Subodh Newsletter

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Editorial

If beginning is exciting and ending is gratifying then what lies in between is the joy of living and experiencing. We have completed the first six months of the session 2016-17 and have come a little ahead from essential academic training to building up an environment of personal grooming and richness. We believe that the holistic development of mind requires a right blend of opportunities for mental as well as personal growth. The session that began with rigorous academic activities is now enjoying the liveliness and exuberance of cultural atmosphere as freshers' party gets organized by the different departments.

The issue is thus devoted to the coverage of multitudes of events of curricular and cultural nature that continued to define and color the academic environment of college with extra vigour and participation by the young minds.

Wishing you all an enjoyable reading!!!!

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It's time again to achieve and excel.....

With the knocking of winters, comes another task to be accomplished and another ladder to be crossed as the change of season coincides with the end of semester too. After having celebrated the bright and colourful magnitudes of



Satyendra Kumar

college life through an array of cultural activities that enthusiastically marked the months of October and November, it is time once again to give a serious eye to the academics.

This seriousness can well be sensed among the youthful Subodhites, as they, neatly dressed up in their uniforms and proudly sporting their I- cards, move around the corridors, lawns and libraries carrying their books and notes. The buzz of multifarious activities including serious course work through regular interactions with the respective subject teachers, preparation for practicals and labs,

constant visits to the library and last but not the least the beginning of the semester exams go on to make the campus a happening place.

To add to the readiness and define a new purposeful beginning, the college already has a remarkable achievement to quote and feel proud of. On behalf of College Management, Staff & Students, we would like to congratulate Satyendra Kumar, M.A. (Political Science) for receiving Indra Gandhi NSS Award for the year 2015-16 with All India Rank-I in recognition of his outstanding and exemplary activities in community development work through NSS.

From the Principal's Desk



Amidst all the factors integral to a successful college life, what remains most important is the focus on our primary goal which is to prepare professionally and ethically equipped citizens with a high employability quotient who can contribute positively to the society. I am fully confident that, as always, the faculty, students and the other stakeholders would be

proactive partners in this ongoing endeavor. I wish every member of the Subodh family a very happy New year and fervently hope that we will continue to move ahead with the same vigour, energy and zeal in the coming year too.

Achiever's Bay

Awards and Honours

- □ Prof. K.B. Sharma was felicitated with "Award for Excellence in Education" at 5th Principals' & Teachers' Excellence Award 2016 and by the ICSI (Institute of Company Secretaries of India) for his distinguished contribution in the field of education
- Dr. D.K Verma (Dean, Administration) was honoured by Rajiv Gandhi Sadbhavna evam Gramotthan Sansthan, Rajasthan on Teacher's Day for his outstanding contribution and achievements in higher education.
- Dr. Alpana Saxena (Dean, Student Welfare) was honoured, with the Beti Shiksha Gaurav Samman 2016 by The All India Welfare Society.
- Dr. R. K. Sharma (Department of ABST) was felicitated by ICSI (Institute of Company Secretaries of India) for his distinguished contribution in the field of education
- Dr. Rajesh Yadav (Department of Environmental Science) and Dr. Kapil Anand (Department of Political Science) were honoured with Award for Excellence in Education at 5th Principals & Teachers Excellence Award 2016
- Dr. Rita Jain (Department of BBA) and Dr. Neel Kamal Purohit (Department of ABST) were felicitated by ICSI (Institute of Company Secretaries of India) for significant contribution in the field of education
- Dr. Madhu Sharma (Department of Computer Science) received the appreciation award on Teacher's Day from Bharat Vikas Parishad.

Campus Buzz

Guest lectures widen the vision and the knowledge of the students and at Subodh College, it's a trend to invite the expertise from specific fields of education. A guest lecture on "Role of media in Indian Economy" was organized by EAFM Department in month of October in which Ms. Aditi Daddhich was invited to share her views regarding the increasing role of Digital media in Indian Economy. Dr. Vikas Nautiyal was invited by the Department of History to enhance the knowledge of the students about certain unexplored aspects of history. Through an informative talk he threw fresh light on the contribution of women revolutionaries in India's struggle for freedom.

Under the series of lectures "Hindi Vyakhyaan Mala", a one day lecture cum brainstorming session on the topic "Hindi ki dasha, disha evam chunotiyaan" was organized by Department of Hindi. Shri Nand Bhardwaj, Ex Director, Doordarshan was the keynote speaker of the





Hindi Vyakhyaan Mala

Guest Lecture by Dr. Sheela Roy

session. Another series of special lectures was organized in the month of November by the Commerce Club on banking reforms.

A lecture on Gandhian philosophy and ideology was organized by the Department of Political science on 5th October 2016. The resource person, Dr. Sheela Roy, Director-Centre for Gandhian Studies, University of Rajasthan, not only enlightened the young audience about Gandhian principles but also pointed out their relevance in society even today. The Principal, Prof. K. B. Sharma, in his address emphasized upon the exemplary character of Gandhiji and on behalf of the college promised to make continuous endeavours to adopt Gandhian philosophy as suggested by Dr. Roy.



A special lecture on "Being Successful Professional" by Prof. Neeraj Gupta Head, Department of Architecture, Central University, Kishangarh was organised by the Department of Physics in the month of October. During the

Special Lecture by Prof. Neeraj Gupta month of October. During the lecture, Prof. Gupta explained the terminologies essential for understanding the meaning of success through various exercises and substantiated his talk through real life examples of his experiences.

A guest lecture was organized on "Medicinal Plants of Rajasthan" by Department of Botany. Mr. M. P. Vishnoi, IFS and Mr. S. R. Kala, IFS from Rajasthan State Medicinal Plants Board (RSMPB, Jaipur) gave information about the importance of medicinally important plants of Rajasthan.

Achiever's Bay

Dr. Kapil Anand (Department of Political Science) was felicitated for his exemplary vision and leadership skills by the Commissionerate of College Education, Govt. of Rajasthan.

Publication of books

- Dr. Tapasya Julka Malhotra (Department of Bus. Admn.) published a book titled Business Management
- Dr. Priti Gupta, Dr. Tripti Vijaywargiya and Ms. Swati Tiwari (Department of Bus. Admn.) jointly published a book titled Business Organisation.
- ☐ Ravi Gupta (Department of Bus. Admn.) published a book titled Business Law
- ☐ Ravi Gupta and Swati Tiwari (Department of Bus. Admn.) jointly published a book titled *Business Law* (Hindi edition).
- Dr. Tapasya Julka Malhotra, Dr. Nandini Sharma and Dr Bharat Pareek (Department of Bus. Admn.), jointly published a book titled Business Organistion (Hindi edition)
- Dr. Tapasya Julka Malhotra and Dr. Bharat Pareek (Department of Bus. Admn.) jointly published a book titled Business Management (Hindi edition)

Membership of Academic Bodies

Dr. N. K. Purohit (Department of ABST) has been appointed as reviewer in the editorial board of International Journal of Emerging Markets (Emerald, UK) To strengthen the spirit of patriotism and sense of responsibility towards national interests and progress, a motivational lecture by Mrs. Bhagyashri Sathye, Rashtra Sewika Samiti (Women Wing) was organized in the college.

Under the Academic upgradation



Motivational Lecture by Mrs. Bhagyashri Sathye

Exchange Programme, a delegation of research scholars from Dhaka University, headed by Prof. Asha Islam Naeem visited the college. The college Principal welcomed the delegates and highlighted the cordial relationship that the two countries have always had ever since Bangladesh has come into existence and how this relationship has a strategic role to play in the development and progress of South East



Delegation from Dhaka University, Bangladesh

Asia. Dr. D.K. Verma, the Vice Principal and Dr. Rajesh Rawat, Head, Department of Political Science thanked the delegation and proposed to have more such academic and cultural exchange programmes in the future.

Doordarshan Kendra Jaipur organized a special two- day quiz programme on 27th and 28th September, 2016 for the students of our college. Centering around the theme of Navratri, Gandhi Jayanti and Lal



Doordarshan Prashnottari Programme

Bahadur Shastri Jayanti, the quiz was conducted by Shri Mahendra Surana, the former I.A.S. The event was a huge success due to the enthusiastic participation of around 300 students of the college. The recorded programme was subsequently telecast on 1st and 2nd October 2016.

Students' Gallery of Fame

- ☐ The college congratulates the following teams for their distinctive achievements in the Inter-collegiate sports events-2016 organized by the University of Rajasthan:
- * Athletics Winner
- * Gymnastics Winner
- * Tennis-Winner
- * Squash Rackets-Winner
- * Archery-Winner
- * Handball-Winner
- * Cricket-Winner



Squash Racket Team

- * Badminton Runners up
- * Boxing Runners up



Abhijeet Eswal and Shubham

□ Abhijeet Eswal and Shubham (MCA Semester III) won the Gold Medal at Inter-collegiate Boxing Championship (below 56 kg category and below 75 kg category respectively) held at RIET, Jaipur organised by Rajasthan Technical University, Kota.

As a part of its learning series through participative activities beyond the regular syllabus, the Literary Society organized, Gram-maze, a grammar competition to not only evaluate the proficiency of students



Gram-maze

but also infuse interest in learning of grammar for acquisition of better language skills. Ashutosh Yadav of B.A Semester V scored highest marks and got the first position. The second position was shared by Tarun Wadhvani and Prakhar Singh Pundir of BCA Semester V.

In a similar initiative, Humanities Club of the college organised a Slogan cum Poster Competition on 'Eat Better, Feel Better: Say No to Fast Food' on 17th November, 2016. The competition served to impart an understanding of the importance of healthy life style and nutritious

food. The students participated in a great number with enthusiasm and articulated their thoughts on the topic through creative and artistic presentation of posters. Prof. K. B. Sharma, the principal of the college awarded the



Slogan cum Poster Competition

winners with mementos and certificates.

A Legal Literacy Camp was organized in association with District Legal Aid Services, Jaipur. Smt. Rekha Rathore, ADJ; Sh. Ajay Kumar, Secretary District Legal Services Authority; and Ms. Namrata Shreya, Advocate Rajasthan High Court were present on the occasion to inform and educate the students regarding legal services authority and also about the various rights and duties that they have as citizens of India.

Classroom activities are an integral part of teaching-learning methodology at Subodh College. After Dusshera holidays, the



Legal Literacy Camp

Department of Economics organized a power point presentation activity for the students to give them a platform to express and share their learning from the classroom with their peers.



Tej Karan Saini

- ☐ Tej Karan Saini (M.Com Semester III) added another feather to the college's cap by winning Gold Medal in Rifle Shooting at the intercollegiate shooting competition.
- ☐ Rahul Singh Rajpal (BA Semester I) won Gold medal in Pistol Shooting at the inter-college tournament.
- ☐ Suresh Choudhary (BA Semester V) won Gold Medal at the Inter-college Cycling Competition.
- ☐ Hemant Choudhary (BA Semester V) made the college proud by winning Gold Medal at the Inter-College Judo Competition.



Rahul Jangid

☐ Rahul Jangid (BA Semester I) won Bronze Medal at the All India University Tournament in WUSHU. For improving student's personality as well as knowledge about concerning emerging social issues, an extempore competition was organized in which Ravi Raj of B. Com. Semester IV, Abhishek Yadav (M. Com. Semester II) and Vinod Yogi (B. Com-Semester IV) were adjudged as the winner, first and second runners up respectively. A business quiz "Bigbuzz" was also organized in which the team of Digvijay (B.Com Semester V) and Ashwin Taparia (B.Com. Semester I) stood first. "Quizmania" was another participative learning based activity organized by the Commerce Department. To enhance the knowledge on cloud computing, student seminar was organized by the Department of Computer Science on Cloud Computing and Cyber Security in the month of September.



Seminar on Cloud Computing and Cyber Security

Increasing road accidents is a burning issue of today's hassled life. Mr. Rajkumar from SMS Hospital in a session, organized by the NSS, addressed the students on the same with few tips on quick and effective use of the first aid facilities.



Forensic Sc. Lab, RPA, Jaipur



Road Safety rules by Mr. Raj Kumar

The Department of Zoology organized a one-day academic study trip cum workshop for M.Sc. Zoology students to the Forensic Science Laboratory, Rajasthan Police Academy, Jaipur on 6th October 2016. This visit was an intensive interactive orientation programme with Dr. Anand, Head of DNA and Serology Department, who conveyed basic information about various technologies that are used to solve cases regarding paternity.

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The following female students of the college were jointly felicitated by KURJA-7 and Subodh College, for their outstanding achievement in following fields:

* Academics: Shivani Sharma (B.Sc. Semester III) for scoring 91% marks in the previous semester



- * Sports (Archery): Swati Doodhwal of M.A. Semester III (Political Science)
- * Extra-curricular events: Priyanka Saharan (B.Sc Semester V)

The following students made the college proud by achieving positions of merit in various events of the intercollegiate competition organized at Kanoria College.

- Arjun Singh Jodha (MJMC Semester I) -Winner (PPT Presentation)
- Anuj Upadhyay (MCA Semester I) - Runners - up (PPT Presentation)
- Arjun Singh Jodha and Dharmendra Joshi -Winner (Media Quiz)
- Anuj Upadhyay -Winner (Photography)
- Ajay Kumar (M.Sc. Env. Sc. Semester-I) & team-Runners-up (Best out of Waste competition)
- Akshay Udawat (M. Sc. Chemistry Semester I)-Best Performer Award (Drama)
- Himani and Kratika (M.Sc. Zoology Semester I) -Runners-up (Face Painting)
- Arjun Singh Jodha-Runners-up (Debate Competition)



NGO Activity: Pahal

With an objective to contribute in a small yet significant way towards the betterment of the society and inculcate similar sense of sensitivity and responsibility in the students, the college in collaboration with NGO Praveen Lata Sansthan organized an activity on 13th November 2016-

'Pahal': An initiative to Educate, Empower and Develop' for the underprivileged girls of the society. The activity featured art and craft skill building session followed by a lecture and interaction with the girls from the disadvantaged communities.

The Department of Zoology and Environmental Science conducted a one

day trip cum workshop on 17th November 2016 for M.Sc. students on "Natural Environment and Biodiversity Conservation" at Nahargarh Biological Park. The Biological Park has been established with the objective of conserving endangered and threatened flora and



Educational Trip to Nahargarh

fauna and motivating people to support the cause of wildlife conservation. Through this visit, the students got the opportunity to explore some exotic animals known to inhabit the biological park and learnt about animals' behavior, nature, ecology, biodiversity and adaptations. It was one of a kind experience for the students.

A Plantation programme was also organized in the month of September by the Department of Botany in college premises. Shri. R. C. Jain, Convener, Subodh College was the chief guest of the programme and the event witnessed plantation initiatives in a considerable number by the students. In another educational visit, the students of B.Sc. and M.Sc. (Department of Botany) visited Hindu Spiritual and Service Fair. They also took deep interest in the science exhibition, organized there.

To correlate the external environment with the classroom studies, a visit to Kulish Smriti Van was also organized for the undergraduate and postgraduate students of the Department of Botany to help them explore and gain a better understanding of medicinal plants and of plants belonging to other families, prescribed in their course as well.

Speak your 'Self'

Dr. Suprithy Paliwal Department of Psychology

Students studying for exams have lots of material to remember and one can do many things to improve memory and mental performance by using Mnemonics, the strategies for improved remembrance

Visual image -To remember a word or a name associate it with a visual image.

Tell a story - To remember words make a story using the words that have to be remembered.

Sentence Making - Make a sentence by using the first letter of each word that has to be remembered.

Rhyming - Various facts and figures can be remembered by rhyming.

Chunking - Break a long list of numbers or any other type of information into smaller pieces or chunks.

Method of loci - Loci means "places". With this method each word to be learnt is imagined to be located in a particular place.

Organization of Lecture Notes

"Less is More" is perhaps the best advice for taking lecture notes that aid in recall.

Making use of these memoryenhancing techniques can improve one's ability to learn new information and retain it over time. (In case of any query or counseling assistance, please mail to suprithipaliwal@gmail.com) A Concept Test in Chemistry (Contech-16) at national level was organized in the month of September by the Association of Chemistry Teachers (ACT) along with the Department of Chemistry of the college for the under graduate students of Science to inculcate the vital features of chemistry. About 250 students participated in the examination.

College life is said to be the best time of a youngster's life when they await meeting new people in an environment which is not just open and free but also full of enthusiasm for seniors as well as the juniors

"Fresher's Fiesta" was organized by the Department of Computer Science and a Fresher's Party "Abhinandan" was also organized for BBA students. It provided opportunities to students to showcase their talents, creative skills and hone their capabilities to organize and manage both academic and cultural activities with a synergetic approach.





Fresher's Party for BBA students

Fresher's Fiesta for Computer Science

A fresher's party Pallavan was also organized by the Faculty of Arts,



Freshers Party for Science students

Commerce and Science amidst excitement to perform, excel as well as enjoy the event. Having a large student strength, the programme was planned and organized in two days, one day for the Faculty of Science and second day for the Faculty of Arts & Commerce.

Various spell bounding cultural activities including dances, songs on Retro theme, Rap on Desh bhakti, Mimicries, Poems and message

oriented skits entertained the audience. The students were also awarded with various titles befitting their personal and academic achievements like Mr. & Miss Personality, Mr. & Miss Talentetc.



Freshers Party for Arts & Commerce students

यह हमारा कॉलेज है

Dr. Anju Bala Department of Sociology

यह हमारा कॉलेज है, यह हमारा कॉलेज है, सभी सुलभ साधनों का, यह अति सुंदर संगम है, यह हमारा कॉलेज है। हर गांव हर शहर को जोड़ा इसने शिक्षा से, आधुनिक शिक्षा में सबको आगे कर दिया है इसने, हर तबके का मेधदूत ये, सेवारत सबका हर दम, यह हमारा कॉलेज है, यह हमारा कॉलेज है। उच्चकोटि की शिक्षा का आज बना यह सुंदर संगम है, यह हमारा कॉलेज है, यह हमारा कॉलेज है, बीता युग गौरवमय इसका, आने वाला कल भी उज्जवल, सबसे अव्वल सबसे आगे, सदा रहेगा इसमें दम, यह हमारा कॉलेज है, यह हमारा कॉलेज है। गजब असीमित फैला इस का देश में सदृढ़ सेवा जाल, पूर्ण कर रहा आज, ये अपने लक्ष्य और उद्देश्य, यह हमारा कॉलेज है, यह हमारा कॉलेज है।

'English' as a Friend

Dr. Divya WaliaDepartment of English

Born and brought up in a Hindi speaking nation, How come English became my close companion, As the learning began, I got introduced to ABC, The beautiful alphabets appealed to my fantasy, Found them at first difficult to comprehend, But didn't feel like withdrawing my hand. As I moved up the learning ladder. Was surprised to be welcomed by world of grammar, Rules of direct- indirect and active passive, For my tiny grasp were many and massive, Verb Tenses made me scared and tense, Their functions and usage were immense, But soon this world became friendly, When I tried its ways positively and confidently, Every topic and aspect seemed appealing, Even the punctuation, vocabulary and spelling, Am glad to have found a friend in a language, Which helps me grow and achieve extra edge, Let Hindi be your mother tongue and the most desired ornament,

But do let your linguistic capabilities extend, Embrace English as another buddy and partner, To enter the global world and furbish your future.

Creative Hues

Yeh Dil Maange More.....

Dr. Anu MalhotraDepartment of Chemistry

On September 29, 2016, we woke up to the news of surgical strikes. Most of us felt a sense of triumph-the killing of 17 soldiers in Uri has been avenged. As the daughter of an Army Officer, I have seen army life from close quarters. Some politicians questioned the authenticity of the strikes and demanded proof. I request them to ask this question to the mother who lost her only son or to the mother who sent her two daughters to school for their exam on the day her soldier husband's body was to be received, because he would have wanted so. The courage and fortitude of these women are amazing. Inspite of their personal tragedy and grief, they resolve to send their children to the army to serve the nation.

Over the years we have seen many attacks happen-The Kargil War in which our land was occupied by their army. It gave us exemplary idols that went as mere men, came back as heroes-in coffins. It all started with the third degree torture of Capt. Sourabh Kalia and his team whose mutilated bodies were sent back to India and to this day justice has not been granted. Capt Vikram Batra, Maj. Manoj Pandey, Lt. Vijayant Thapar, to name a few, laid down their lives in the war. Lt. Vijayant's father, Col. Thapar, climbed 16000 ft to the place his son fought his last battle to honour his last wish. He did this annual pilgrimage for 10 years.

Then came the attack on the Parliament, 26/11 Mumbai blasts, Pathankot air base attack and now the Uri strikes. Hemant Karkare, Sandeep Unnikrishnan, Gursewak Singh, Lt. Col. Niranjan were the heroes of these attacks. The supreme sacrifice of these martyrs is being belittled by certain people who want cultural exchanges between the countries. If their artists are supporting their country, every Indian must steadfastly support India. Inaugurating Shaurya Samarak, a war memorial dedicated to the Indian soldiers in Bhopal on 14th Oct, 2016, PM Narendra Modi said -"In some countries whenever people see jawans at airports or railway stations, they stand up and applaud; we should also adopt this."

The soldier risking his life at LOC must know that the entire country is standing solidly with him.

As the epitaph at Kohima war memorial in Nagaland says

When you go home, tell them of us and say,

For your tomorrow, we gave our today