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EDITORIAL

Hello COEP,

Odd semesters are much like a treat to us after vacations and make us realize that we had been missing our reminiscing college days. Managing clubs, fests, events, etc. is truly overwhelming. But more-so is, realizing that you are a part of a legacy of this institution called COEP. We, at Abhijaat, endeavour to record the chronicles of COEP and make them immortal. Here we are, sailing into our 12th edition of storytelling of COEP and like every year, we have spanned the news in COEP by our coverage.

It's been nothing but pleasure and a matter of sheer pride to work as the Editor in Chief of Abhijaat. As the journalists of COEP, we consider ourselves as a body responsible to create a healthy environment for reading and writing amongst fellow COEPians. As a realization of this responsibility, we feel that the viewpoint towards articulation and expression should transcend beyond the cocoon of "So-Called-Classy-Writers" reading each other's articles of some fest, and encourage the common COEPian to convey his ideas and experiences through a less-jargon-oriented yet effective writing.

As the Editor-in-chief, I also wish to make Abhijaat an instrumental device in providing a greater scope of exposure to the readers, who are primarily students, and make Abhijaat a window to the horizons of interdisciplinary approach and the diverse fields of science and engineering in which our alumni are deeply penetrated.

In pursuit of these goals, Abhijaat will be launching a website wherein Editorials, Internship experiences at prestigious institutions and Alumni's guidance will be some of the inclusions. To get you accustomed to such a flavor of reporting, this hard copy has incorporated articles from our seniors, who have interned at NTU and even Barcelona. Not just this, we are privileged to have our alumni share their experiences, Ishan Mahabal, presently a student at IIM Ahmedabad and legendary, Mr. Ashok Sohoni sir, redtd IAS officer. Also, we'll be having ample amount of articles from our alumni like Sanjay Dhande sir, former IIT Kanpur Director. Efforts have been made to escalate the EXPOSURE at COEP and hope you all enjoy the hard copy and find it worthy enough.

-HIMANSHU SHUKLA

WHAT REALLY COUNTS?

I recently came across a research, a one of a kind at that, that tried to measure what is it that makes people happy. This longitudinal study, which has been lead by several team leaders, continues to be the longest study ever conducted; known as the Grant study, it's almost 80 years old! Currently headed by Robert Waldinger, it has found that what really, truly makes us happy is not our status, wealth, power or property, it is the relationships and the quality of these relationships that really counts. They found that good relationships keep us healthy- both physically and mentally. The three important findings from this Harvard study are

1. Social relationships (family, friends, community) are good for us- they keep us happier, physically healthier and facilitate longevity of life
2. This depends on not just the type but largely on the quality of that relationship
3. Relationships protect our brain- they make sure our brain functions positively

You can read more about this on:-

<https://news.harvard.edu/gazette/story/2017/04/over-nearly-80-years-harvard-study-has-been-showing-how-to-live-a-healthy-and-happy-life/> this link.

When I read about this, I was highly intrigued- I always had felt that relationships are indeed important but never thought that this phenomena would be studied on such a large scale and would continue to give consistent results- for 80 years!!! It is sometimes amazing that a simple piece of information can actually elevate our moods and motivate us to continue what we are doing.

But all this sounds good and obvious and yet we, being the cynics that we are, find it hard to accept and apply such factual information in our lives. Some may say, "so what if they proved that, isn't that obvious?" Yes it sure is, but isn't it sad and ironical that to prove a point so obvious they had to literally spend 80 years? So, why is that? I guess it is because we are living in an age where life is fast, focus in career and freedom are the keywords, any information sought is just a click away, convenience wins over tradition in maintaining relationships and despite this we all, at some point in time, feel desperately lonely. There is beauty in it and also a curse. While we sit and read things like these, we sometimes fail to realize the whole purpose of reading it. Why do you read anything on the internet or elsewhere? For information, right? And what do we do with that information? A big nothing! The curse is that with all this information easily available, we get so engrossed in gathering information that we completely ignore the fact that its application of an idea that makes things work; the brilliance lies in execution more than the magic of the thought. And what about knowledge? This information would be of use only we can apply it and gain something of our own, which then can be called as knowledge!

And that, my dear reader, is what truly counts. This mere information that relationships are necessary is not enough. I must benefit from it and invest in people more than in money/wealth/power/status. So, each time you read a piece of information and get intrigued by it, look around and find someone who might need it, or who would enjoy it. Because when you do that, you are activating that sharing part in your brain. That's where you are strengthening this simple bond and probably converting it into a beautiful friendship that's much more than a relationship. So let us try and use this piece of information for investing in people. For it is people who would ensure that your efforts of investing in a relationship were not in vain and that there is some permanence in life. Everything else, otherwise, is permanently temporary.

-Dr. KSHIPRA MOGHE
FACULTY ADVISOR

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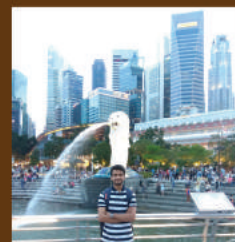
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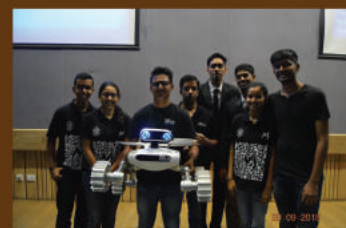
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TedX COEP – Simon Sinek, Pranav Mistry, Amy Cuddy, these are the names you might have heard of! If you haven't then "Oh Boy, you are really missing a lot in life!" Don't worry, TEDx COEP was there to make you acquaint with such similar enterprising personalities. TedX COEP did what they promised by conducting a series of life-changing speeches in this prestigious oratory affair. Hats Off to the entire TEDx COEP team.



THE MUN THAT MATTERS

Discussions, deliberations, debates and diplomacy. COEP witnessed all these on the 8th and 9th of December 2018. The COEP Debate and Quiz Club successfully organized the 8th Edition of Model United Nations (MUN) conference. MUN is an education simulation or a replica of United Nations in which students assume the role of UN representatives to discuss and debate and learn about various international issues, in addition to critical thinking, teamwork and leadership.

COEP MUN'18 was a 2 day event which commenced with the inauguration ceremony in the Main auditorium. It was attended by Dr. B. B. Ahuja, Director. Dr. S. L. Patil, Dean Student Affairs, Dr S.P. Kawishwar, Faculty Advisor, COEP Debate and Quiz club, Mansi Chavan (Secretary, COEP Debate and Quiz club), Mr. Abhinav Anand (Secretary, COEP MUN 2018). The Secretary General declared the conference open and guided the participants about the course of action of the 2 day event.

The conference saw the participation of over 300 delegates from various schools and colleges across the country. There were four college committees with their respective agendas

1. UN Security Council (UNSC) : To discuss peace building and peacekeeping efforts in the Middle East.
2. G20 : Regulations of cryptocurrencies
3. UN Women (UNW) : General equality in line with 2030 agenda
4. European Union (EU) : European Immigration crisis

In addition to this the highlights were 2 school committees with the following agendas

1. DISEC : Prevention of militarization of outer space
2. UN Human Rights Council (UNHRC) : Protection of women and children in war zones

All the delegates including school children displayed excellent intellect and diplomacy, the ideas beamed making an ambient aura of knowledge. The committees were chaired by eminent Executive Board (EB) who added to the glory of the conference. They had a tough time deciding the winners. The activities of the committees were divided into three sessions. Participants were given a lunch break and high tea break. The hospitality of the MUN organising committee was remarkable and was appreciated overall. Happenings of the entire conference were covered by the participants of International Press (IP).

MUN'18 neared its conclusion at the closing ceremony in the Main auditorium. Dignitaries on the dias felicitated the Executive Board. The EB's announced the prizes for Best delegate, High Commendation, Special Mention for their committees. This was followed by vote of thanks by Aditya Khandelwal (Overall Head, COEP MUN 2018). The MUN organising committee members were awarded Certificate of Appreciation. Secretary General, Mr. Abhinav Anand, declared the conference closed.

COEP MUN 2018 was a collective effort of all the MUN Organising committee members. It was entirely handled by students who worked tirelessly to pull off this inspiring event. We congratulate them for their efforts and wish them good luck for the future endeavors. We hope to see next COEP MUN on a much bigger and grander level.

-Neelam Nikam

Underdogs, no more!

National Organisation for Students of Planning (NOSPlan) is an organisation of students involved in the field of 'Planning'. The organisation is comprised of 27 colleges, institutes, universities all over the country. The NOSPlan Annual Convention is organized at the end of each year, this year the event was hosted by NIRMA University, Ahmedabad on 25th, 26th & 27th of December. The event provides a platform for the students to interact with the member institutes which helps to facilitate the exchange of ideas and intellect through plethora of theme based competitions. The theme for this year's NOSPlan was 'Reflection of the City - Pratibimb' accentuating the point of how a Planner emblazons the image of the city by utilizing the city spaces, economics, heritage and socio-cultural norms.

The convention comprised of two sets of events :

Formal Events : In this category a total of 7 competitions were held, particularly based on the theoretical understanding of Planning curriculum. The main focus was to test the knowledge of the students in the planning domain and also to judge the problem solving abilities of the students revolving over city level complications. In this section COEP bagged second prize in the event named 'Current Practises', third prize in 'Objectional Imitation', fourth runner up in 'Debate' and third in 'Art Graffiti'.

Informal Events : In this category a total of 9 competitions took place which focused on the extra-curricular side of students. In this section COEP won second prize in 'Dance' competition and were the winners of the '7A side futsal' (Football).

More importantly, COEP bagged the overall Third Prize which takes into account the aggregate score of each event held. This is the first time in NOSPlan Conventions' history that COEP has notched up a spot in top three of this nationwide competition. A big credit for this feat not only goes to the participants hardwork but also to the managing heads of the event : Ninad Deshpande, Unit Coordinator ; Himanshu Shukla, Unit Treasurer ; Srirang Sohoni, Associate Editor who coordinated the whole event meticulously. Also a special mention to B.Tech Planning students Akash Jha, who is the President of NOSPlan Board and Piyush Girgaonkar, Joint Secretary of NOSPlan Board which also showcase COEP's reach in the organisation.

'Planning' being a multi diverse course, the importance of Nosplan lies in the academic experience benefited by the participants. The diverse approaches, strategies and ideas discussed in the events to tackle planning problems provides a unique opportunity for participants to assimilate these ideas which help them to gain a holistic view of the city dynamics. The third prize in the overall category shows the efficacy of the solutions put forth by the students. We as team Abhijaat heartily congratulate the participants for their achievements and wish them luck for their coming editions.

-Ninad Parab





Firodiya Karandak – If there's any distinguished world in COEP then it's the Library! I am sorry, above the library! Firodiya Karandak is an inter-collegiate Maharashtra level play competition wherein the doyens of our beloved Audi showcase their niche and compel you to jump, laugh, cry and contemplate, all at once.

Impressions'18 : A Blockbuster Hit

Impressions 2018, COEP's much awaited cultural fest witnessed yet another successful edition from 13th to 15th December, 2018. The much anticipated theme for this year '70 MM Lifesize', proved to be a great platform for artists from not only Maharashtra but also the entire country and established a strong aura of art and culture, with the campus also reflecting the same vibes.

The first day commenced with the inauguration ceremony with the famous actor Sumeet Raghavan as the Chief guest. The presence of Director sir, Mr. B.B. Ahuja and other faculty members was empowering. Further, 'Streetforward' a hip hop street dance competition was conducted which had 13.13Crew, the famous dance team as the judges. The dance arena was filled with great gusto from both participants and the audience. 'Natyavachan' a script reading contest was also held under the dramatics module. Many talented contestants gave life to their inner artists through some beautiful monologues. Many music enthusiasts also participated in competitions like 'Saavni' and 'stay tuned'. Performing for a live audience provided these artists with brilliant exposure. The various instruments played by them was mesmerizing and literally music to the ears.

'Comiking' was another event which had the well known content creator 'Sarang Sathaye' as the judge. The main building was filled with people eager to experience stand up comedy first hand, creating a very relaxing and light hearted atmosphere. The major highlight of the day was 'Battle of DJs' and 'Campus princess'. Campus princess was an event organized under the banner of Miss India organization and FBB, which proved to be a very prestigious platform with Gayatri Bharadwaj, Miss India United Continents winner as the judge.

The second day also started with high energy and enthusiasm. A Bollywood dancing event 'Rangeela' was held with Mayuresh Wadkar, the famous choreographer and reality TV star as the judge. Another competition 'Tri-art-lon' was held under the arts and crafts module. 'High current' was a band competition which was a total favourite among the audience. The music arena came alive with the songs performed by the contestants during 'Saavni' a singing competition. The fest was also graced with the presence of the famous actress Anuja

Sathye who was the judge for 'Limelight' a theatre event. The day concluded with the a beautiful evening session on Urdu literature and Sufi music 'directed by 'Om Bhutkar'. This was highly appreciated by the audience and let them energize and unwind with the calm melody of ghazals, qawalis and shayaris.

The final day of the cultural extravaganza...So many competitions in their final stages. The intriguing 'Wrap-in-Scrap' event relied on the teamwork and resourcefulness as one of the participants was to make a costume and wrap it around the other. The 'So-duet' event consisted of solo and duet dance performances with students enthraling the audience and judges alike with thier moves. Next up we had the 'Box-office' event wherein the participants had to create their own short movies and present it to the judges who decided the winners. 'Saavni' was a musical event which turned out to be a battle of vocals of short and mesmerized the audience. Then we had the showcase of some of the best impromptu poems written by the participants in the poetry event 'Kaavya'. Last but not the least was 'Artiskit' event which aimed at finding the knack for acting among the participants as they were asked to come prepared with a skit and perform. The Valedictory ceremony was graced by the well known Indian Television, stage and film actor Mr. Vikram Gokhle who gave away the prizes to the winners of respective events. The three day event culminated with a mind-blowing concert by one of the most versatile singers of India-K.K. The whole crowd could not help but groove to the back-to-back melodies.

All in all, Impressions 2018 was an assortment of many memorable and breathtaking events keeping the audience on their toes and left them waiting for next edition with bated breath.

Everything related to Impressions 2018 was perfect and top notch. The beautifully decorated campus, the excellent management and the glorious vibe, everything was impeccable! All the credit goes to the hardworking and unyielding team of Impressions 2018, who kept on working despite all odds and made this wonderful fest happen. One artist for many other artists....

-Divya Darade and Shikhar Bhatt



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Zest Takes No Rest

The inaugural ceremony of Zest turned out to be opening a box full of surprises. Right in the outset, was a jaw-dropping dance performance led by Akshay Mane, a protean alumnus of COEP. Based on an up-tempo song, it gave a perfect start to the inaugural ceremony of an endeavour like Zest. The Main Auditorium was overwhelmed with curious freshers, and excited sophies, as well as Faculty Members, Gymkhana Staff, the Director, and, the respected dignitaries on the dais. In a fluent speech, the Director re-emphasised on the exceptional effects sports can bring in many aspects of our lives. Following his speech, was another surprise: The chief guests! Hailing from the remote pockets of rustic India and having fought against all odds, Tejaswini Sawant and Lalita Babar are accomplished world champions in shooting and long distance running. The valuable learnings they mustered in their lives along with some of their most exciting anecdotes were put across to the audience through an interactive session. Then came the time to unveil the most awaited surprise of the evening. The theme of Zest'19. In allegiance to the theme "Fan the Fire" of Zest'18, the essence of this year's theme was said to be powered by its logo. It sets out to annihilate the denigrating misconceptions attached with Paralympic sports that belittle the courage and victory of the sportsmen with disabilities. The segment that followed saw illustrative presentations by the core team and portfolio heads of Zest'19, elucidating the work profiles and responsibilities of the various portfolios of the festival. Towards the end, all the secretaries and event heads were felicitated. As one of the most energetic event on campus, COEPians eagerly look forward to the zealous days of Zest!

-Srirang Sohoni



Pune Start-Up Fest – E-Cell housed in our wonderful BHAU's building, have marked their inception with the revamped version of their fest called as Pune Start-Up Fest'19. In partnership with Start-Up India and PMC, it's all set to welcome the young entrepreneurs and encourage them to prosper their dreams. They also did the impossible possible by having Rahul Subramanian with us. Be ready for an exemplary story to know in and out about the start-ups industry and everything about the Pune Start-Up fest.

E-Cell Inaugurates with all the "JOSH"

The start of anything must be splendid and so was the Entrepreneurship cell (E-cell) inauguration, which was held on 21st August 2018. The mini-auditorium was packed with students, some of which would become the leaders of the business world of tomorrow.

To bolster the entrepreneurship spirit within us all and spread it across the college, the inauguration had dignitaries namely, Rahul Bansal, Kunal Sarpal, Mayur Ahuja and Akash Bhaltadak. Rahul Bansal, 2005 alumni of the college shared some inspiring words and talked about his way to success with rtCamp after many failures including one that made him cash-strapped. Kunal Sarpal, CEO of White Collar LLP, gave an insight into the intellectual property rights and showed other unnoticed sectors for entrepreneurship. Mayur Ahuja, the founder of Kit Genie, a company that makes shirts for college fests, provided the students with the pathway for achieving success. Akash Bhaltadak shared his experience in regards with working at BHAU institute till now. E-cell also showed a glimpse of one of the most successful events of our college, E-fest, a platform to showcase talent, out-of-the-box thinking and a startup expo to allow exchange of knowledge and experience.

Another event organized by BHAU E-cell was Josh Talks, which took place on 7th of September 2018. This incorporated a lecture series of various imminent speakers as well as a digital marketing workshop. The speakers present were Ashish Dalia, Nakul Agrawal and Agreeema.

Ashish Dalia encouraged the students to explore the offbeat career option of digital marketing, which is really promising but is still neglected. Despite being an Engineer himself, he chose this emerging field and shared his topsy-turvy journey to success. He advocated a start-up culture and encouraged to take up startup internships. He ended his lecture by motivating the students to not get disheartened by rejections and failures. Nakul Agrawal delivered a short speech trying to convey the message of social entrepreneurship, asking the students to do something for the society. This was followed by the workshop by Agreeema, mainly focusing on Facebook's digital marketing strategy. The teaching process started from scratch to give the students a glimpse of the bigger picture.

Josh talks successfully fulfilled the E-cell's motto and is continuing to show us the various branches of marketing and entrepreneurship.

We hope that many get inspired by these talks to become bosses of their own business and become a known face in the business world.

-Shabbir Khandwala



I2I Inauguration, Innovative to Indelible.

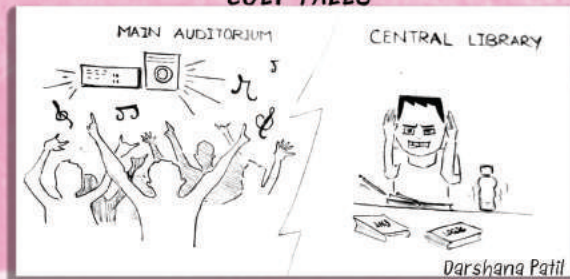
The inauguration ceremony of the I2I program took place on 27th September 2018, marking its grand opening. The occasion was graced by the presence of Dr. Anil Sahasrabudhe, the current AICTE Chairman and our former Director, along with Anil Gupta from EATON, India, our beloved Prof. Sanjay Inamdar and the Director, Dr. B. B. Ahuja.

The inauguration put forth the idea of the I2I competition and their vision to promote social entrepreneurship. The ceremony had many highlights, a special mention to the start of the "mother basket" fund, an initiative by Inamdar Sir, in the memory of his mother, which aims to finance the education of the needy and was concluded by the speech of Dr. Anil Sahasrabudhe. Sir spoke on a topic whose answer we all crave; 'As an engineering student, how do I become successful?' The answer given by him really helped us broaden our minds and showed us the roadmap that lead to nothing but, success.

Everyone wants to become an entrepreneur; however it's difficult to come across one who is a social entrepreneur, someone who innovates and earns profits as well as benefits the society. Bill Drayton has rightly said "Social entrepreneurs are not content just to give a fish or teach how to fish. They will not rest until they have revolutionized the fishing industry."

-Shabbir Khandwala

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Officers Cannot be Manufactured: MPSC TOPPER

COEP has had a long legacy of producing Civil Servants. As many as 16 COEPians cleared the prestigious UPSC Civil Services Examination in 2016, while 13 alumni cleared the Examination in 2017. To encourage students and to guide aspirants through the tough journey to Civil Services, a Civil Services Aspirants Club was formed in 2017.

The club held its inaugural lecture for this academic year on 24th of October. The speaker for the lecture was Mr. Rohitkumar Rajput, a COEP alumnus who stood 1st in the MPSC Civil Services Examination of 2017. He had cleared the exam three times on the trot. In 2015, he earned a modest rank of 104. In 2016, he improved his position to 83. It was this year when he took the giant stride to become 'Numero Uno'.

The function began with lighting the lamp and Saraswati Poojan. Dr. P.R. Dhamangaokar, Vice President, Gymkhana felicitated and congratulated Rajput.

Rajput was very frank in the way he spoke and interacted with the students. He emphasised on the fact that 'Rank is just a number and it is important to entrust the responsibility given to you'. The 2014 Computer Engineering batch pass-out explained the changing demands of the examination. He mentioned that only the most adaptable of the candidates would clear the exam in accordance with Darwin's theory of evolution. He also said that because of UPSC's dynamic nature, coaching classes are unsuccessful at 'manufacturing officers' and it's only self study and smart work which leads to glory. After a small speech, Rajput made the session interactive and the lecture turned into a Question and Answer session between the audience and the speaker. When asked that what made him choose Civil Services, Rajput answered using the saying: "If you love your work, then you don't work even for a single day". He once again said that Service for the nation inspired him towards his goal.

All in all, it was an enriching session for the audience and everyone took inspiration from Rajput's story which is a testament to the saying: 'The more you sweat in peace, the less you bleed in war'.

-Siddhesh Yeole



Abhiyanta (College's Annual Magazine) – It's the Biggest Daddy of COEP. Abhiyanta, our college's annual magazine is undoubtedly the most treasured and the oldest club of College. This is only due to its rich legacy and literary content which makes it by far the most outstanding highlight of the year. From Humans-of-COEP to the FIFA World Cup. From superlative book recommendations to best poetries, it's a perfect assortment for all your literary appetite. Catch the 104th Edition of the magazine at the end of the semester simply because you'll connect to yourself more than you imagined.

VELOCIRACERS Race it big !!!

Get set go ... and the vroom of COEP VELOCIRACERS echoed all over Lovely Professional University, Jalandhar! The platform was the 9th Edition of SAENIS (Society of Automotive Engineering North India Section) EFFICYCLE 2018, which is a National level hybrid vehicle competition, organised for 5 days from 9th and 13th of October 2018.

Our team Velociracers built an efficient and aesthetic hybrid vehicle that gained both attention and appreciation at the competition. Sailing through rigorous rounds of technical inspection, static events and dynamic events, team Velociracers proved their mettle in every technical aspect. The dynamic event also had an endurance run of 1.5 hrs. They played it very accurately and precisely. COEP Velociracers have made everyone proud by winning the following prizes

1. Overall 2nd runner up : cash prize worth INR 50000
2. Best Design - 1st : cash prize -INR 20000
3. Marketing and Presentation - 1st : Cash prize - -INR 20000
4. Build up quality - 1st Runner up : Cash prize- -INR 10000

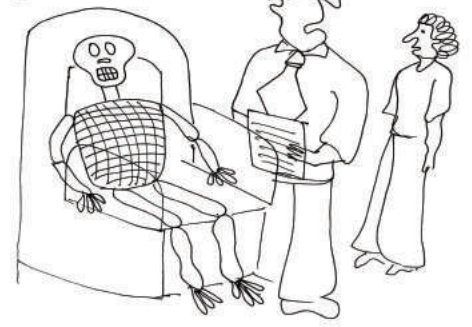
We heartily congratulate and acknowledge the efforts and dedication of all the 21 members in the team, which comprised of students from SY, TY and BTECH of all branches. The team was led well by their captain Sanket Bendre (B.Tech. Mechanical) and was guided by Faculty Advisor Dhamangaonkar sir. COEP is pleased to have such young, talented and hardworking minds being groomed on its ground. We wish them best of luck for their future endeavours and hope this motivates everyone to work hard and perform with more enthusiasm. Hope they break their own records and bring more such accolades and glory to the college.

-Neelam Nikam

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Waiting For Hostel Doctor Be Like -

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Manas Joshi

"चला विज्ञानाची कास धरूया!!"

विज्ञानाची कास धरू इच्छिणाऱ्या विद्यार्थ्यांसाठी महाविद्यालयात स्थापन करण्यात आलेला क्लब म्हणजे Science Club! जेथे जिज्ञासा विज्ञानाला आव्हान देते आणि विज्ञान जिज्ञासेस प्रोत्साहित करते, अशा Science Club चा उद्घाटन सोहळा ६ सप्टेंबर रोजी उत्साहात पार पडला.

सोहळ्याचे प्रमुख पाहुणे म्हणून IUCAA, पुणे येथील तज्ज्ञ प्राध्यापक मा. तरुण घोष यांना आमंत्रित करण्यात आले होते. राष्ट्रीय तसेच आंतरराष्ट्रीय पातळीवर मुलभूत भौतिकशास्त्रामध्ये नानाविध प्रकारचे पुरस्कार मिळवलेले प्रा. घोष यांनी येथे 'विश्वाच्या निर्मितीपासूनच्या गुरुत्वाकर्षण लहरीचा शोध' या विषयावर व्याख्यान देत विद्यार्थ्यांना ज्ञानाची दालने खुली केली. नुकताच शोध लागलेल्या खगोलशास्त्रीय वस्तूपासूनच्या गुरुत्वाकर्षण लहरीबद्दलदेखील त्यांनी प्रतिपादन केले.

प्रमुख पाहुण्यांनी यानंतर विद्यार्थ्यांच्या विज्ञानविषयक अनेक तर्हच्या शंकांचे निरसन केले. यातून विद्यार्थ्यांमधील वैज्ञानिक तत्परतेत वाढ होण्यास नक्कीच चालना मिळेल. सदर कार्यक्रमात महाविद्यालयाचे विद्यार्थी उपक्रम अधिष्ठाता डॉ. एस.एल. पाटील सर आणि क्लबचे प्राध्यापक सल्लागार डॉ. पाटील सर यांनीदेखील मुलांना मार्गदर्शन केले. Science Club मार्फत या शैक्षणिक वर्षी अशाच प्रकारच्या ज्ञानवर्धक उपक्रमांचे आयोजन केले जाईल, अशी ग्वाही क्लबचा सचिव आँकार भालके याने दिली. अशा प्रकारे क्लबचा उद्घाटन सोहळा विद्यार्थ्यांच्या उत्स्फूर्त प्रतिसादात पार पडला.

- संदेश शिंदे



Society of Women Engineers: COEP Hosts Open Python Workshop

Society of Women Engineers (SWE) at College of Engineering Pune hosted a day-long hands on workshop on Python on 28th of October 2018. The workshop was conducted in collaboration with the Indian PyLadies' founder Anwesha Das, a member of the Python Software Foundation (PSF) and an active tech lawyer consulting in IPR related with FOSS and the Python community. Her partner, Kushal Das, Director at PSF and core developer with the TOR project, was a trainer at the workshop as well. The workshop was conducted for 50 participants of COEP and comprehensively covered the basics of the most versatile & user friendly programming language, Python. As developers of Python, the instructors taught exclusively on versions of Python3, giving an outline of what a programming language is and covered everything from indentation, good coding practices to data structures in Python. The shell and Linux based compilers were utilized to run sample codes on many data types. The workshop was an undoubted success and

introduced all branches of engineering to coding in Python. Additionally, there were doubts and tangents raised on tech and coding practices. AI and IoT projects using Python and extra resources were also shared with the attendees to help them grow within the language and acquaint themselves with the theory & the libraries of Python. The workshop comprised of a curated batch of students from all branches and years of study at COEP. Multiple attendees from the final years of study admitted to their requirement to learning Python as an application and tool, and that the workshop covered the basics of programming that a student needs for projects of their own. The session was so powerful & useful in teaching the skill of Python that an open-to-all PyLadies meetup for the same is to be conducted at COEP in collaboration with SWE:COEP in the near future.

-Suradha Iyer



VIDESHI INTERN! FOREIGN RETURN!

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COEP's Stunner at Barcelona

The memory of the day I attended the seminar on 'International Internships' in September of my second year is still fresh in my head. I was late for it and had to stand in a corner because the seminar hall was packed by the time I had reached. Indrayani Kadu and Shreeraj Joshi, who were both from my department were sharing their experiences and I was overwhelmed by just the thought of pulling it off one day. I grabbed my international internship almost 2 years later, but the journey began that day.

I was aware that my profile wasn't good enough then to be thinking of a foreign internship in the coming summer. But I also knew that I had to start somewhere. Within a week of that seminar, I drafted my first resume. Not my best work but it was good enough to hit the ground running. I put together a spreadsheet with my target researchers and institutions in the country and started sending out customized mails to each one of them on that sheet. With some sustained efforts throughout the next few months and maybe a pinch of luck, I had myself a research internship at NCL (National Chemical Laboratory) that summer. Now, I had a decent internship and a better CGPA on my profile along with a couple of extracurricular activities. Also, because I had gone through the whole exercise a year ago, I knew well what I had to do.

Mine was a research internship so I was in the R&D department of the company which was a few kilometres from Barcelona city. I was given a room in what's called a "Student Residence" in one of the best neighbourhoods in the city and almost all the amenities one could think of - from a basketball court to a sauna next to the gym. The public transport, although not cheap was so good that I never felt that having my own vehicle would have been better. Food was never a problem and never missed a chance of trying anything new. The living costs are steep in not only Spain but all of Europe. But I didn't have to worry about that. The rent was taken care of by the company and so was the air travel. On top of that, I was paid generously, of which I spent extravagantly without much guilt because I was spending my own earned money for the first time. I took many solo trips in and around Spain which was a bliss due to the Schengen Visa.

At work, I shared a room with four other interns (all elder to me and most pursuing their post graduate degree) in the department. The Spanish are warm and jolly folks. No one made me feel like I was just a temporary intern and soon I was invited to all the office parties and sports events. I had been given my research project topic as soon as my visa application had gotten accepted so that I could use the heads-up to start my study. So, when I reached there, I was already plugged into the topic and I could start with the experimental work within a week. The topic of my research was - 'Effect of process variables on porosity and structure properties of PM sintered steels'. I worked with a Chinese lady (a PhD holder) there who was my immediate senior on this project. The work took a lot more of my time and effort than I had anticipated, and I found myself taking work home in the final few weeks of my stay. Nonetheless, I thoroughly enjoyed the work even though I had to compromise on my weekend getaways. I wrote a research paper with the same title and will be presenting it in an international conference this month where I shall meet my fellow colleagues from Barcelona again.

-Rigved Sardey

NTU Too!!

I don't know how helpful this article is going to be, but since many had asked and I have been benefited from similar guidance from my seniors, here it goes...

I interned at Nanyang Technological University, Singapore in Summer 2018. It all started with a seminar back in 2017 which was organized by our seniors who had interned abroad. One thing I realized in that seminar was that CGPA alone doesn't determine whether you will land up with a foreign internship or not. I wasn't one of the toppers with 9+ CG in my branch, but I had few good projects done in my domain of interest. Those projects and previous internship at Siemens proved to be the key in my selection.

Two months at NTU were the best days of my life. Being at one of the best tourist destinations in the world for two months allowed me to explore the country far and wide - from splendid natural beauty, awesome beaches to the best man made monuments and amusement parks!

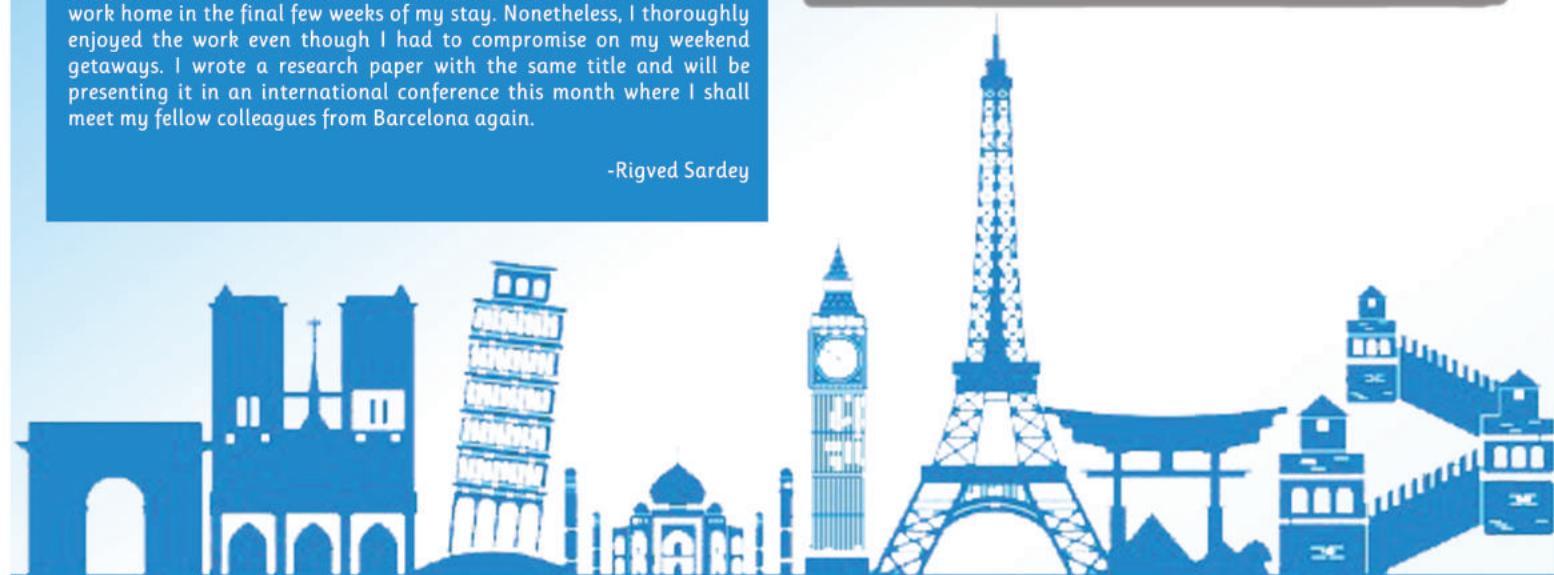
The application process is a tedious task - finding potential professors and guides, submitting tons of documents and other official work, getting doors slammed in face, being patient and positive throughout the process...but it is worth considering the opportunities that open up after the internship, the experience and exposure that one gets after working in a competitive and enriching environment.

"Where there is a will and there is smart work to support the will, create a good will and yes - a way will always appear even in the darkest of hours."

All the best!

-Omkar Prabhune

COEP TALES





● Life at IIM Ahmedabad ●

IIM Ahmedabad – The Dream B-School for thousands of MBA aspirants in India! I couldn't believe it myself; standing at the Old Campus gate in June last year; that I was about to start one of the most memorable journeys of my life here. I was going to be part of the five decades long legacy that is IIM-A!

Entering IIM-A as a fresher engineer from COEP, I had my own vision of how my life was going to turn out here. I had read about the academic rigor in practice here, as well as the unique Case study pedagogy followed as a result of being mentored by the Harvard Business School. As the first term progressed, I realized that this place is not just about studying management; that is a given, considering the rigor of the Harvard case studies and surprise quizzes that keep you on your toes. It is much more than that – learning from top-notch faculty that guide you, amaze you with their depth and breadth of knowledge, and the sheer brilliance of your classmates and the plethora of ideas that everyone contributes. There are a ton of life lessons to be learnt here as well. You learn to manage time well and to interact with bright folks from around the country. You learn to visualize the big picture, while focusing on the intricate details of business.

Most of my time here is spent in the lectures in the morning, surprise quizzes in the afternoon, some leisure activities like Badminton in the evening and study group discussions and submissions at night. IIM-A expects you to be well prepared with the next day's case studies; assignment deadlines are sacrosanct and the focus is on molding you into a complete professional. In a nutshell, life here is about academics, learning from peers and developing yourself into a well-networked and knowledgeable professional in the field of management. This place gives you much more than just management education, it transforms you...

-ISHAN MAHABAL
(Presently First Year PGDM student at IIM Ahmedabad)



● Meet the 1959's Legend aka Entertainment Secretary of COEP! ●

Visiting Nasik was a part of our academic exercise but the learning was much more consequential on the other dimension wherein I got the golden opportunity to meet Mr. Ashok Sohoni. Mr. Ashok Sohoni is 1959 batch alumnus who majored in Electrical Engineering. He then pursued the prestigious Civil Services and served in the Telecom Services Wing. Not only Civil Services, He aced each aspect of COEP too. In a nutshell, He is a legit Rockstar and that's true in literal sense too. (You'll understand this in a little while)

It all began with me getting flabbergasted with the sight of his residence and the reason was not only the aesthetics but the actual functionality of each facet of the Bungalow. Starting with the periphery of the house, it was characterized by the plantation of various plants, fruits and even vegetables. Best part is that being the only care-takers of this ingenious farm are the residents of Sohoni Niwas i.e. Mr. and Mrs. Sohoni. Chikoo, Peru, Cocunut, Tea-leaves, Lemons etc. and what not are the members of this modern Hamlet. This is just the genesis of the endless attributes of the personality of Mr. Sohoni. Vermi-composting, self-orchestrated furniture ideas, Solar panels setups, you name it, and there were innumerable exemplars to make it very evident that the Man was an engineer. Driven to re-engineer everything available at their disposal. I saw optimization techniques taking new shapes in front of me. I was amazed and inspired at the same time. "There are a couple of 'Projects' which are yet to be completed", he said while explaining these enterprising inventions. 'Projects' – he termed them as. Actually, studying the course of 'Project Formulation, Appraisal and Management' in the 6th semester, I devoured inordinate amount of curriculum that day in my new class.

Being a COEPian and a Civil servant, there are bound to be infinite anecdotes and thus, the present was mostly spent in the past only. Travelling from almost all the Talukas of Maharashtra, States of India to plenty of Nations of the globe, I too traversed through almost every place. Listening to how Algeria was? Why was it peculiar during the World War II? How Cruise rides in the Mediterranean Sea were? Why everyone in Delhi Office was learning languages so that they can travel? Why the design of Bridges should be on Pillars and not on the Earth-fills? Trust me, the extent and comprehensiveness of the discussion is inexpressible. This continued to the COEP memories of his friends forcing him to run for the post of Entertainment Secretary (designation of post then) as well as ensuring that he wins unanimously (They actually managed the opposing candidate to sit down). They then did the well-renowned play of P. L. Deshpande. And, showed the cultural prowess and edge over the entire performing arts landscape of the Pune City, COEP Cultural wasn't even born then.

I was delighted to witness his dynamic and ever-glowing personality and being able to quench his inquisitiveness to know more about the College. Being one of the oldest members of COEP alumni association, he visits the college every time he comes to Pune. A resident of C-Block feels ecstatic to see the building still standing tall. Retaining his niche, he still sings and plays harmonium. Unbelieving and most enthrusting part was that he still conducts small Mefhil-e-Shaam where there are a couple of his friends in the locality who come together and have a time of their lives.

From Reading novels and Playing Music to Gardening his farm and Travelling, He truly is still a 21-year old who everyday proves that Age is just a Number. Not only Abhijaat but the entire COEP community takes pride of such alumnus and surely would be reconnecting with them in the upcoming editions of Abhijaat.

-HIMANSHU SHUKLA



Aaryaraas 2018: a festive extravaganza

Aaryaraas, the only club of COEP completely supervised by girls alone conducted yet another successful 'Shardiya Navratri' this year as per tradition. Navratri is essentially a festival that portrays the unparalleled strength of a goddess, hence the fact that such a festival is organized by all girls really brings about a very powerful message. Shardiya Navratri 2018 was a lively affair, with everyone expressing a great deal of anticipation and excitement. The highlight of the event was the beautifully decorated ground along with the attractive lighting, creating a very pleasing aura. The panoramic view of the ground from the GHB terrace was breathtaking.

The event kicked off on 10th October in the evening with great enthusiasm. The common ritual of Durga puja was conducted following the energetic garba and dandiya celebration. Everyone seemed avid on dressing up in the traditional attire bringing about novelty. The colour for the first day was 'royal blue' and hence most of the people were dressed accordingly, creating a beautiful visual. The energy of the students was unmatched and one could easily sense a feeling of positivity and togetherness. Everybody danced to the beautiful garba music in a huge circle, following their own garba style. Everybody seemed careless and free and completely fused with the happy vibes. The entire ground was alive with the garba steps, the music, the lights and laughs. The al fresco garba session had a terrific impact on

everyone mentally as well as physically. Various prizes were also given to the best dressed and the most enthusiastic dancer for the day. The first day ended with the same energy as it had started with. Moreover, everyone seemed reluctant on leaving as they couldn't get enough even after dancing the entire evening.

The following days of the Shardiya Navratri started with the same zeal and witnessed students from various years coming together. Many people also attended everyday of the event, not missing even a single day. Despite the fact that students had their mid semester exams overlooking the event, the crowd count didn't reflect that. In fact the event proved to be a stress buster for everybody before the exams. The FYs also got a gist about how every festival is made grand in COEP. People who celebrate navratri at home felt like they didn't missed out on anything. They experienced home away from home. All in all, those few days of Shardiya Navratri helped everyone unwind.

In a nutshell, every inch of this event was a huge, happy celebration. The Aaryaraas team is to be appreciated for the efforts they have put in to make the event a big hit. Shardiya Navratri continues to be the most anticipated festival of the year, getting better each time!

-Divya Darade



"स्विकर्मकेचा स्वरप्रारंभ!"

स्विकर्मके भारतीय कला व शास्त्रीय संगीतासाठी कार्यरत असणारी व तरुणांमध्ये शास्त्रीय संगीत व संस्कृतीचा प्रसार करणारी संस्था आहे, तसेच स्विकर्मके सी.ओ.ई.पी. ही उपशाखा ह्याच हेतूने प्रतिवर्षी विविध कार्यक्रमांचे आयोजन करत असते.

शैक्षणिक वर्ष २०१८-१९ च्या उपक्रमांची सुरुवात दि.१३ ऑक्टोबर २०१८ ला सारंगीच्या मैफिलीने झाली. मैफिलीच्या यजमानपदी तरुण पिढीतील वादक व संगीतकार आणि सारंगी वादनातली १५ पिढी अशी ओळख असलेले उस्ताद साबीर खान हे होते. अभिमुखता वर्ग व सांगीतिक मैफिल असं स्वरूप असणाऱ्या कार्यक्रमाची सुरुवात स्विकर्मके मंडळाची माहिती देऊन झाली. त्यानंतर वादक परिचय झाला आणि सारंगी ह्या वाद्याविषयी माहिती देण्यात आली. प्रत्यक्ष मैफिलीची सुरुवात साबीरजींनी सुमधूर असा 'शिवरंजनी' राग वाजवून केली. दीर्घ वादनानंतर सिनेश्रुटीतील काही जुन्या - नव्या गाण्यांमधील शास्त्रीय संगीताची पार्श्वभूमी सांगण्यात आली. कार्यक्रमाती स्विकर्मके मंडळाची माजी अध्यक्षा सौ.दामिनी तेलंग हिने देखील एक बंदिश गायली. कलाकारांचा सत्कार करून मैफिलीची सांगता झाली.

उपस्थितांना मार्गदर्शन व सूत्रसंचालनाची जबाबदारी मंडळाचे अध्यक्ष श्रेयस पेठे ह्याने स्वीकारली. बहुसंख्य जण कार्यक्रमास उपस्थित होते व अनेक नवीन विद्यार्थी मंडळाशी जोडले गेले.

-पद्मेश कुलकर्णी

"नमन वीरतेला!"

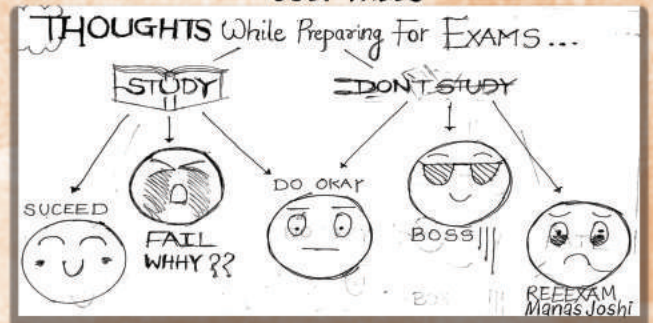
लोककला हे महाराष्ट्राचे वैभव आणि शाहिरी हा तर जणू त्याचा प्राण...! शिवशाही काळापासून आजतागायत शाहिरींनी वीररसाने भरलेल्या पोवाड्यांनी समाजप्रबोधनाबरोबरच क्रांतीचे स्फुल्लिंग चेतविले आहेत. "ने मजसी ने परत मातृभूमीला। सागरा प्राण तळमळला।।" अशा विविध काव्यांतून देशात स्वातंत्र्यासाठी स्वतःच्या प्राणाची पर्वा न करता अविरत झुंजणारे एक महान क्रांतिकारक व थोर साहित्यिक स्वातंत्र्यवीर सावरकर या महान देशभक्तास अभिवादन करण्यासाठी आणि त्यांच्या पराक्रमाचे, त्यागाचे व शौर्याचे गुणगान गाण्यासाठी आणि नवीन मराठी पिढीला आपल्या देदिप्यमान इतिहासाची ओळख करून देण्यासाठी 'सीओईपी हिस्टरी क्लब' द्वारे आयोजित "नमन वीरतेला" हा पोवाडा कार्यक्रम मुख्य प्रेक्षागृहात दिनांक २५ ऑक्टोबर २०१८ रोजी स्वा. सावरकरांची नात सुप्रसिद्ध महिला शाहीर विनता जोशी यांच्या खड्या आवाजात पार पडला.

पोवाडा कार्यक्रमाची सुरुवात विनता जोशी यांनी शिववंदनेनी केली. सावरकरांनी त्यांच्या युवक काळात लिहिलेले लहान मुलांना उत्साहित करणारे एक गोड गीतही त्यांनी सादर केले. त्यानंतर शिवशाहीर बाबासाहेब पुरंदरे यांच्या एका काव्याचे सादरीकरण मोठ्या दिमाखात पार पडले. महिला शाहीर विनता जोशी यांच्या पहाडी आवाजाला डफ, ढोलकी, तबला, आणि तुणतुणे ची साथ लाभल्याने खास मराठमोळे वातावरण निर्माण झाले होते.

कार्यक्रमास प्रा.सौ.मुनोत मंडम आणि प्रा. श्री.धामणगावकर सर यांची उपस्थिती लाभली होती. कार्यक्रमाची सांगता विनता जोशींनी सिंहगड या पोवाड्याने केली व सर्वथ सभागृह टाळ्यांच्या गजरात विलीन झाले.

-नितीन मोरे

COEP TALES





Gymkhana day - COEP is also often termed as College of Everything, Pune. The moniker holds true only because of the presence of varied vibrant clubs and festivals. You name it, COEP has got everything covered and never fails to bring the entire nation on their toes. To honour the men/women behind those prestigious glories and awesome times of college, GMC members are felicitated and followed by that is our ProShow of Firodiya Karandak. A must event for every fresher. Aspirations of Best outgoing student start from here itself.

पर्यावरणस्नेही बाप्पाचे विसर्जन!!

बुद्धीचा अधिष्ठाता आणि विघ्नांचा नियंत्रक मानल्या जाणार्या गणरायाला निरोप देण्याची वेळ म्हणजे गणेश विसर्जन! या जीवनोस्तवात प्रदूषणासारखे विघ्न येऊ नये म्हणून दरवर्षीप्रमाणे या वर्षीसुद्धा Techno-Social क्लब म्हणून ओळख असलेल्या स्पंदन क्लबद्वारे सिद्धेश्वर घाट येथे निर्मात्य संकलन आणि पर्यावरणस्नेही विसर्जनाचा उपक्रम राबविण्यात आला.

दिनांक २३ सप्टेंबर २०१८ रोजी संबंध पुणे शहरवासी त्यांच्या लाडक्या बाप्पाला निरोप घ्यायला सज्ज होते. सिद्धेश्वर घाट येथे स्पंदनच्या सुमारे ४० विद्यार्थ्यांनी उपक्रमाची सुरुवात सकाळी ११ वाजता मोठ्या उत्साहाने केली. उपक्रमाच्या मुख्य संयोजनाचे काम रक्षा झंवर या विद्यार्थ्यांनीने पार पाडले आणि सर्व विद्यार्थ्यांना प्रा.रांझेकर यांचे मार्गदर्शन लाभले.

विसर्जनासाठी पुणे महानगरपालिकेने गणेशभक्तांसाठी सिद्धेश्वर घाट येथे ४ कृत्रिम तलाव उपलब्ध करून दिले होते. "पर्यावरणस्नेही गणेशोत्सव या संकल्पनेच्या अंतर्गत सर्व गणेशभक्तांनी आपल्या गणेशमूर्तीचे विसर्जन कृत्रिम तलावात करावे", असे जनप्रबोधन स्पंदनच्या विद्यार्थ्यांनी केले. सोबतच निर्मात्य संकलन करून जलप्रदूषण टाळण्यास मदत केली.

या पूर्ण उपक्रमाचे एकूण फलित म्हणजे सुमारे ७०-८० गणेशमूर्तींचे विसर्जन कृत्रिम तलावात करण्यात आले आणि सीओईपी हॉस्टेलच्या तिन्हीही गणेशमूर्ती या कृत्रिम तलावात विसर्जन करून आपला आदर्श लोकांसमोर मांडला. अशा या स्तुत्य उपक्रमाची सांगता संध्याकाळी ६ वाजेच्या सुमारास झाली.

-नितीन मोरे

"महाविद्यालयीन निवडणुकांत प्रतीक व रिधिमा विजयी!!"

सीओईपीचा सर्वात औत्सुक्याचा क्षण म्हणजेच सालाबाद प्रमाणे होणार्या वार्षिक महाविद्यालयीन निवडणुका! दि.२८ ऑगस्ट २०१८ रोजी जिमखाना सचिव व स्नेहसंमेलन सचिव या पदासाठी महाविद्यालयात निवडणुका पार पडल्या. सकाळी ८:०० ते १२:०० ह्या वेळेत कुठल्याही गोंधळाविना मतदान पार पडले. विशेष म्हणजे यंदा मतदारसंख्या सुमारे १७५० इतकी उल्लेखनीय होती. यंदा महिला उमेदवार निवडताना नोटा चा लक्षणीय वापर करण्यात आला होता व तो निर्णायक देखील ठरला. स्नेहसंमेलन सचिव पदासाठीची लढत अत्यंत चुरशीची झाली. चुकीच्या पद्धतीनं मतदान यंत्राचे कळ दाबल्याने काही मतं अवैध ठरवली गेली. सायंकाळी ५:३० वाजता मुख्य प्रेक्षागृहात मत मोजणी अंती जिमखाना उपाध्यक्ष मा.धामणगावकर सर यांनी निकाल जाहीर केला व जिमखाना सचिव म्हणून प्रतीक फाळके व स्नेहसंमेलन सचिव म्हणून रिधिमा बुद्धिराजा यांना विजयी घोषित करण्यात आले. निवडणूक प्रक्रिया सुलभ पार पाडण्यात प्रा. एस.एस.ओहोळ व मतदान यंत्र बनवणार्या रोबोट स्टडी संकल चॅटीम यांचा मोठा वाटा होता. प्रतीक व रिधिमा यांचे हार्दिक अभिनंदन व अभिजात तर्फे पुढील वाटचालीस हार्दिक शुभेच्छा!!

-पद्मेश कुलकर्णी

"चला सीओईपी स्वच्छ करूया..!"

वैभवशाली परंपरा लाभलेल्या आपल्या महाविद्यालयात २ ऑक्टोबर रोजी गांधी जयंतीनिमित्त स्वच्छता मोहीम राबविण्यात आली होती. या मोहिमेचे वैशिष्ट्य म्हणजे मोठ्या संख्येने सहभागी झालेले विद्यार्थी! स्वच्छ भारत मोहिमेचा एक भाग म्हणून आणि गांधी जयंतीचे औचित्य साधून दरवर्षीप्रमाणेच याही वर्षी महाविद्यालयात सर्वत्र स्वच्छता अभियान पार पाडण्यात आले. सकाळी ७ वाजता महाविद्यालयाच्या मुख्य इमारतीसमोर सर्व विद्यार्थी, प्राध्यापक वृंद, इतर कर्मचारी जमले. यावेळी स्वच्छतेची शपथ देण्यात आली. त्यानंतर RMC व BMC चे सर्व सदस्य आणि स्पंदनच्या सदस्यांनी बोट क्लब वर एकत्रितपणे स्वच्छता केली. दरम्यान यासाठी लागणारी सर्व साधनसामग्री पुरविण्यात आली होती. या कामात बोट क्लबचे सर्व मामा सहभागी झाले होते. बोट क्लबचा परिसर आणि नदीच्या काठावरील सर्व कचरा उचलून महानगरपालिकेच्या कचरा व्यवस्थापन विभागाच्या स्वाधीन करण्यात आला. यावेळी अमृता देशपांडे मंडमदेखील उपस्थित होत्या. या मोहिमेनंतर सर्वांना अल्पोपहार देण्यात आला आणि स्वच्छ परिसर पाहून सगळ्यांनीच समाधान व्यक्त केले.

-प्रकाशकुमार बडे

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"वाचूया आनंदे!"

वाचाल तर वाचाल... डॉ. बाबासाहेब आंबेडकर यांचे हे बोल अगदीच समर्पक असे आहेत. माणसाला कोणत्याही क्षेत्रात प्रावीण्य मिळवायचं असेल, तर त्याविषयीचं वाचन मुबलक असावं लागतं. याचीच साद घालण्यासाठी सीओईपी अभियंता आणि सीओईपी वादविवाद मंडळ यांनी डॉ. ए.पी.जे. अब्दुल कलाम यांच्या ८७व्या जयंतीचे औचित्य साधून १५ ऑक्टोबर रोजी महाविद्यालयात मिनी ऑडिटोरियम मध्ये "वाचन प्रेरणा दिवस" आयोजित केला होता.

कार्यक्रमास प्रमुख पाहुणे म्हणून ख्यातनाम व्याख्याते, तसेच लेखक 'डॉ.अच्युत गोडबोले' यांची उपस्थिती लाभली होती. अर्थात, मनात, किमयागार, मुसाफिर, इत्यादी पुस्तकांचे ते प्रतिथयश लेखक होत. त्यांनी अर्थशास्त्र, मानसशास्त्र आदी क्षेत्रांमध्ये अष्टपैलू लेखन केले आहे. यावेळी त्यांनी विद्यार्थ्यांना वाचनासंबंधी उत्कृष्ट मार्गदर्शन केले. तसेच, त्यांनी देशविदेशातील स्वतःच्या अनेकविध अनुभवांचे कथन केले. यातून मुलांना वाचनासाठी चांगले मार्गदर्शन मिळाले.

याच वेळी दोन्ही क्लब्सद्वारे 'अक्षरनंदन' या लेखनस्पर्धेचे आयोजन करण्यात आले होते. यामध्ये स्पर्धकांना 'मला भावलेले कवी/लेखक/पुस्तक' या विषयावर मराठी, हिंदी किंवा इंग्रजी भाषेत लिखाण करायचे होते. दोन्ही क्लबच्या सदस्यांनी स्पर्धेचे आयोजन उत्तमरीत्या पार पाडले. बक्षिस म्हणून स्पर्धकांसाठी रोख रक्कम व प्रमाणपत्र ठेवण्यात आले होते.

सदर कार्यक्रमास प्रमुख पाहुण्यांबरोबर महाविद्यालयाचे जिमखाना उपाध्यक्ष धामणगावकर सर आणि दोन्ही क्लब्सचे सल्लागार प्राध्यापकदेखील उपस्थित होते. प्रमुख पाहुण्यांच्या व्याख्यानानंतर बक्षिस वितरण पार पडले. स्पर्धेच्या विजेत्यांना प्रमुख पाहुण्यांच्या हस्ते बक्षिस देऊन गौरवण्यात आले. त्यानंतर कार्यक्रमाची सांगता झाली. कार्यक्रम संपताना गोडबोले सरांना दाद देण्यासाठी झालेला टाळ्यांचा कडकडाट कार्यक्रमाचे यश संबोधण्यास पुरेसा होता...!

-संदेश शिंदे



02.10.2018

Gathering – Carnival, Gala, Fiesta, call it anything. It's just "Gathering for COEP". Though, it's spread across mainly 3 - 4 days, the DJ 'nights, Traditional Day, Inter-Division Cup, Inter-Branch Cup and what not, makes it an extended celebration of COEP. Trust me; these gathering nights become one of the sweetest memories of COEP.

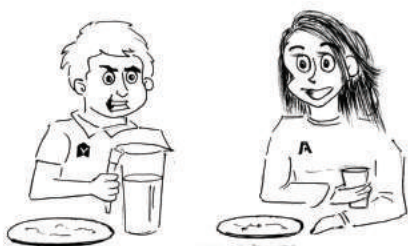
"Coep PLAY's tune on Mumbai's STREET!!"

We, as Team Abhijaat, heartily congratulate the StreetPlay Team for their feat and wish them luck for their upcoming competitions.

-Ninad Parab



COEP TALES
BOYS MESS



Darshana Patil

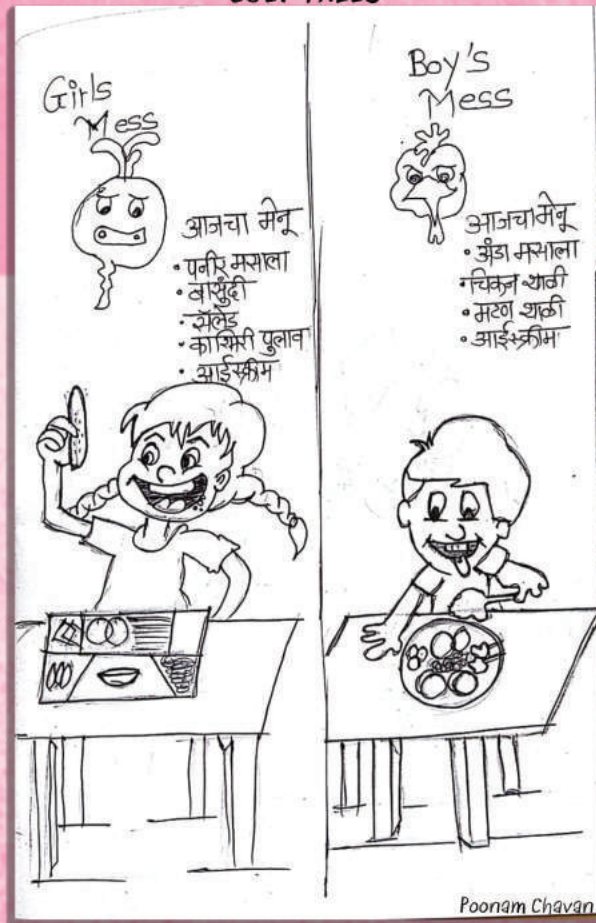
"युवकांचा प्राधान्यक्रम -वैयक्तिक महत्वाकांक्षा कि राष्ट्रहित?"

सध्याच्या काळात शासकीय सेवेत रुजू होण्यासाठी एम्पीएससी व युपीएससी परीक्षा देणार्या विद्यार्थ्यांचे प्रमाण बरेच वाढले आहे. परंतु सद्यस्थितीत पाहता राष्ट्रहिताची जाणीव ठेवून शासकीय सेवेचा मानस बाळगणार्या विद्यार्थ्यांची संख्या फार कमी आहे. म्हणूनच विद्यार्थ्यांनी केवळ वैयक्तिक महत्वाकांक्षा न बाळगता राष्ट्रहिताला प्राधान्य द्यायला हवे.

याच धर्तीवर २६ सप्टेंबर रोजी फिलोमिस्टिक क्लबचा उदघाटन सोहळा मिनी ऑडिटोरियममध्ये पार पडला. त्याच दिवशी क्लबतर्फे प्रसिद्ध लेखक, शिक्षणतज्ज्ञ, युनिक अँकॅडमीचे एमपीएससी विभागप्रमुख श्री. मनोहर भोळे यांचे व्याख्यान आयोजित केले होते. त्यांनी विद्यार्थ्यांना 'युवकांचा प्राधान्यक्रम -वैयक्तिक महत्त्वाकांक्षा किंवा राष्ट्रहित' या विषयावर संबोधन केले. त्यांनी शासकीय सेवेत रुजू होण्याचा मानस बाळगणाऱ्या विद्यार्थ्यांना राष्ट्रहिताचीदेखील जाणीव ठेवायला हवी असे सांगितले. तसेच त्यांनी विद्यार्थ्यांना स्पर्धा परिक्षांबद्दल मार्गदर्शन केले. सदर कार्यक्रमाला जिमखाना उपाध्यक्ष प्रा.धामणगावकर सर उपस्थित होते. आयोजित केलेल्या कार्यक्रमाला विद्यार्थ्यांचा उत्तम प्रतिसाद लाभला.

-निखिल सोनवणे

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Poonam Chavan

Charity begins at Home

While the different ways of celebrating Diwali this year had already filled our heads, COEP's very own social club , 'Spandan' has really made this Diwali worthwhile by organizing a 'Clothes and Stationery Donation Campaign'. Spandan in collaboration with an NGO , 'Athavan' from Eastern Maharashtra, took up the initiative of a clothes and stationery donation drive, which kick-started on the 28th October. 'Athavan' is an NGO that works for the upliftment of the people in the underdeveloped and adivasi areas by providing them with things of daily needs like clothes, stationery etc. Students always have clothes and stationeries that they don't use anymore. They accumulate many t-shirts from different clubs or events because of their sentimental value and after a few years stop using them. This drive was indeed a chance for them to donate and help the needy. The campaign was a massive hit .There were boxes kept at the hostel visitors room and in front of the Academic Complex. Besides this, a few of the club members were in charge of some hostel rooms where donations were made too. Hostel inmates flocked in huge numbers to give their contribution, so much that upto 8 cartons were filled with clothes and stationeries, as reported by a club member. The donations were handed over to the NGO members who would segregate them at the warehouses and then provide them to the beneficiaries.

This effort has set a good example of active charity and willing service towards our society. Kudos to team Spandan for another unique and successful campaign!

-Mayur Padmane



Regatta – Witness the richest legacy of the institute, Boat club's flagship event, Regatta will be featuring in its 91st edition. Should you miss one of the oldest festivals of the Asia? We don't think so! Kayaks, Sculls, Punts, Mashaal are all waiting to mesmerize you with their dazzling shows!!

"बोट क्लब तर्फे निर्माल्य संकलन!!"

सीओईपी चा ऐतिहासिक वारसा असलेल्या बोट क्लबच्या माध्यमातून सन २००६ पासून दरवर्षी बोट क्लब व्यवस्थापकीय समिती, जलमैत्री समन्वयक यांच्याकडून समाजसेवेच्या जाणिवेतून पर्यावरण रक्षणासाठी सार्वजनिक गणेशोत्सवात गणेश विसर्जनावेळी नदीत टाकण्यात येणारे निर्माल्य गोळा केले जाते.

सार्वजनिक गणेशोत्सवामध्ये प्रथेनुसार दीड, पाच व सात दिवसांनी आणि अनंत चतुर्दशीला गणेश विसर्जन केले जाते. बोट क्लबने मुळा मुठा नदीत टाकण्यात येणारे निर्माल्य रोखण्यासाठी उपक्रम आयोजित केला होता. निर्माल्य संकलन त्याच आठवड्यात सोमवार, बुधवार आणि रविवारी आयोजित केले गेले. बोट क्लबचा सचिव सचिन खेडकर यांनी दिलेल्या आकडेवारीनुसार यंदाच्या वर्षी गणेशोत्सवादरम्यान १०९८ किलो एवढे निर्माल्य गोळा करण्यात आले. गणेश विसर्जनापूर्वी लोकांकडून निर्माल्य बायोडिग्रेडेबल पिशव्यांमध्ये गोळा करण्यात आले. निर्माल्य संकलनासह, जलमैत्री समन्वयक सहर्ष आणि गणेश यांनी पर्यावरण पुरक गणेश विसर्जनासाठी गणेश मूर्ती घेऊन पुणे महानगरपालिकेच्या कृत्रिम तलावाकडे पाठविल्या आणि तेथे विसर्जन केले. यामुळे नदीचे प्रदूषण रोखण्यास मदत झाली.

बोट क्लबच्या सर्व सदस्यांकडून लोकांमध्ये नदी स्वच्छता, पर्यावरण संवर्धन यांबद्दल जागरूकता निर्माण करण्यात आली. बोट क्लबच्या सर्व सदस्यांनी स्वतःहून सहभाग नोंदवून विद्यार्थीदशेमध्ये असतानासुद्धा सामाजिकता कशी जपावी याचे उत्कृष्ट उदाहरण घालून दिले. सीओईपी बोट क्लब च्या जलमैत्री परिवारातर्फे दरवर्षी नदी स्वच्छता मोहीम, जलमैत्री वॉटर कॅम्प असे विविध सामाजिक व पर्यावरण पुरक उपक्रम राबवले जातात. अशा प्रकारच्या स्तुत्य उपक्रमांद्वारे खरोखरची जलमैत्री साधणार्या जलमैत्री व बोट क्लब परिवारास मनःपूर्वक शुभेच्छा!

-निखिल सोनवणे



Missing Regatta Already? Don't worry, there's Mini Regatta

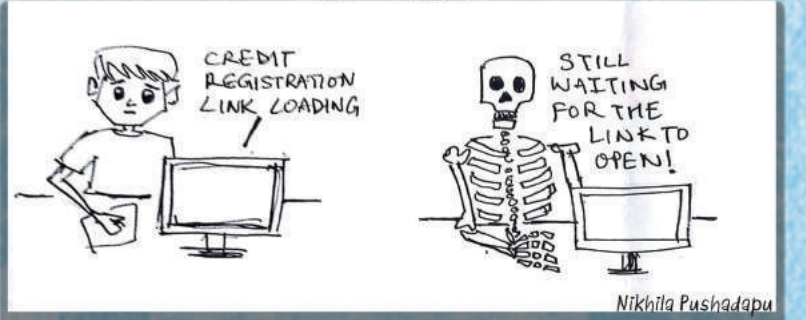
COEP is very fortunate to be one of the very few colleges in the country to have a boat club and most importantly to have its very own Regatta. The annual boat club festival, Regatta is held every year in the month of March and is one of the oldest college events in the country. To give the new students an insight to this grand event and to officially inaugurate the Boat Club for the year, a smaller version of Regatta, Mini Regatta was organized on 10th October 2018 to recreate the vibrant aura of the event.

The event started with a small Puja of the Mula river by Director Sir and the other faculties present, marking the initiation of the Boat Club. The show commenced with the passes, showcasing the various boats in the college. The first show of the day was Shell Games, a remarkable display of the elegant sport of rowing, exhibiting finesse with each stroke. The next show was Kayak Ballet, wherein, the participants showed great strength, determination and coordination required for the tough sport of kayaking, each time enthraling the audience with their moves. The last show for the evening was Telematches. The participants displayed enormous courage and showed that playing with fire is definitely not child's play, while also illuminating the evening sky with fireworks.

The later half of Mini Regatta continued at the Mini auditorium where all the Mamas of the boat club were facilitated for their continuous support and efforts. Next, all the members of the members of the Boat Club Management Committee (BMC) and Regatta Management Committee (RMC) for the year were introduced. Along with this, the Logo for 91st Regatta and the Promo video was also revealed to the audience. The new logo was greeted with great enthusiasm from the audience, as it is now the new face of Regatta. Later, the organizers for the five shows, Shell Games, Kayak Ballet, Punt Formation, Telematches and Mashaal Dance spoke about their respective events, giving the students an idea about each event. The ceremony ended with providing all the participants and members of the audience with refreshments. Now that Mini Regatta has revived the memories of Regatta, we just can't wait for this extravaganza next semester!

-Namrata Kala

COEP TALES



"अतुलनीय साहसाचा धैर्यशील खेळ! 'एशियन गेम्स' आणि 'इंडियन रोअर्स'चा मेळ!!"

महाराष्ट्र रोइंग असोसिएशन आणि 'सीओईपी बोट क्लब' यांच्या संयुक्त विद्यमाने आशियाई क्रीडा स्पर्धेत रोइंग प्रकारामध्ये सुवर्णपदक व कांस्यपदक विजेत्या खेळाडूंचा सत्कार सोहळा शासकीय अभियांत्रिकी महाविद्यालय, पुणे येथे १ सप्टेंबर २०१८ रोजी मोठ्या दिमाखात संपन्न झाला.

सीओईपीला ऐतिहासिक वारसा म्हणून लाभलेल्या 'बोट क्लब'च्या वतीने आयोजित या कार्यक्रमात भारतीय संघातील सुवर्णपदक विजेते दत्त भोक्नळ, स्वर्ण सिंग, ओम प्रकाश, सुखमीत सिंग तसेच कांस्य पदक विजेते रोहित कुमार, भगवान सिंह, दुष्यंत आणि त्यांचे प्रशिक्षक यांचा यथोचित सत्कार करण्यात आला. या खेळाडूंच्या सन्मानार्थ 'महाराष्ट्र रोइंग संघटना', 'महाराष्ट्र राज्य क्रीडा व युवक संचालनालय' आणि 'सीओईपी बोट क्लब' यांच्या वतीने ढोलताशांच्या गजरात महाविद्यालयापासून ते डेक्कन परिसरापर्यंत रेलीचे आयोजन करण्यात आले होते. चौकाचौकात पुणेकरांनी खेळाडूंचे स्वागत करीत

'भारत माता की जय'च्या घोषणा दिल्या. सत्कारसोहळ्यास क्रीडाप्रेमींचा उत्स्फूर्त प्रतिसाद लाभला. सत्कारसोहळ्यास क्रीडाप्रेमींचा उत्स्फूर्त प्रतिसाद लाभला.

महाराष्ट्राच्या दत्त भोक्नळ सोबत सेल्फी काढण्यासाठी व त्याचा ऑटोग्राफ घेण्यासाठी क्रीडाप्रेमींनी एकच गर्दी केली होती. क्रीडा उपसंचालक अनिल चोरमले, जिल्हा क्रीडाधिकारी विजय संतान, महाराष्ट्र रोइंग संघटनेच्या सचिव मृदुला कुलकर्णी व सहसचिव संजय वळवी, सीओईपीचे संचालक डॉ.बी.बी.आहुजा हे मान्यवर या वेळी उपस्थित होते. संपूर्ण भारतासाठी गौरवास्पद अशी कामगिरी करणार्या सर्व यशस्वी अन् साहसी रोअर्सचे मनःपूर्वक अभिनंदन! बोट क्लब तर्फे आयोजित या गौरवशाली सोहळ्याबाबत बोट क्लब सचिव Sachin Khedkar व सर्व बोट क्लब सदस्यांचे अभिजात परिवारातर्फे अभिनंदन!!

-स्वप्नील पाटील



Technacy Imbibed? Check!

Mindspark, the annual national level technical festival of COEP kick started on 28th of September with the theme of 'Imbibing Technacy' i.e. Technical Literacy. The 12th edition of MindSpark was held under the patronage of UNESCO, Digital India and Skill India. The chief guest of the inauguration ceremony was Dr. Anil Sahasrabudhe, the Chairman of AICTE, also the former Director of COEP. Joy George, Head HR at CDK GLOBAL (also the title sponsor of MindSpark'18) was one of the dignitaries present in the ceremony.

The whole festival comprised of 57 events divided into 12 modules namely Structura, Dynamus, Silicus, Voltus, Substantia, Ideam, Robustus, Accelero, Prodigium, Cognito, Illuminati and Fascinus. The MindSpark'18 workshop series consisted of 9 in-house and 4 outreach workshops. Hackathon 3.0 was held on 15th and 16th of September. Being a 24 hour event, the 55 participating teams coded their hearts out to win the competition. The pilot edition of HELLA Makeathon saw the participants finding out real life solutions to industrial problem statements. The first day of the festival also witnessed the Overseas Education Fair which had officials from various universities in the United Kingdom and Australia. The Day 1 of this technical extravaganza ended with some enthralling performances by the cultural team of COEP. The second edition of the Technical Exhibition was held on the 28th and 29th of September; which witnessed numerous startups and engineering projects from various parts of the country. The highlight of the exhibition was the Tech talk given by Team Indus who went on to demonstrate their very own Moon Rover. The flagship event of MindSpark'18, the Technical Championship tested the participants' mettle in all disciplines of Engineering. The victorious team, Walchand College of Engineering, Sangli, was crowned as MindSpark'18 champions and were awarded the Champions Trophy. MindSpark fulfilled its social responsibility by organising Paakhi in June 2018. This year over 400 PMC school students were engaged in basic

science experiments. Paakhi spread awareness about the importance of education amongst underprivileged students. One of the main attractions of MindSpark over the years has been its keynote lecture series and certainly, this year was no different. Anu Aga, former chairperson of Thermax, former Rajya Sabha member and currently the sixth richest woman in India was the first keynote wherein she spoke about her life and career. Mr. Jay Vijayan, former Chief Information Officer, Tesla and currently a CEO of a stealth mode startup gave wonderful insight to the audience about various topics ranging from his life to his work in the form of a question and answer session. Mr. Dilip Chabbria, founder and CEO of DC designs, the largest auto accessories manufacturing company in India spoke at length about DC Avanti (India's first Supercar) and the various designs his company manufactures.

The chief guest for the valedictory ceremony of Mindspark 18 was Air Marshal IP Vipin, who is the Commandant of the prestigious National Defence Academy (NDA). At the end of the valedictory ceremony, the Technical Secretary of MindSpark'18, Venkatesh Yelnoorkar gave a concluding speech thanking the whole MindSpark team and the esteemed faculty advisor of MindSpark, Mrs. Meera Murali Ma'am for her unwavering support. The Pro Nite of MindSpark'18 was made special by the presence of DJ Kevu, who came all the way from Portugal along with DJ Lijo and DJ Rabinik. For the first time in COEP, Silent Disco (which is aimed at preventing unnecessary noise pollution) was introduced. A special dinner was organised on the 30th of September for all the volunteers, coordinators and the members of the Core Team of MindSpark'18. The event concluded on a grand note, raising the bar for all college fests and setting new standards.

-Siddhesh Yeole and Shikhar Bhatt



Nemesis Switches to Champions' League, Makes India Proud

COEP is synonymous with extraordinary talent, unparalleled dedication and the zeal to be the best in any given field. This has been once again proved by our NEMESIS TEAM this year. Known for building off-road racing cars that gushes our adrenaline, team NEMESIS has once again made their mark by achieving the Overall 4th place at the All World Finals of BAJA SAE at the Maryland, USA.

Also, achieved the grand scale recognition and positions in following categories; Acceleration 2nd, Hill climb 2nd, Sales 1st, Endurance 6th. They've achieved this huge triumph and have not only made COEP proud but also have bestowed upon India this commendable feat. The name of our country and our institution has echoed overseas, and the credit goes to the one and only, Team NEMESIS.

We applaud all the hard work, dedication and extreme efforts put up by the team members and heartily congratulate all the members. The heads deserve a special mention for their inspiring leadership and the faculties who've guided them all along this path to glory. I hope they continue their wonderful work and bring more such accolades to our college.

-Neelam Nikam





ACHIEVEMENTS 13

CULTURAL CLUB

1. Purushottam Karandak 2018:
--Acting Consolation: Jay Yedlewar
2. Bharat Karandak 2018:
--Overall Consolation prize: "Prayag 10va"
--Acting 2nd: Jay Yedlewar
--Light's Consolation: Swapnil Joshi, Pranav Sopkale, Bhushan Choudhari
3. Sarpotdar Karandak - Cultural fest of BMCC, Pune
--Acting 1st: Sakshi Gathe and Shweta Borabde
--Direction 2nd: Jay Yedlewar
4. Malhar '18 - Cultural fest of St. Xavier's College
--Street play 1st prize
5. Clamour'18 - Streetplay fest of Ajeenkya DY Patil College
--Street play 1st prize
6. Aarohi'18 - Cultural fest of NIT Nagpur
--Street play 1st Prize and a direct entry to Mood Indigo, the cultural fest of IIT Bombay, finals
7. Mood Indigo'18 - cultural fest of IIT Bombay.
-- Street play 1st prize - Ragaz
8. Scit, Nautanki shoola - 1st - 20 Jan
9. Symbiosis school of economics, equilibrium- 2nd - 22nd Jan
10. Mit wpu, Aarohan - 1st - 30th Jan
11. Swarajya foundation - 1st - 17th Feb
12. Army institute of technology - 1st - 17th Feb
13. AFMC, Silhouettes-1st

NOSPLAN:

- NOSPlan (National Organization of Students of Planning) National Level Convention 2018:
1. Current Practices - 2nd Position
Members - Maitreyee Khot, Rashish Kothawade, Ishika Pal and Abhijeet Rajput
 2. Objectional Imitation - 3rd Position
Members - Kanika Pillai, Sakshi Darak, Harshali Patil
 3. Debate Competition - Distinguished speaker-Himanshu Shukla.
 4. Football - 1st Prize
Members - Aditya Varma, Rashish Kothawade, Himanshu Shukla, Ninad Parab, Kedarsingh Patil, Jidnyasa Patil and Bhavna Patil.
 5. Arte Graffiti Drawing - 3rd prize
Members - Ishika Pal, Kalyani Mawale, Suhani Janvir, Sakshi Kale, Sujit Darandale.
 6. Dance Competition - 2nd prize
Himanshu Shukla, Aditya Tayade, Gayatri Vhanbatte, Gauri Gawande, Kalyani Mawale, Mansi Jungade, Projwala Jankar.
 7. Overall Championship - 3rd Position, COEP Planning Council

DEBATE CLUB

1. Symbiosis Law School British Parliamentary Debate 2018:
Aditya Khandelwal - Novice Winner
Inderneil Bhojwani - Novice Winner
2. Dr. P.G. Sahasrabudhe State-Level Elocution Competition:
Asawaree Bhide and Divij Ghose won the rolling trophy
3. Speak for India Competition:
ILS Law College
Divij Ghose - Pune Round Winner
ILS Law College
5. Parliamentary Debate 2019
Ruhshad Kasad, Suradha Iyer and Omkar Joshi
were reserve breaking team.
Disha Kotecha - Breaking adjudicator.

1. आबासाहेब गरवारे महाविद्यालय पुणे आयोजित सावित्रीबाई फुले राज्यस्तरीय वक्तृत्व स्पर्धा:
तनया वानखेडे- तृतीय
यश नाईक- उत्तेजनार्थ
तनया वानखेडे आणि यश नाईक-सांघिक प्रथम
2. श्यामराव कलमाडी राज्यस्तरीय वक्तृत्व स्पर्धा:
ऋषी देशपांडे- प्रथम
3. स्वर्गीय आर आर पाटील जिल्हास्तरीय वक्तृत्व स्पर्धा:
मानसी चव्हाण- प्रथम
आदित्य वाळुंज- उत्तेजनार्थ
4. डॉ. बाबासाहेब आंबेडकर महाविद्यालय औरंगाबाद राज्यस्तरीय वादविवाद स्पर्धा:
ऋषिकेश पाखले आणि सानिका जोशी- सांघिक प्रथम
5. न्यू आर्ट्स कॉमर्स आणि सायन्स महाविद्यालय अहमदनगर राज्यस्तरीय वादविवाद स्पर्धा:
रणजित देशमुख- उत्तेजनार्थ
रणजित देशमुख आणि आदित्य वाळुंज-सांघिक तृतीय
6. विद्या प्रतिष्ठान कला वाणिज्य महाविद्यालय आयोजित प्रतिभा राज्यस्तरीय वक्तृत्व स्पर्धा:
ऋषिकेश पाखले - प्रथम
7. तुळजाराम चतुरंग महाविद्यालय बारामती आयोजित कविवर्य मोरोपंत राज्यस्तरीय वादविवाद स्पर्धा:
ऋषिकेश पाखले- तृतीय
8. बाजीराव-मस्तानी आंतरमहाविद्यालयीन राज्यस्तरीय वक्तृत्व स्पर्धा पाबळ:
संकेत घनवट- द्वितीय
9. बाजीराव-मस्तानी आंतरमहाविद्यालयीन राज्यस्तरीय वादविवाद स्पर्धा पाबळ:
मानसी चव्हाण आणि निकिता अहिरराव -सांघिक द्वितीय
10. ज्ञानगौरव जिल्हास्तरीय वक्तृत्व करंडक:
ऋतुजा पठारे - वैयक्तिक द्वितीय
11. नी. गो पंडित राज्यस्तरीय वक्तृत्व स्पर्धा ठाणे:
शरयू बनकर - उत्तेजनार्थ
12. श्रमजीवी विचारमंच,संगमनेर राज्यस्तरीय वक्तृत्व स्पर्धा:
आदित्य वाळुंज- उत्तेजनार्थ
13. मानवी हक्क संरक्षण आणि जागृती विचारमंच पुणे आयोजित वक्तृत्व स्पर्धा:
गणेश सोनवणे - द्वितीय
14. दिव्य जीवन आयोजित राज्यस्तरीय वक्तृत्व स्पर्धा:
संकेत माहोरे -उत्तेजनार्थ
15. जी.एच.रायसोनी महाविद्यालय पुणे राज्यस्तरीय वादविवाद स्पर्धा:
आदित्य वाळुंज आणि ऋषिकेश पाखले- सांघिक प्रथम
16. कला वाणिज्य महाविद्यालय चोपडा आयोजित राज्यस्तरीय वक्तृत्व स्पर्धा:
ऋषिकेश पाखले- द्वितीय
17. न्या.रानडे अंतरमहाविद्यालयीन वाद स्पर्धा
ऋषिकेश उत्तेजनार्थ
नचिकेत उत्तेजनार्थ
सांघिक प्रथम: ऋषिकेश, नचिकेत
18. यशवंतराव चव्हाण महाविद्यालय आयोजित राज्यस्तरीय वक्तृत्व स्पर्धा
संकेत पाटील द्वितीय पारितोषिक
19. मराठी भाषा संवर्धन पंथरवडा निमित्त आयोजित वक्तृत्व प्रबोधिनी अंतरमहाविद्यालयीन वक्तृत्व स्पर्धा
समीक्षा जाधव तृतीय पारितोषिक
20. रामणारायन रुईया स्वायत्त महाविद्यालय माटुंगा, आयोजित राज्यस्तरीय वक्तृत्व स्पर्धा
ऋषी देशपांडे उत्तेजनार्थ
21. वादविवाद
आदित्य वाळुंज तृतीय पारितोषिक

QUIZ CLUB

- Enigma - National Level Quiz organized by BITS Hyderabad:
Atharva Soman and Projot Patane - Pune Round Winners.
Chakravayuh - The Open Quiz:
Omkar Joshi and Aman Shaikh qualified for finals.
Indikya - The National Level Quiz:
Atharva Soman and Projot Patane - Pune Round Winners

SPORTS CLUB:

1. VOLLEYBALL TEAM:
AIT PACE- SILVER
VIT MELANGE- GOLD
UNIVERSITY- BRONZE
VJTI ENTHUSIA- GOLD
CM CHASAK- BRONZE
ZEST - SILVER
Rushi Deshpande selected for Zonal level.
Suraj Singh- Chasak Player of the Tournament.
2. FOOTBALL TEAM:
M.I.T. WPU- Runnerup
3. HOCKEY TEAM:
Tejaswini Jadhav (T.Y. B.Tech) was selected in zonals and won Gold medal in Zonals. She was also selected for the trials of SNBP women's State Level Hockey Tournament and won GOLD.
Tanay Arpadkar(B. Tech) was selected for Zonals.

GROUP

- Team 1 - Rashish Kothawade, Unmay Yeole, Mandar Bhanuvanshe and Maitreyee Khot.
Team 2 - Swapnil Khedkar, Abhishek Patil, Sharvaree Pitke and Abhijeet Rajput.
Both Teams' project was selected under top 10 in India at the Wipro Earthian Sustainability Competition and was awarded a cash prize of 1,00,000/- each.
Team COEPI - One of the top 20 Indian teams selected from SIH2K18
winner teams for Singapore India Hackathon 2018(Nov 2018)
Problem Statement : Effective Event Management
Team members:
Tejaswini Khambe(final year Comp)
Ritu Raut (final year Comp)
Anusha Valakonda (final year Comp)
Team De Enigma
1st runner up with cash prize of 75000/- in Philips Data Science Hackathon held in Bangalore (17/12/2018)
Team members:
Tejaswini Khambe, Ritu Raut, Anusha Valakonda, Hrishikesh Mahajan, Utkarsh Kushwaha

INDIVIDUAL

1. Suradha Iyer (TY E&TC) was selected as a Writing Analyst at Qrius (formerly The Indian Economist) since July 2018.
2. Heramb Patil and Jugal Rowlani - 2nd runner up in codeChef Global Hackathon conducted by Alibaba Cloud.
3. Tejaswini Rajaram Khambe Represented COEP in Capgemini Tech Challenge 2018, finale group and winner for the same with prize of 3,00,000/-
4. Ritu Ravindra Raut Represented COEP in Capgemini Tech Challenge 2018, finale group and 1st runners-up for the same with prize of 2,00,000/-



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