Human rights and equal opportunities

Programme Reports of Human Right & Equal Opportunity Cell

Workshop on "Traffic Rules and Safety" 18th September, 2019 in Shalom Organized by Humar Rights & Equal Opportunity Cell, Hislop College in Collaboration With National Service Scheme (NSS). Hislop College

A workshop on 'Traffic Rules and Safety' was organized by Human rights and Equal opportunity Cell in collaboration with NSS on 18th September, 2019 at 10.30. am in Shalom. Mr. Chinmay Pandit, DCP Traffic was the chief guest. He addressed the students and encourages them follow new traffic rules for the betterment of society. Mr. Atul Agarkar (Trafic Trainer) was the Resource person. The objective of the workshop was to give information about new traffic rules and safety measures and also to promote a positive attitude towards enforcement laws and infuse sense of courtesy and concern among road users. He further interacted with the students and gave information about traffic rules and safety measures through power point presentation and short video clips. Dr. Anjali Gaidhane welcomes and facilitated the chief Guest. Dr. Prantik Banerjee gave introductory remark. The programme was conducted by Dr. Razeka Khan and vote of thanks was proposed by Dr. Milind Ghate. Dr. Dhanraj Mane and Dr. Dini Menon worked hard for the successes of the programme. The prizes of the poster competition on 'Human Rights Violation of different communities in India' was distributed by the hands of Resource person Mr. Atul Agarkar.





Poster Competition on "Human Rights Violation of Different Communities in India" 17th September, 2019 in Shalom Organized by Human Rights & Equal Opportunity Cell, Hislop College

Human Rights and Equal Opporuntity Cell Organized a Poster Competition on 17th September, 2019 in Shalom at 11. Am. The Theme of the poster competition was 'Human rights Violation of Different Communities in India". The main purpose behind conduction of this competition was to sensitize the students about the human rights violation of different communities. Mrs. Joyti Shiwalker (Head. Of Statistics) and Dr. Thomas Philips (Head. Of Physics) judged the competition. The judges appreciate the efforts and creativity of the students. Dr. Anjali Gaidhane welcomes the judges with sampling. The event was organized by Dr. Razeka Khan and Dini Menon. The winner of the competition were

- First Prize- Isha Choudhary (B.A Sem-III)
- Second Prize- Ayesha Khan (B.A Sem-I)
- Third Prize 1. Neha Basis (B.Com. Sem-I)
 - 2. Dipti Singh (B.Com. Sem-III)
 - 3. Rini Roy (B.Com.Sem-III)



Human Rights and Equal Opportunity Cell Guest Lecture on "Fakes News" 10th February, 2020

As part of one main objective, an effort to bring awareness among the students on the issue of information, communication and its social impact in the society, Human rights and Equal Opportunity Cell has conducted a guest lecture on this issue. The title of the guest lecture is "Fake News". The guest lecture was Delivered by the scholars of the Department of mass communication RTM Nagpur University namely Rituja shende, Divya choube and Tushar daskar who are also the members of "Dekho Bhai Fake" organization. Rituja Shende has dealt upon the current problems with related to the dissemination of information through social websites whether the information is correct and fake and rightly discussed categorization of disseminated information into harmful and harmless news that has been generally shared among the net users in the virtual world. Another speaker Divya choube while delivering excellent information on how to find out the online machinery to differentiate between what is right and fake information, she warned the students about the social impact that these fake news creates on the very foundational principal of the social harmony of the society. The success of this programme could be measured interms of the attendance of the students in large numbers and active participation in exchange of questions posed to the speakers and answers they received. This program was jointly organized by the P.G department of Sociology and Human rights and Equal Opportunity Cell under guidance of Anjali Gaidhane, Convenor, HR &OP and Faculty of PG Dept of Sociology Mr. Ajay Choudary and perfectly supervised by the Members of the cell





Seminar on RTI Act- the 'Jaadu ki Chhadi'

Rights are those basic facilities available to any being for its survival and growth. One such right is the *Right to Information*. On 22 February 2020, the Human Rights and Equal Opportunities Cell in Collaboration with Department of Political Science conducted guest lecture on the RTI Act, at 10:30 am in Shalom. The lecture was delivered by Shri Avinash Prabhane, Member at Adl. Dist. Consumer Dispute Redressal Forum, Nagpur. The dias also included Dr. Ajay Yoel, Vice Principal, Hislop College; Dr. (Mrs.) Anjali Gaidhane, Convenor, HREO Cell; and, Dr. Rishi Agrawal, HOD, Dept. of Mathematics, Hislop College.

The event began with presenting of saplings to Mr. Prabhane and Dr. Yoel, followed by a few kind words by Dr. Yoel. Without further ado, Mr. Prabhane began his talk by sharing personal experiences and, thus, explaining both sides of RTI filing desks. The lecture was made more engaging by showing legal documents from real-life experience and concentrating more on the practical utilization of the Act rather than the written theory. Mr. Prabhane also spoke about the online portals for filing an RTI, and explained the process of appeals made and answered through video conferencing. From Gandhiji to a local Bihari boy, Mr. Prabhane gave examples of all types of people, belonging to whichever section of society, in order to emphasize on the availability and accessibility of the Act. He also informed the audience about the PIO and the system of proactive disclosure, required by every governmental office. Finally, Mr. Prabhane ended the lecture with a Q&A round wherein he solved queries of students, involving questions related to the latest amendment in the Act.

The two-hour long guest lecture came to an end with Ms. Apoorva Verma proposing the Vote of Thanks. The whole event was compered by Ms. Aisha Khan and Mr. Yash Potey. Thus, an important guest lecture was successfully organized by the HREO Cell with the help of its student Volunteers.

