Report of Workshop

Guest Speaker: Mr. Atul Agarkar (Trafic Trainer)

Date: 18th September, 2019

Venue: Shalom

Organizer: Human Rights and Equal Opportunity Cell and National Service Scheme (NSS)

Total no. of students and teachers attended the session: 185

Session on: "Traffic Rules and Safety"

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.





Report of Poster Competition

Judges: Mrs. Joyti Shiwalker (Head. Of Statistics) and Dr. Thomas Philips (Head. Of Physics)

Date: 17th September, 2019

Venue: Shalom

Organizer: Human Rights and Equal Opportunity Cell

Total no. of students and teachers attended the session: 35

Activity: Poster Competition on "Human Rights Violation of Different Communities in India"

Human Rights and Equal Opportunity 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)



Report of Guest Lecture

Guest Speaker: Rituja Shende, Divya Choube and Tushar Daskar

Date: 10th February, 2020

Venue: Seminar room

Organizer: Human Rights and Equal Opportunity Cell

Total no. of students and teachers attended the session: 48

Session on: "Fake News"

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 this fake news creates on the very foundational principal of the social harmony of the society. The success of this programme could be measured in terms 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





Report of Seminar

Guest Speaker: Shri Avinash Prabhane

Date: 22 February 2020

Venue: Shalom

Organizer: Human Rights and Equal Opportunity Cell and Department of Political Science

Total no. of students and teachers attended the session: 165

Session 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 event began with introductory remark 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. 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.

