



Vivekananda College

(University of Delhi)

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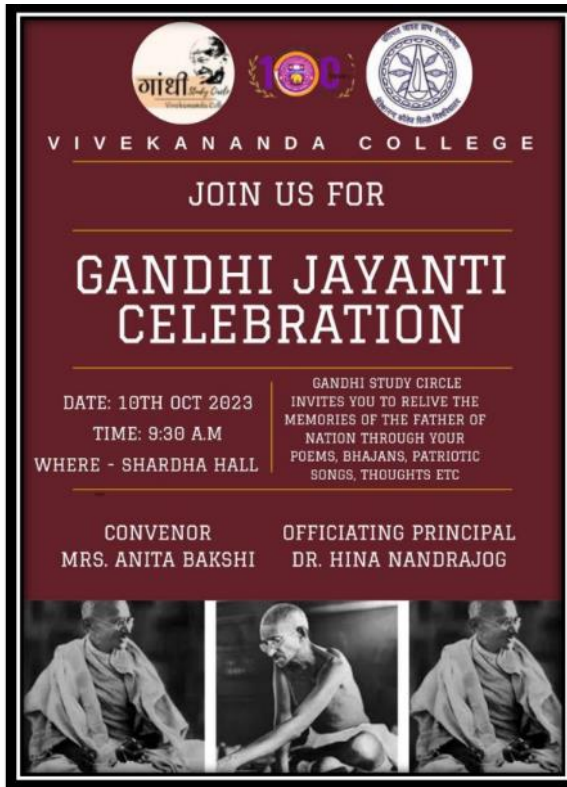
7.1.9 - Sensitization of students and employees of the Institution to the constitutional obligations: values, rights, duties and responsibilities of citizens

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1. Encouraging students to embrace Gandhian values

1a The Gandhi Study Circle: Through activities like celebrating **Gandhi Jayanti** (on 10th October, 2023) and commemorating **Martyr’s Day** (30th January, 2024), Gandhi Study Circle encourages students to recognize their duties as responsible citizens, fostering tolerance and national unity. Reliving the memories of the Father of the nation through poems, bhajans, patriotic songs, thoughts etc. Also, Martyr’s Day was commemorated on 30th January, 2024 in Sharda hall

of the college through a Reading Session. The program aimed to honour the indomitable spirit and value of those who fought for justice and liberty.



The poster is for a Gandhi Jayanti celebration at Vivekananda College. It features logos for 'Gandhi Jayanti', '100', and the college's emblem. The text reads: 'VIVEKANANDA COLLEGE JOIN US FOR GANDHI JAYANTI CELEBRATION'. It provides the date (10th Oct 2023), time (9:30 A.M.), and location (Shardha Hall). It also lists the convenor (Mrs. Anita Bakshi) and officiating principal (Dr. Hina Nandrajog). At the bottom, there are three black and white photographs of Mahatma Gandhi.

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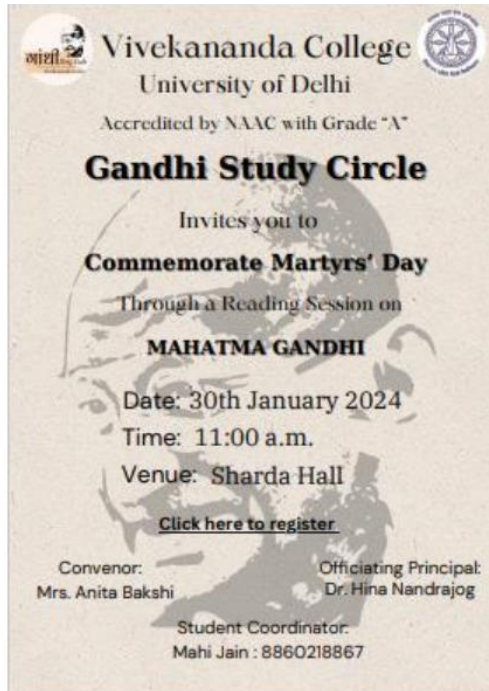
GANDHI JAYANTI CELEBRATION

DATE: 10TH OCT 2023
TIME: 9:30 A.M
WHERE - SHARDHA HALL

GANDHI STUDY CIRCLE INVITES YOU TO RELIVE THE MEMORIES OF THE FATHER OF NATION THROUGH YOUR POEMS, BHAJANS, PATRIOTIC SONGS, THOUGHTS ETC

CONVENOR: MRS. ANITA BAKSHI
OFFICIATING PRINCIPAL: DR. HINA NANDRAJOG





1b. **The Creative Writing Club of Vivekananda College**, Ehsaas organised a creative writing Competition “**Remembering Mahatma**” on 12 October 2023, Thursday at 12:15 PM in Room No. 21 to commemorate Gandhi Jayanti. The competition was open to all students of Vivekananda College across disciplines. Registration was done at the competition venue from 12:00 PM onwards. Students choose to compose their work either in English, Hindi or Sanskrit. All works were judged on the basis of originality, imaginative expression and linguistic expression. Students were given two topics on the spot and allotted 1 hour to complete and submit their work. While composing their creative works students were asked to adhere to the theme of Gandhian ideas and their relevance. 8 students participated in the competition. Rupalee Verma, Associate Professor in Department of History, Vivekananda College was the judge for the event. Priya Jain was the student coordinator for the event. Arunabha Bose was the Teacher Coordinator for the event. All participants and winners were given certificates in recognition of their work.

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एहसास
The Creative Writing Society
presents

**CREATIVE WRITING
COMPETITION**

Topic: Remembering Mahatma

Date: 12 October 2023
Time: 12:15 PM
Venue: Room 21

REGISTRATION ON THE SPOT

Teacher Coordinator: Mr. Arunabha Bose
Patron: Dr. Hina Nandrajog
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2. "Meri Maati, Mera Desh" encouraging values of patriotism

The nationwide campaign "Meri Maati Mera Desh," launched on August 9, 2023, pays tribute to the brave 'Veers' who sacrificed their lives for the nation. This initiative serves as the concluding chapter of the 'Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav,' which began on March 12, 2021.

2a. NSS organized the event "**Meri Maati, Mera Desh**" which was held on 22nd August 2023 and again on 7 OCTOBER, 2023 at Vivekananda College. It encourages the values of patriotism. The event aimed to honor the country's heritage and instill a sense of patriotism among participants. It included various activities celebrating India's culture and values.

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Under
Meri Mati Mera Desh

मेरी माटी मेरा देश

We are here to celebrate
INDIA'S LAND AND BRAVERY

NSS PROGRAMME OFFICER: DR. SUBHASHREE BOSE
OFFICIATING PRINCIPAL: DR. HINA NANDRAJOG

Also Representing you the
essence of
Vivekananda College
and
Welcomes you to the
Orientation Programme

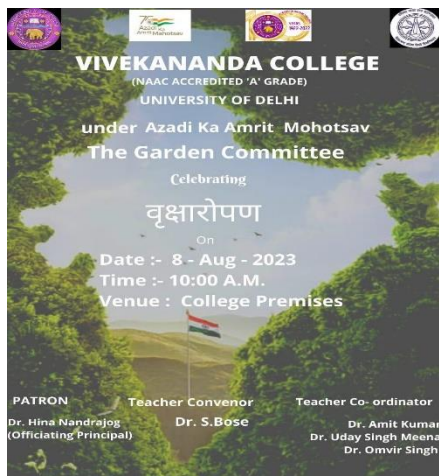
22 AUGUST 2023
9:30 A.M.
OPEN STAGE VNC

"IT'S TIME TO LET OUR HAIR DOWN AND HAVE SOME FUN, JOIN US, WE PROMISE IT'LL BE EVERYONE!"

FOR ANY QUERY CONTACT: YENNE 807697595, KAJAL 8468050226



2b. With the vibe of “**Meri Maati Mera Desh**”, the **Garden committee** of the college organized a Vriksharopan in the College premises on 08/08/2023, at 10:00 am. Preservation of Mother Nature by planting more trees and having a lush green garden to absorb all worries and to have a variety of flora and fauna to make the campus life more interesting, every year the garden committee organizes this plantation drive. Around 50 planters were planted in various areas of the college. Teachers, Librarian, Administrative Staff, gardeners enthusiastically participated in the event. Mr. S.K. Babbar, Dy. Director, Ministry of Youth Affairs also joined the event.



2c. **INFORMATICA**, the IT Society of the college, in collaboration with the Department of Computer Science, organized a **Digital Poster Making Competition** on the theme "**Meri Maati Mera Desh**," a government initiative to remember and honor martyrs on Independence Day. The competition was held on 22nd August 2023 at Lab No. 30, with participants registering from 19th August 2023 to 22nd August 2023. The event was designed to encourage creativity while reflecting on the significance of the theme, promoting patriotism and respect for martyrs who sacrificed their lives for the nation.



❖ **First Position:**

- Vanshikha Negi
- 1st year
- B. Com Hons.





2d. Kasturi Deewar Patrika experienced its twelve years of journey as a challenge every moment. Kasturi is trying to give the platform to students for creative writing through this wall magazine. Students also work as editors, directors, and decorators. Also take advantage of different experiences. Workshops, competitions and statements from time to time. Efforts are also made to refine their interest and art by organizing In this era of mechanization, when even books are available online, then Kasturi is determined to preserve the fragrance of words through tireless efforts. This year, for the first time in Kasturi Deewar magazine' **Meri Maati Mera Desh'** **themed compositions were installed**, and also the students honored their teachers on the occasion of **Teacher's Day**. Also presented compositions. Thereafter, the January issue was based on painting and poetry. The decor of the magazine was special. In mid-March, Kasturi published its next issue.

3. Addressing the social stigma and discrimination faced by human trafficking survivors

Convocare celebrated the event, "The Wall of Change," which aligns with the constitutional values of dignity, equality, and justice, by addressing the social stigma and discrimination faced by human trafficking survivors. Through collaboration with ILFAT (Integrated Leaders Forum Against Trafficking), the event emphasized the importance of supporting marginalized individuals and upholding their rights to freedom and respect. By replacing the "Wall of Shame" with a "Wall of Change," the initiative highlighted the constitutional commitment to fostering an inclusive society that offers opportunities for recovery and empowerment.

4. Environmental protection and sustainability

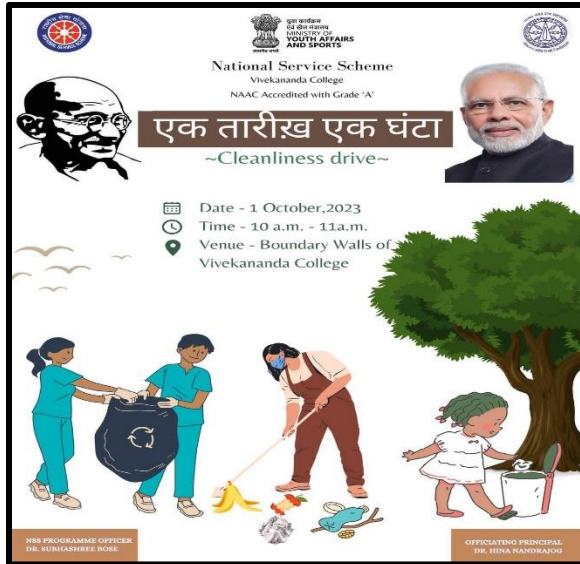
4a. NSS organized the "**Sapling Plantation**" event which was held on 5th September 2023 at Vivekananda College from 9 AM to 10 AM, and focused on environmental sustainability and the constitutional value of environmental protection. This initiative aligns with the constitutional directive for citizens to safeguard and improve the natural environment. By planting saplings, the event also aimed to instill the values of ecological responsibility and promote a sustainable future.



4b. The "**Pledge on Cleanliness**" event by NSS took place on 15th September 2023 at Sharda Hall, Vivekananda College, from 11 AM to 11:15 AM. The event aimed to raise awareness about the importance of cleanliness and hygiene, aligning with the constitutional values as outlined in Article 51A(g) of the Indian Constitution, which emphasizes the duty of every citizen to protect and improve the environment. This initiative contributed to fostering civic responsibility and the collective commitment to maintaining cleanliness in our surroundings.



4c. The event "**Ek Tarikh Ek Ghanta**" organized by NSS was held on 1st October 2023, from 10:00 AM to 11:00 AM, at the college campus. This Swachhta Pakhwada is a part of the "Swachhta Hi Seva" campaign. Under this initiative, Prime Minister Modi has appealed to citizens to dedicate one hour of shramdaan (voluntary labor) for the cleanliness of the nation. It aimed to raise awareness about Cleanliness, with participants dedicating an hour to contribute towards this initiative. The event gathered a positive response, with students engaging actively to make a meaningful impact during the one-hour session. Reflects the responsibility to protect the environment, as enshrined in the Directive Principles of State Policy (Article 48A), which calls for the protection and improvement of the environment.

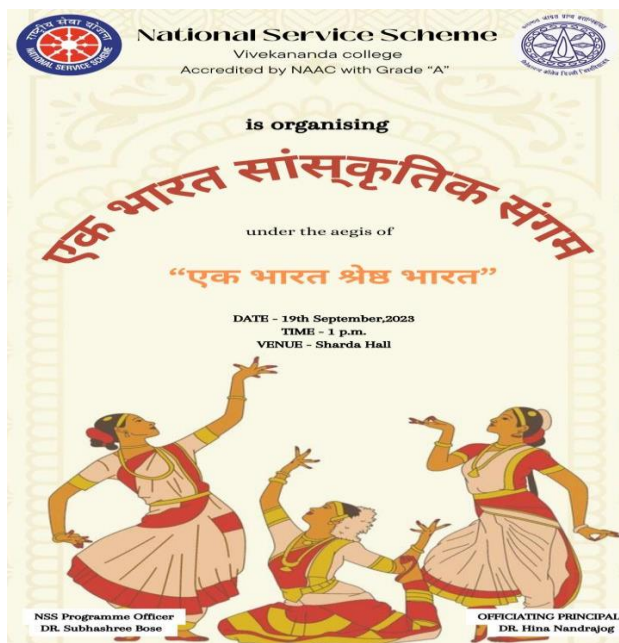


4d. The "India Environmentalist Masterclass" organized by the **Environmental Foundation of India** was held on 8th December 2023 at the NDMC Convention Centre from 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM. A total of 23 NSS volunteers attended the event, where they learned about the adverse effects on the environment and the importance of individual actions in **preventing environmental degradation**. The masterclass provided valuable insights into the role each person can play in safeguarding the environment. It also highlighted **sustainability**, promoting the preservation of natural resources for future generations, which aligns with the values of **duty** and **justice**.



5. National Unity

5a. The "Ek Bharat Shrestha Bharat" event organized by NSS took place on 19th September 2023 at Sharda Hall, from 1 PM to 3 PM. This event aimed to promote national integration and unity, celebrating the cultural diversity of India while strengthening the bonds of brotherhood among citizens. It aligned with the constitutional values of fraternity, fostering a sense of unity and integrity among the diverse communities of the nation.



5b. The event "**Pledge on Constitution Day**" was held on 26th November, 2023 organized by NSS at Vivekananda College from 11:00 AM to 11:15 AM. With 16 volunteers, the event aimed to raise awareness about the significance of the Constitution and its values. Volunteers took part in a pledge to uphold the principles of the Constitution, reinforcing their commitment to the democratic ideals and responsibilities it enshrines.



5c. On 19th January 2024, NSS volunteers participated in a pledge ceremony focused on the theme of "**Quality Bharat**," emphasizing the importance of quality in the progress and development of our nation. The volunteers pledged to contribute towards building a prosperous, sustainable, and equitable India, fostering a sense of collective responsibility towards nation-building. This initiative aimed to instill values of excellence and integrity among the youth, encouraging them to work towards improving the quality of life and society as a whole.



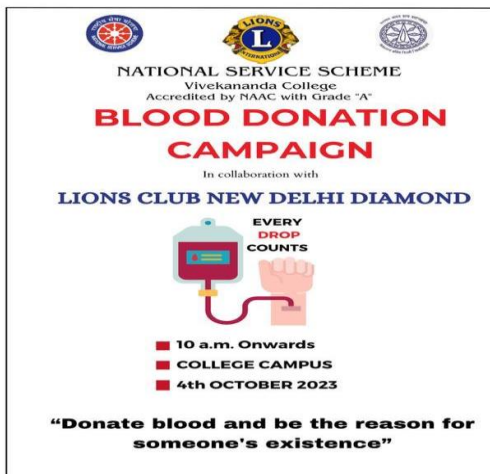
5d. An Intra-College Speech Competition was organized by the **Department of Political Science** under the aegis of POLITIX (the departmental society) on 29th November 2023 in Room No. G4 at 11 a.m. The theme of the competition was "**The Preamble as a Guiding Light for Nation Building**". Around 30 students participated in the event, which was judged by Dr. Muskaan and Dr. Sunita. The following students secured the top positions:

- 1st Position: Shakshi Patel
- 2nd Position: Snejeevani Kumari



6. Social Responsibility

6a. On **4th October 2023**, NSS hosted a **Blood Donation Camp** from **10 AM to 4 PM** in collaboration with Lion blood diamond, Delhi. The event aimed to engage students and the community in a meaningful activity that promoted awareness and social responsibility. The venue was filled with enthusiasm as participants contributed to the event's success through their active involvement. A Blood Donation Camp reflects constitutional values like humanity and compassion, as citizens come together to help save lives.



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6b. The **Donation Drive** organized by NSS together with North East Cell between **6TH – 9TH** November 2023 for Sikkim and Manipur flood victims reflects key constitutional values such as compassion, solidarity, and social responsibility. By organizing this drive, the initiative upholds

the right to help and support fellow citizens during times of crisis, demonstrating empathy and national unity.



6c. The "Divya Utsav" event, organized over 2 days (8:00 AM – 7:00 PM), saw 58 NSS volunteers assisting disabled individuals who set up stalls. In collaboration with NSS Maitreyi College, the event was hosted in partnership with the office of the State Commissioner for Persons with Disabilities, showcasing innovation and inclusivity. Volunteers contributed to the success of this event, helping create an accessible and supportive environment for all participants.



6d. On 5th January 2024, NSS volunteers participated in a **Road Safety Awareness Camp** in collaboration with Delhi Traffic Police at Baba Kharak Singh Mark and Road Safety Week was also celebrated between 11TH – 17TH JANUARY 2024. These activities aimed to educate the public about the importance of road safety, adherence to traffic rules, and the role of each individual in preventing accidents. Volunteers actively engaged in distributing pamphlets, guiding pedestrians, and creating awareness about safe road practices to ensure a safer environment for everyone. The event emphasized the constitutional values of **responsibility** and **duty** towards ensuring the safety and well-being of oneself and others.



6e. The **No Drug Abuse and No Smoking Cell** at Vivekananda College organized a Poster Making Competition on the theme "**Don't Let Drugs Steal Your Dreams**" on 23rd April 2024 in Room

G-3. The event aimed to raise awareness about the harmful effects of drug addiction and its consequences on students' academic and personal lives. Students participated enthusiastically, and Ms. Chandni, a 3rd-year B.A. (Hons.) Hindi student, won first prize, while Ms. Vandana secured second. The event was coordinated by Dr. Vishakha Jain and guided by Professor Salma Seth, along with other faculty members. It highlighted the importance of a drug-free life and supported constitutional values of health, well-being, and education.

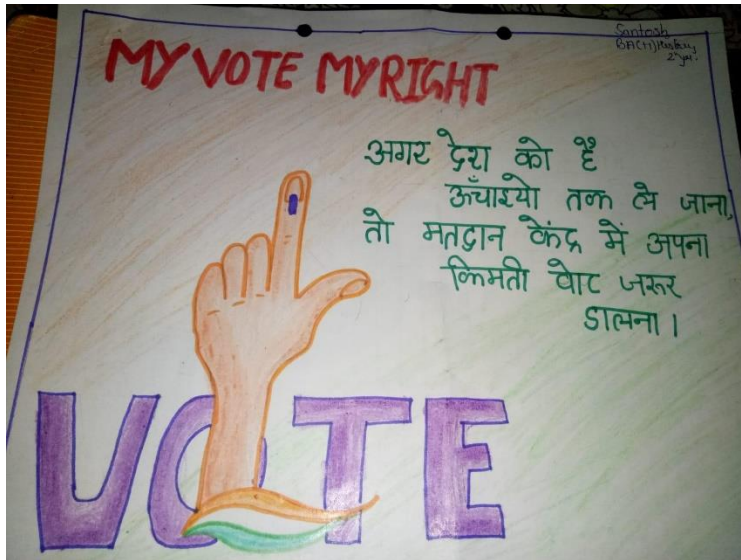


7. Voter awareness

7a. On 25th January 2024, NSS volunteers participated in the **National Voter's Day** celebration at the District Election Office, East Delhi. They performed a cultural dance to promote voter awareness and the importance of active participation in the democratic process. Their performance was highly appreciated, and they were honored with the **Best Performer** award for their outstanding contribution to the event, which further strengthened their commitment to social responsibility.



7b. An online **Intra-College Slogan Writing Competition** was organized by the **Department of Political Science** on 15th February 2024 to celebrate **National Voter's Day**. The theme for the competition was "**MY VOTE MY RIGHT**," and it was conducted under the aegis of POLITIX (the departmental society). The students participated by submitting their slogans online through the link provided. Ms. Santosh, a BA (H) History student, secured the first position in the competition. The event was coordinated by Dr. Gargi Sengupta (TIC), Dr. Muskaan, Dr. Sunita, and Dr. Anjana Kumari.



7c. Under the initiative of Government of India a series of activities such as pledge, slogan writing, audio visual screening were organized by **Department of Political Science** along with other departments between 1st -14th March 2024 on the theme "**Mera Pahela Vote Desh K Liye**". All these activities were organized to spread awareness related the significance of Voting among students. Students enthusiastically participated in all the activities. Faculty Members:- Dr. Gargi Sengupta (TIC/Faculty Co-ordinator), Dr. Anjana Kumari, Dr. Muskaan, Dr. Sunita, Ms. Shambhavi, Ms. Anjali, Ms. Rekha, Mr. Keshav



8. Educational Tour for promoting patriotism

The **Department of Political Science** organised a parliament visit on the birth Anniversary of Dr. B R Ambedkar on 14th September (2023). 50 students of Political Science Hons along with three faculty members Dr. Muskaan (Teacher Coordinator) Dr. Sunita and Mr. Jaspertap Singh got a chance to visit the temple of Indian Democracy '**The Parliament of India**'. After the day-long visit, the students got a chance to interact with Honorable Loksabha speaker Sh. Om Birla ji. Students were so happy. Students created life long memories with the dignitaries by taking group photographs. Sh. Om Birla ji also share the group photographs on his Twitter account. For this

event the transport facility was provided by the college.

