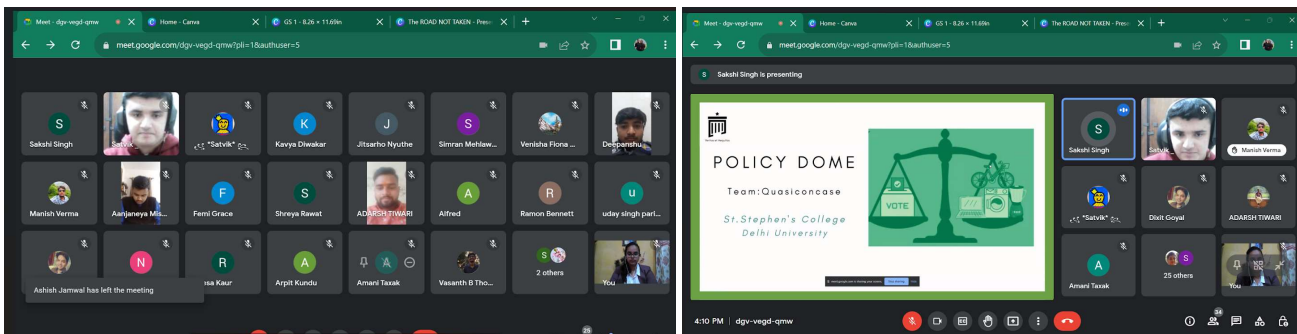
## **Group Discussion: Poles of Politics**

If it is correct to say that there will always be rightist temperaments and leftist temperaments, it is nevertheless also correct to say that political philosophy is neither rightist nor leftist; it must simply be true. The Group discussion organized by Civil Services Forum on the topic 'Poles of Politics- Where does the ideology lie?' on 23 November 2022 at 3 p.m. was a successful event. Room C was the venue where the tables were arranged in a round table to make the GD more interactive and inclusive, more than 45 people took an active part in the session. The event was moderated by Navya and Akshati in presence of all council members.



## Canva Workshop

The Civil Services Forum, St. Stephen's College organized an online workshop on the 'Basics of Canva' on December 04, 2022 at 4 PM on Google Meet. Around 35 people attended the workshop. Second year members took the responsibility of teaching simple features of the online platform Canva. Creation and editing of posters and presentations were the main themes covered. The workshop was not restricted to teaching things that are helpful for society activities. The participants were interactive. Doubts were encountered and answered as well.



## ICWA Sapru House visit

Members of the Civil Services Forum of St Stephen's College, Delhi were invited to ICWA, Sapru House inaugural conference on 'India-Central Asia Relations' on December 15, 2022. The members got an opportunity to meet and interact with senior diplomats from India and Central Asia during the event and had an enriching learning experience.



### **ICWA Sapru House visit**

A very insightful event took place at **ICWA Sapru house** on the occasion of **Pravasi Bharti Divas, NRI Day on January 04**. It was a curtain raiser event by **MEA**, it was chaired by **Dr. Ausaf Sayeed**, Secretary MEA with his opening remarks, which was followed by a formal introduction by **DG ICWA Amb. Vijay Thakur Singh**. ICWA was kind enough to extend their invitation to the Civil Services Forum, St. Stephen;'s College.

A series of lectures took place by various eminent dignitaries on various topics related to Indian Diaspora. Ambassador **Virendra Gupta**'s speech on economic impact of diaspora and other issues related to India's foreign policy. Ambassador **Anil Trigunayat**'s speech on Role of diaspora in West Asia and Africa with increasing soft power of the nation via Indian diaspora. **Professor Kapadia** (JNU)'s speech on technological impacts and scientific growth in the nation via Indian diaspora. **Mr. Sushil Pandit**'s speech on internal growth and effects of Indian diaspora. The lectures were followed by a brief questions and answers Session. High Tea was also organized where the CSF representatives had a conversation with distinguished guests (Dr.Sayeed, Mr.Pandit And Mr.Trigunayat) in person.



### **Strategic Scans of India's Neighbors**

The Civil Services Forum got the opportunity to welcome Capt. (Dr.) Alok Bansal for a lecture on the Strategic Scans of India's neighbors. All the attendees gained apolitical insights into the socio-economic



lives of all the countries neighboring ours. Towards the end, sir invited questions which resulted in an interactive Q&A session.

The event took place in the Seminar Room on January 30, 2023, from 2.30 PM onwards. The event witnessed a strength of nearly 50 inquisitive participants.

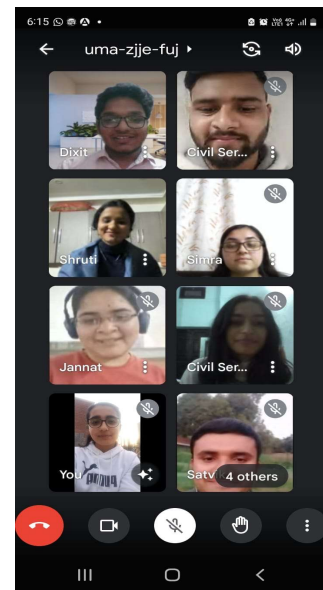
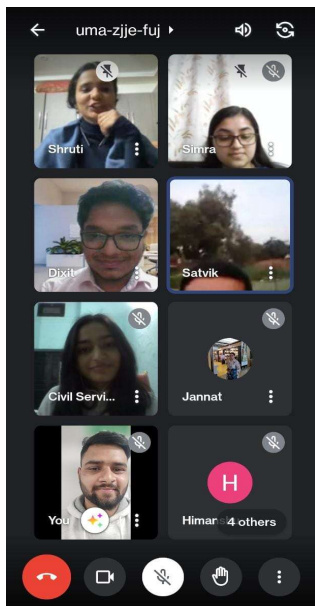


### **Group Discussion: 'War, Peace and World Realigned- Assessing India's Foreign Policy'**

The Civil Services Forum organized a group discussion on the topic "War, Peace and World Realigned- Assessing India's Foreign Policy" on Tuesday January 31 at 6 PM on google meet. The events garnered a presence of around 35 enthusiastic participants. The participants returned with insightful knowledge catering to the topic.

## Online Talk and Q&A Session with IAS Shruti Sharma

Talks vertical of the society conducted an online session of the academic calendar 2022-23 on February 8, 2023 with IAS Shruti Sharma (AIR-1). The session included a lecture by the speaker, followed by a Question & Answer round with the audience. The session was a huge success with a participation of around 100 enthusiastic students. The session was highly enriching and informative.



## Inviting Articles:



**What if the Great Britain was under colonial rule ?**

DEV ISHAAN AGARWAL

Civil Services Forum  
Nov 23, 2022 · 6 min

WHAT IF THE GREAT BRITAIN WAS UNDER COLONIAL RULE?

"Be it colonialism, imperialism or politics, all have the same source- The Human Brain".

320 views · 4 ❤️

**Interviews:**

**INTERVIEW WITH KARTIKEYA JAISWAL, AIR 35, UPSC CSE 2021**

Civil Services Forum  
Aug 31, 2022 · 7 min

Interview with Kartikeya Jaiswal , AIR 35 UPSC CSE 2021

"If the purpose for appearing in the exam is crystal clear in one's mind, it always keeps the fire in one's belly alive."

427 views · 6 ❤️

## -Colloquium 2023

Colloquium, the annual flagship event of Civil Services Forum was held from 17 to 19 April, 2023. This marked the official culmination of the academic year 2022-23 for CSF. The events held are as follows:

### 1. Colloquiz

An Inter-College Qiuiz competition was organized by the Civil Services Forum in which more than 60 participants from various colleges participated. Quiz was organized in Opp.AV room from 2 PM onwards. It covered various domains of UPSC CSE Syllabus and turned out to be a huge success.



### 2. Panel Discussion

A Panel Discussion on the topic Contemporary India's Defence and Diplomacy Landscape was held on 18 April, 2023 from 2 to 4 PM in the College Hall. The esteemed panelists for the event were Amb. Amarendra Khatua, Lt Gen. Vinod Khandare, and Prof Amitabh Mattoo. Ms Aayushi

Ketkar was the moderator. It was an inter-college event that witnessed nearly 250 participants from the DU circuit of UPSC aspirants.

The panelists were from diversified backgrounds and hence had a different approach to all the questions posed by the moderator. The attendees were highly satisfied with the event. They even posed highly intellectual questions to the panelists. It was an eventful and enriching panel discussion.



### 3. Talk Session

CSF hosted Mr Armstrong Pame, IAS for the closing lecture of Colloquium 2023 on 19 April 2023 in NPLT. An audience of 100+ participants was witnessed during the event. Mr Pame inspired the participants to find an aim in life through his real life experiences. His will to do good for his region no matter what his profile is was the major takeaway from the session.

### Routine Work

Civil Services Forum actively engaged in the following task round the academic year:

#### 1. Newspaper Reading Circle

Newspaper Reading Circle was a WhatsApp group that catered to the much needed aspect of UPSC CSE preparation, the newspapers. Every day for the whole academic year newspaper guidelines from The Hindu and Indian Express were released on the two newspaper reading circles (WhatsApp groups). The guidelines were selectively chosen in a way that catered to the General Studies paper 1, 2, 3 and 4 of the UPSC Civil Services Exam. Besides that a compilation of editorials in both English and Hindi medium were sent to the groups on a regular basis.

#### 2. Collations

The same whatsapp group was also used to circulate important news pieces across the national and international realm alongside the editorials/ explainers by eminent people and research institutions. These collations were put on the group every Saturday. They were a source of updating people with relevant news as well as giving them some food for thought.

#### 3. Instagram Quiz

Every Wednesday the Forum also posted 3 UPSC CSE Prelims centered questions plus one bonus CSAT question on their instagram account. The initiative was undertaken to ensure that people are in touch with the competitiveness and nature of the exam.

## **The Social Service League Annual Report 2022-23**

The past year marked the fruitful conclusion of activities and volunteering endeavours of the Social Service League. The SSL transitioned its functioning from the online mode to the physical mode, thereby continuing the legacy of community service that had been adversely impacted during the COVID-19 pandemic. The society successfully organised 27 events, spread across its various verticals.

### **1. Aarohan:**

The Aarohan vertical works for the upliftment of Non-teaching staff members of college. This year, the New Year Party and Rudra Dinner were organised after a hiatus of 2 years due to the pandemic. The new year party, organised on 18th January 2023 foresaw a turnout of 350 including the Faculty, The Non-teaching staff and their family members in attendance. The Rudra Dinner was organised on 25th February 2023, and saw about 300 people in attendance. The vertical also organised a Medical camp on 12th April 2023, in collaboration with Sarcoma Cancer Care Foundation. The camp benefitted more than 200 people and 89 patients were distributed spectacles for free. The Aarohan vertical also conducted the Annual Survey of NTS members leading to the production of the Survey Report based on the observations from the survey.

### **2. Evening Classes:**

Evening Classes conducted regular classes for the students during the evening hours in college premises. Besides academics, EC volunteers ensured holistic development of the kids by organising various extra-curricular activities including Diya Painting and Poster Making. They also scheduled a Movie Screening for the kids as well as a Wall Climbing session to engage them in extracurricular activities. The vertical organised a trip to the National Museum and National Bal Bhavan, on 31st March 2023, with 20 children in attendance. The kids were accompanied by a team of volunteers and senior members from college in order to ensure overall well-being

### **3. Parivartan & Donation Camps:**

Parivartan and Donation camps organised several relief activities such as 5 sessions of Skip A Meal Programme in which volunteers skipped a meal during a day in the given month in order to collect the food and distribute it amongst the needy in collaboration with the Robin Hood Army. This year, the vertical successfully organised the Blood Donation Camp, on 12th April 2023, in collaboration with BloodConnect and the team of medical practitioners from AIIMS, New Delhi; that saw active participation from the junior members and Non-teaching staff alike. The Blood Donation Camp recorded a footfall of 150 donors.

Also, the Sign Language Workshop - a flagship event in collaboration with the National Association of the Deaf and the Enabling Unit of college, held on 26th September 2022, saw close to 100 attendees. A winter cloth collection drive was also conducted on campus.

### **4. Pragyachakshu:**

This year marked the successful organisation of Drishtikon - Pragyachakshu's Annual Fest for PwD students. The event was organised from 5th-6th April 2023, and saw over 100 students in participation across different events such as debate, quiz, talent hunt and wall climbing. The vertical also worked to connect PwD students with scribes to aid them with their examinations.

### **5. Public relations, outreach and finance:**

This vertical is the backbone of the society. Apart from organising robust publicity campaigns for SSL initiatives across social media platforms, it also devises the budget to ensure smooth and consistent functioning of the society. The vertical also ideated on the society merchandise.

### **6. Unboxed - Mental Health Initiative:**

The concluding year saw the introduction of Unboxed - SSLs most recent vertical under the purview of generating consciousness towards mental health. From its initiation, the vertical organised talks and meeting sessions with the College Counsellor, interactive sessions touching upon mental abnormalities such as ADHD, anxiety and stress, movie screening session and a collaboration pursued with the Snehi Foundation. In the successive year, the vertical plans on subsuming more participatory activities under its oeuvre.

### **7. Vidyajyoti:**

Vidyajyoti conducted Annual Day “Kiran” - a cultural extravaganza for the kids of GTB Nagar, on 16th February 2023, after a period of two years of functioning in the online mode. The Annual Day witnessed the participation of 30 students from the community for an audience comprising family members, SSL volunteers and senior members. Throughout the year, Vidyajyoti vertical conducted various activities to fasten the return to normalcy post pandemic including Origami session, movie screening, financial literacy workshop etc. It also collaborated with organisations including Samarpan Foundation and Share A Book India Association for furthering the emancipatory aim of education.



## **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)

#### Table Tennis Women - Singles

Maria Jacob (1)

Sharrel Dennis (2)

#### Table Tennis Men - Singles

Abhishek Preet (1)

Rudraksh Dua (2)

#### Table Tennis Men ( Doubles)

Ujjwal Kumar and Tarun George- 1st

Rayan Chakravarti and Saumar Pran

#### Treasure Hunt - 1st Prize

Pankaj Yadhav

Ujjwal Kumar

#### 2nd Prize

Mohd Hasnain

Aarna Kashvi

3rd Prize  
Anand George  
Teena Sebastian

Blind Cricket  
2nd Prize  
Team A (2)  
Rauf (Capt)  
Vishal Saini  
Shivam Anand  
Pankaj Kumar  
Bhuvnesh  
Hiteshwar Sharma  
Abhishek  
Virender

1st Prize  
Blind Cricket - Team B (1)  
Rakesh (Capt)  
Neeru Das  
Tushar  
Tilak Bhardwaj  
Pankaj Yadav  
Bipin  
Tanuj  
Varun

Volleyball 2nd Position  
Team A\*  
Tanuj ( Captain)  
Cyril  
Prashant  
Bhriгу  
Pragyansh  
Vipin  
Priyanka

Volleyball 1st Prize  
Volleyball E  
Pougolal ( Captain)  
Gavin  
Shivin  
Joyce  
Vivek  
Alok

Sudhanshu  
Athui Gonmei



#### 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.



## Students' Union Society Elections

2022-2023

The Constitution of St Stephen's College has a full-fledged chapter on the Students' Union Society. It establishes a democratic process in college to elect a representative students' body consisting of (i) a President and (ii) a twenty-two member Students' Council. Article-3 of the Constitution enumerates the aims and objects of the SUS as the following:

1. 'To promote the social, cultural and intellectual development of the students of the college'.
2. 'To look after and promote the welfare of the students and well-being of the college'.

The SUS gives the students in College an opportunity to work for their own development and welfare in collaboration with College administration. It also, in the process, trains and prepares them for a larger role of being active citizens of the country.

St Stephen's College was the first college in University of Delhi to hold Students' Union elections (January 2023) after the Pandemic years. Even the Delhi University Students' Elections were conducted later.

The election process, every year, begins with the Principal appointing a Tribunal of three Members (Art-5/ii) and an Election Officer to supervise and conduct the electoral process in college.

Mr S R Ayde, the Staff Advisor to the SUS was appointed as the Election Officer for the academic year 2022-2023. The Tribunal comprised of Dr Malay Neerav, Sanjay Rao Ayde and Dr Karen Gabriel. (ENCL 1. )

Nominations were invited from Junior Members for:

1. Office of the President (SUS).
2. Members (6) for Students' Council from first year students.
3. Members (6) for Students' Council from second year students.
4. Members (6) for Students' Council from third year students.

There are 4 seats for MA/ MSc Previous and Final  
In total there are 22 Elected Members.

Nominations were scrutinised by the Returning Officer on January 23, 2023, in accordance with the criteria for eligibility set by the Constitution of the College, vide Article 8 (1) (b).

List of Valid Nominations were displayed on the Notice Boards of the College on January, 23rd, 2023. (ENCL. 2)

The Open Court (Presidential Address and Q and A Session) was held On January 25, 2023 between 9.15 a.m. to 10.30 a.m during the Morning Assembly (ENCL.3). Here the contestants for the President's Post addressed the Students' Body. Questions were posed to them from the contestants and also the larger student body present for the same. Faculty members were also present at the Open Court.

Students were also informed through notices about how to vote for both the elections (ENCL. 4.).

Notices were put up regarding guidelines to be followed by the contestants and the voters in accordance with the Lyngdoh Committee Recommendations (ENCL.5.).

Polling took place on January 27, 2023 from 11 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. in seven different rooms. Room-A was specially earmarked for the differently abled students. (ENCL.6.).

Ballot Paper for the office of the President and the Council Seats were printed in College.(ENCL.7)

On January 27th at 5.30 p.m. the election results for the office of the President were declared by the Returning Officer. Pankaj from BA Programme, Third Year was declared elected.

A total number of 765 votes were polled.

Pankaj secured 497 votes out of 765.

Defeated contestant Sagarika Chowdhary secured 256 votes out of 765.

In all 12 votes were declared invalid. (ENCL.8 )

**DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC CORE COURSE (DSC-2): History of India – VIII: c. 1857 – 1950**

**Credit distribution, Eligibility and Prerequisites of the Course**

| Course title & Code                     | Credits | Credit distribution of the course |          |                     | Eligibility criteria | Pre-requisite of the course (if any)           |
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|   |         | Lecture                           | Tutorial | Practical/ Practice |                      |  |
| History of India – VIII: c. 1857 – 1950 | 4       | 3                                 | 1        | 0                   | Class XII            | Should have studies of History of India I – VI |

**Learning Objectives**

This paper introduces students to broad aspects of formation of identities and the manner in which these identities unfolded themselves during the course of the Indian freedom struggle. It provides an overview of socio-economic and political trends in colonial India from the latter half of the 19th century. The paper critically analyses the various trends in the national liberation movement and other aspects of politics which were foundational for the modern Indian state. The aim is to develop interdisciplinary analytical skills at the undergraduate level.

**Learning outcomes**



### Learning outcomes

After successful completion of the course, the students will be able to:

- Identify how community, caste, and national identity developed in the late 19th, and early 20th centuries.
- Outline the social and economic facets of colonial India and their influence on the national movement.
- Explain the various trends of anti-colonial struggles in colonial India.
- Analyse the complex developments leading to partition and independence.
- Discuss the key debates on the making of the Indian Constitution, and need for socio-economic restructuring after independence

### SYLLABUS OF DSC- 2

#### Unit 1: Colonial Economy

1. Economic critique of colonial rule with special reference to Drain of Wealth
2. Rise of modern industry and capitalist class

#### Unit 2: Early Nationalism

1. Emergence of Indian National Congress (INC)

2. 'Moderates' and 'Extremists' Nationalist

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3. Swadeshi and early Revolutionary Movements

**Unit 3: Emergence and social base of Gandhian Nationalism**

1. Foundations of Gandhian Nationalism
2. Gandhi and National Movements
  - a. Champaran, Kheda, Ahmedabad,
  - b. Rowlatt, Khilafat and Non-Cooperation Movements
  - c. Civil Disobedience Movement
  - d. Quit India Movement

**Unit 4: Alternative trends in National Movement**

1. Ambedkar and the Dalit Movement, Dravidian movements
2. Hindustan Socialist Republican Association (HSRA) and Revolutionary Movements
3. Gadhar, Singh Sabha and the Akali Movement
4. Peasants, Workers and Tribal movements; Emergence of the Left
5. Subhas Chandra Bose and Indian National Army; Royal Indian Navy Mutiny

**Unit 5: Towards Independence and after**

1. Independence and Partition
2. The Making of the Constitution

**Unit 6: Formation of Identities**

1. Caste
2. Community
3. Nation

**Practical component (if any) - NIL**

## Courses for B.A. (Programme) Political Science

### Discipline Specific Elective Courses

#### **1. Themes in Comparative Political Theory (62327503)**

**Discipline Specific Elective - (DSE) Credit:6**

##### **Course Objective**

This course aims to familiarize students with the need to recognize how conceptual resources in political theory draw from plural traditions. By chiefly exploring the Indian and Western traditions of political theory through some select themes, the overall objective of this course is to present before the students the value and distinctiveness of comparative political theory.

##### **Course Learning Outcomes**

After completing this course, the students will be able to:

- Understand how Political Theory draws from and is shaped by both western and Indian traditions.
- Appreciate the value and distinctiveness of Comparative Political Theory

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- Locke on Rights
- Rousseau on inequality
- J. S. Mill on liberty and democracy
- Marx and Bakunin on State

**Unit 3**

**Indian Thought: Thinkers and Themes (26 lectures)**

- Kautilya on State
- Tilak and Gandhi on Swaraj
- Ambedkar and Lohia on Social Justice
- Nehru and Jayaprakash Narayan on Democracy
- Pandita Ramabai on Patriarchy