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Message from the Principal

CHRONICLER, the annual Newsletter of the college completes fifteen years with the release of this issue. It records the important events of the college throughout the academic year 2021-2022. This issue of the newsletter is important as it showcases all the new innovative academic, research, extra-curricular and social commitments that the college had undertaken to continue its educational spirit following the unprecedented COVID crisis. The college through its varied events was able to keep the



students and faculties engaged into innovative and hybrid teaching-learning methods. I am confident that the commitment of the students and faculties of the college shall play a pivotal role in enhancing the academic, research, cultural and social dimensions in the future. I would like to congratulate the editors, Ms. Risha Baruah and Ms. Kashmita Ojah for compiling the events and achievements of 2021-2022 and finally bringing out this volume. As an end note, I wish the best for the students of the college as they resume their educational journey in the college. Also, I offer my sincere thanks to the editors and all those involved in bringing out this volume.

Dr Dharmendra Nath
Principal, S. B. Deorah College

Editors' Note

The academic session of 2021-2022 seemed to hold the hope of greater academic, extra-curricular, social, cultural and research outputs of the college through varied activities such as seminars, orientations, webinars, academic, cultural and social commitments done through NSS, NCC, IIC, IQAC and other cells and departments of the college; despite the global pandemic crisis. This volume of the newsletter attempts to mainly capture all the events of the College of the academic year as an informative document. On this note, we the editors of this volume of the Chronicler felt it was our privilege and proud experience to draw out the immensely fruitful outcomes that these programs throughout the year conducted in hybrid mode. We would also like to thank respected Dr. Dharmendra Nath, Principal, S. B. Deorah, all faculty members and students for extending their unwavering support, guidance and prompt response to the required data for the newsletter which immensely helped us to shape the Chronicler. The successful completion of this difficult academic year seeks to spread hope, perseverance, humility and excellence among students and faculties of the college.

Regards

Ms. Risha Baruah
Ms. Kashmita Ojah

COLLEGE EVENTS

A talk on “**New NAAC Manual**” was delivered by the Principal of S. B. Deorah College on 30/06/2022. He highlighted all the points on how to prepare for AQAR and SSR, and the distribution of weightage on different criteria. 42 faculty members were present in the talk and gathered valuable information about the new NAAC Manual.

“**NATIONAL SCIENCE DAY**” was celebrated on 28th February, 2022. Dr. Narayan Sharma, Assistant Professor, Department of Zoology, Cotton University, delivered a Talk on “Nature-based solutions: Answers to global Societal Challenges” where he highlighted about importance of bird watching and spending time with nature could act as remedy for certain mental disorders.



World Environment Day was celebrated by organizing Inter-College Poster Competition and Inter-College Essay and Quiz Competition on 5/6/2021. 70 participants from various colleges of Assam participated in the event. The programme was organized to raise awareness among the students for the protection of environment.

“**Book Launch**”: It is a matter of great pride and honour for the college as one of our Associate Professor and HoD, Department of Assamese, Dr. Bibha Rani Pathak, has authored a novel titled *Shivani* which is based on women-centric issues. It was launched on 30-09-2021 by our Principal, Dr. Dharmendra Nath.



In addition to the above mentioned events, the college also regularly observes ethnic festivals such as Bathou puja, Me-Dam-Me-Phi, Ali-Aye-Ligang, Rongali Bihu etc. by organising cultural programs, talks and symposia depicting the significance and importance of these festivals in which both students and teachers take active part. In addition, being an ethnically diverse institution, students are provided platforms to exhibit their rich cultural heritage through events like ethnic festival, traditional dance competition etc

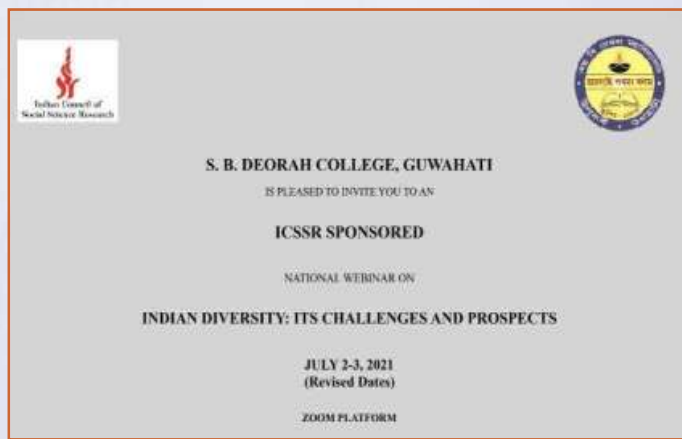


ORIENTATIONS, WORKSHOPS, SEMINARS, WEBINARS

A National Webinar on Indian Diversity: Its Challenges and Prospects, sponsored by ICSSR and organized by Grievance Redress Cell, S B Deorah

College, was held from 02/07/21 to 03/07/21. Prof. M. P. Bezbarua, Department of Economics, Gauhati University was the Keynote Speaker. The three

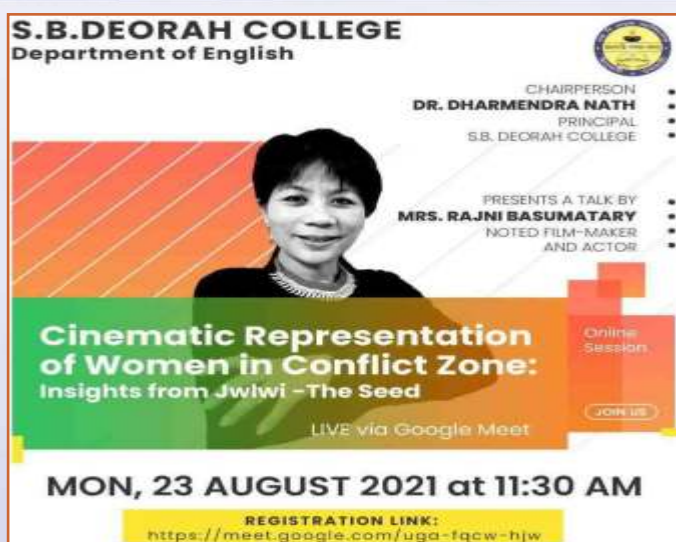
technical sessions were chaired by Dr. S. Yasmin Saikia, Associate Professor, Department of Economics, Gauhati University, Mr. K. Patowary, Assistant Professor, Department of History, Gauhati University and Dr. N. Bhuyan, Associate Professor, Department of Political Science, S. B. Deorah College. Also, Prof. A. R. Dutta, Department of Political Science, Gauhati University, Dr. A. Choudhury, Registrar, KKHO and Dr. D. Sarma, Principal, Jorhat College took part in the panel discussion. Prof. A. K. Baruah, NEHU, Shillong was invited as the chief guest of the Valedictory session



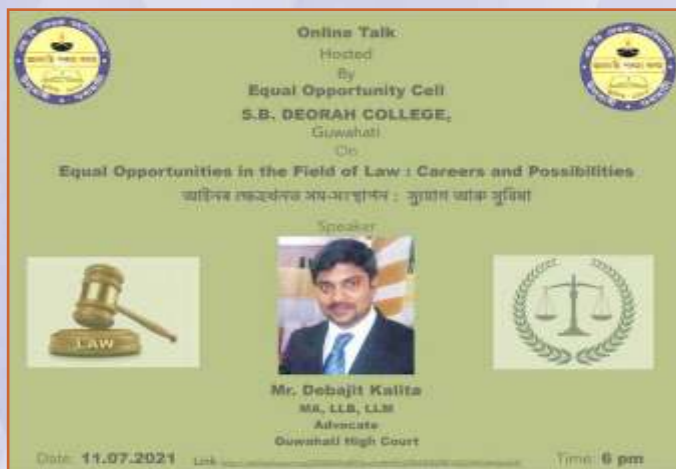
A webinar on Laws related to Women: Its Practicability organized on 30/07/21 in which Mrs. Anuja Bhuyan, Deputy Secretary, Department of Education, Government of Assam and Ms. Punam Sharma, Advocate, Gauhati High Court acted as the Resource Persons.



Department of English organized an online talk on Cinematic Representation of Women on conflict Zone on 23-08-21 in which Mrs. Rajni Basumatary, film maker and actor acted as the Resource Person.



An online talk on Equal Opportunities in the Field of Law delivered by Debajit Kalita, Advocate, Gauhati High Court and an alumnus of S. B. Deorah College was the speaker of the webinar. The webinar took place on 11/07/21.



Department of Education, S. B. Deorah College organized an online talk on CV Writing and facing Interview which was delivered by Dr. Chandan Goswami, Faculty, Department of Communication and Journalism on 20/07/21.

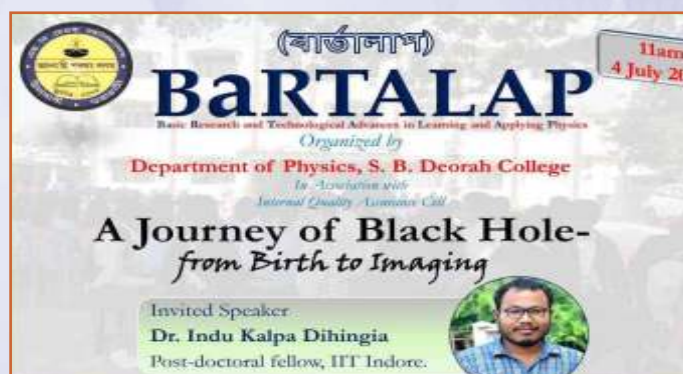




Webinar on Commerce Education in North- East India and Career Prospects organized on 22/07/21 by Commerce stream, S. B. Deorah College. The resource person for the event was Dr. Biswajit Ghose, Assistant Professor, Department of Commerce, Tezpur University.



BARTALAP: A talk on A Journey of Black Hole from Birth to Imaging was organized by the Department of Physics on 4th July, 2021. Dr. Indu Kalpa Dihingia, Post-doctoral fellow, IIT Indore, was the invited Speaker for the session.



A webinar on "Exploring Career Opportunities after Graduation" was organized by the Department of Chemistry in association with Career Counselling and Guidance Cell of the college on 07/07/2021. Dr. Abhijit Saha, Marie-Curie Postdoctoral Research Scientist, CIC bio-Gune, France, Rananmoy Bharadwaj (ACS), Circle Officer & Executive Magistrate, Doomdoma and Dr. Subrata Nath, Postdoctoral Fellow, University of Duisburg-Essen, Germany, were the invited speakers of the event.



DEPARTMENTAL ACTIVITIES & FIELD TRIPS

On 10th December, 2021, a one-day workshop on Hands on Training on Bioinformatics tools & techniques for B.Sc. 5th Semester (H) students was organized by Department of Zoology in collaboration with Department of Computer Science & IQAC, S. B. Deorah College & Zoological Society of Assam (ZSA).



A Talk on “How to Learn Science” & “Importance of Study of History” was organized jointly by Department of History, S. B. Deorah College and Department of History, Beltola College Speaker on 3rd December 2021 at Dakshin Beltola High School. Dr. Pulak Talukdar, from Department of Physics, & Dr. Anjali Patowary from the Department of History, S. B. Deorah College was the resource person respectively.



All the departments of the college yearly engage in thematically curated Wall Magazines to show the creative, research and critical talents of the students of the various departments under the supervision of the faculties. The Wall Magazines are generally inaugurated by the Principal.



A one-day Institutional Laboratory Visit to “Department of Zoology, Gauhati University, Guwahati” was organized on 29/11/2021, where 30

students from 5th Semester Honors and Regular went on the trip under the guidance of one faculty member- Ms. Priyambada Chutia. They also had to submit a report on “Animal Cell Culture”. The students had visited the Laboratories of “Department of Zoology, Gauhati University, Guwahati”.



A one-day educational field trip to “Debajit Fish Farm, Nalbari” was organized on 31st May, 2022, where a total of 43 students from 5th Semester went to the trip under the guidance of 2 faculty members- Dr. Sudem Basumatary and Ms. Priyambada Chutia. This trip is basically for the 5th semester honours and regular students as they had to submit a report on visit to any fish farm/pisciculture Unit/ Zebra fish farming Lab for DSC paper of H: “Fish and Fisheries” and DSC paper of Regular: “Aquatic Biology”.



An educational field trip was organised by the department of Botany from 15th to 16th December, 2021. Students of 3rd and 5th semester visited the college of Post Graduate studies of Agricultural Sciences, Umiam, Meghalaya; Botanical Survey of India (Eastern Regional Center), Experimental Botanical garden of BSI, Meghalaya and local forest in Meghalaya to explain the vegetation type to the students. The trip was guided by Dr. Deepanwita Deka and Mr. Somir Warisa.



The Department of Assamese organized an educational field trip for the honours students to Haygrive Madhab temple, Powa-Makkah of Hajo and Madan Kamdev temple at Baihata Chariali, Kamrup, Assam on May 14, 2022, under the guidance of Dr. Biva Rani Pathak, HoD, along with Assistant Professor Dr. Sanjukta Baruah and Mr. Arnab Sarmah.



Mushroom Cultivation at Adopted Village, Namgoan on 12th March 2022. A departmental event (Botany) was organised at adopted village Namgoan in collaboration with IQAC to educate the local village people about mushrooms and how it can be cultivated at home.



The Department of Political Science organised the World Day for Cultural Diversity for Dialogue and Development on 21/05/22. The event was organised to sensitize the students about the need for preserving and respecting cultural, religious, ethnic and linguistic diversity for a peaceful and vibrant democracy. Dr. Nabanita Bhuyan, HoD and Ms Chinmoyee Das were the resource person of the event.



On 24/02/2022, International Mother Language Day was celebrated by the Assamese Department, S. B. Deorah College, where a talk was delivered by Dr. Nabanita Bhuyan who emphasised on the importance of mother language in today's global era.





IQAC

The IQAC of the college has actively taken initiatives for starting online classes, celebration of National and International days, Seminars, Webinars, workshops, Certificate Courses, Skill development programs, Career Counseling programs; various activities with the Departments and Cells, extension activities with NSS and Extension Education Cell. IQAC in association with various departments of the college conducted several certificate courses for the benefit of students. These certificate courses are on-

(a) Functional Assamese (Department of Assamese on 12th June 2021 – 10th August 2021),

(b) Ecosystem Management (Department of Botany and Environmental Science from 30-06-2021 to 31-07-2021)

(c) Web Page designing using HTML (18th April 2022- 7th May 2022)

(d) Tally (9th May 2022 - 14th June 2022)

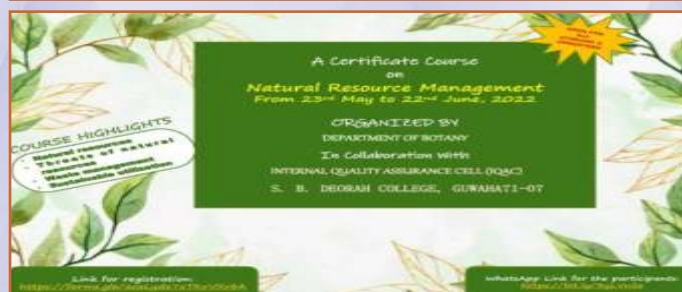
The Cell has throughout the year organized programs such as:

(i) Workshop on "Innovation and Entrepreneurship as

Career Opportunities" (12th June 2021)

(ii) Orientation Programme on Entrepreneurships & Innovation (24th July 2021)

(iii) Motivational Session by a Successful Entrepreneur (23rd November 2021)



INSTITUTION'S INNOVATION COUNCIL

A workshop on Problem Solving and Ideation was held on 19th February, 2022 in online mode. The workshop was organized by Institution's Innovation Council, S. B. Deorah College where Mr. Parash Sharma under Q1-2 acted as a resource person.

Institution's Innovation Council
S.B. Deorah College, Guwahati
Organises a Workshop on

Problem Solving and Ideation

Date : February 19, 2022
Time : 12.00 pm
Platform: Zoom
<https://bit.ly/3gQck3K>

Who can participate:
☐ Student
☐ Research Scholar
☐ Faculty

Resource Person: Mr. Parash Sharma
CEO
411 Fightwear

Dr. Dharmendra Nath
President, IIC
S.B. Deorah College

Dr. Sagar Sharma
Dr. Jamini Buragohain
Programme Coordinators

Dr. Dhruvrajit Das
Convener, IIC
S.B. Deorah College

Institution's Innovation Council, S. B. Deorah College in collaboration with Ministry of Education, Innovation Centre and AICTE organised impact lectures 2022 (Session -1) on June 29, 2022 covering different facets of entrepreneurship and Intellectual Property Rights. The resource persons of the program were Ms. Sharmistha N. Paliwal, Head of 3rd Eye Education Pvt Ltd, Guwahati and Dr. Siddharth Debnath, a Scientist-C, Planet Information Centre, ASTEC.

INSTITUTION'S INNOVATION COUNCIL
S. B. DEORAH COLLEGE, ULUBARI, GUWAHATI-7, ASSAM
In Collaboration with Ministry of Education's Innovation Cell, AICTE
Organises

IMPACT LECTURE SERIES 2022 (Session - 1)
Date: 29th June, 2022

Entrepreneurship: Challenges
(10.00 a.m. to 11.30 a.m.)
Sharmistha N Paliwal
Director, Third Eye Education Pvt. Ltd.
Founder Director, Kid Veda
& Successful Entrepreneur

Emerging Trends in Intellectual Property Rights
(12.00 p.m. to 1.30 p.m.)
Dr. Siddhartha Debnath
Scientist-C,
Patent Information Centre
(ASTEC)

Registration Link : <https://forms.gle/Z3mn2DjE6gHmQB8j>

Who Can Participate:
➤ Students
➤ Research Scholars
➤ Faculties
➤ Start Up Enthusiasts

Organising Committee:
Dr. Dharmendra Nath, President IIC
Dr. Dhruvrajit Das, Convener IIC
Dr. Sagar Sharma, Coordinator
Dr. Jamini Buragohain, Innovation Ambassador
Mr. Shrabanees Tarafdar, Social Media Coordinator

a certificate will be provided to the participants.

“Udaan” a workshop on “Design Thinking and Entrepreneurship” was organized on June 29, 2022 by Institution Innovation Cell (IIC), S B Deorah College & Lions Club of Greater Guwahati. The eminent speakers of the program were-

Speaker 1: Sharmistha N Paliwal, Co-Director, Third Eye Education Pvt. Ltd.

Speaker 2: Banashree Borah, Happiness Life Coach, Motivational Speaker & Pranic Healer.

Speaker 3: Dhrishti Medhi, Co-Founder Quick Ghly.



Institution's Innovation Council, S. B. Deorah College in collaboration with Ministry of Education, Innovation Centre and AICTE organised a workshop on Business Model Canvas (BMC) by Dr. Banajit Changkakoti, Department of Business Administration, Gauhati University, on the 13th of July, 2022.



Institution's Innovation Council (IIC), S B Deorah College organized a talk on “My story-motivational session” by a successful entrepreneur. The talk was delivered by Ms. Brinda Beria of "Only Earthen" on 24th Feb, 2022.

Institution's Innovation Council
S.B.Deorah College, Guwahati
Organises a session on

My Story – Motivational Session by a Successful Start-up

Date : February 24, 2022
Time : 11.30 a.m.
Venue : Seminar Hall, S.B.Deorah College

Speaker: Ms.Brinda Beria
Start-Up
Only Earthen

Who can participate:
☐ Student
☐ Faculty

Dr. Dharmendra Nath
President, IIC
S.B. Deorah College

Dr. Sagar Sarma
Programme Coordinator
IIC, S.B. Deorah College

Dr. Dhrubajit Das
Convener, IIC
S.B. Deorah College

Institution Innovation Council (IIC) S. B. Deorah College organized a workshop on Innovation and Entrepreneurship as Career Opportunities on 06-12-21 where Head, CIE (IIE) Sriporna Barua, delivered the keynote speech.



An orientation program talk on Entrepreneurship and Innovation was delivered by Ankur Goswami, IIC Convener and Assistant Professor, Assam Don Bosco University, Guwahati, on 24/07/21. The Program was organized by IIC, S. B. Deorah College.

Orientation Programme
On
Entrepreneurship and Innovation
Organised by
Institution's Innovation Council (IIC), S.B.Deorah College, Guwahati, Assam

Resource Person:
Mr. Ankur Goswami
IIC Convener & Assistant Professor
Assam Don Bosco University
Guwahati, Assam

Date: 24-07-2021
Time: 11.00 a.m. onwards
Zoom Link: <https://bit.ly/3eCAPAM>
Meeting ID: 836 7524 2899
Passcode: iic123

Who can participate:
☐ Student
☐ Research Scholar
☐ Faculty

Dr. Dharmendra Nath
President, IIC
S.B.Deorah College

Dr. Sagar Sarma
Programme Coordinator

Dr. Dhrubajit Das
Convener, IIC
S.B.Deorah College

E-certificates will be provided to the participants on successful completion of the programme

NSS and NCC

An orientation programme for NSS volunteers was held in the college on 11th January, 2022. Dr. Ranjan Kr. Kakati, Director Students' Welfare, Gauhati University and Program Coordinator G. U. NSS cell graced the occasion as the guest of honour.



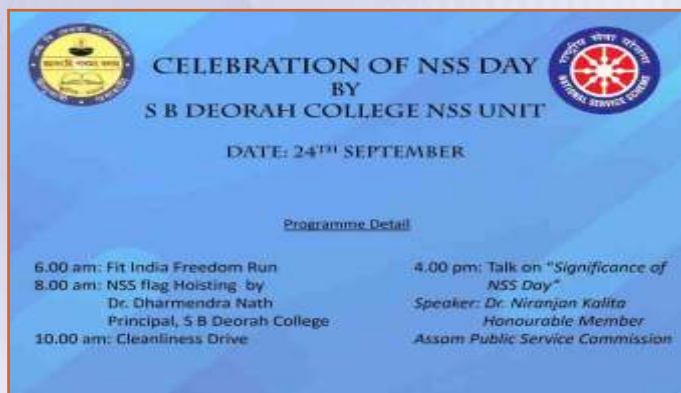
A three-day workshop on Yoga was held in the College auditorium which was organized by NSS unit SB Deorah College in collaboration with Vivekananda Kendra, Kanyakumari, Kamrup from 17/05/2022 to 21/05/2022. Total 28 volunteers participated in the workshop and the certificates were distributed to each participant.



An awareness programme on Drug free India and Celebration of International Day Against Drug Abuse and Illicit Trafficking by NSS unit and NCC wing of S. B. Deorah College in association with Narcotic Control Bureau Ministry of Home Affairs, Govt. of India was held in the conference hall on 25th June, 2022. In this programme, all the participants took a pledge of "No to drug and yes to life."



NSS Day was celebrated on 24/09/21. The program commenced with the hoisting of the NSS flag in college premises by Dr D. Nath, Principal, S. B. Deorah College. Fit India Freedom Run, a cleanliness drive, a webinar talk on Significance of NSS Day by Dr. N. Kalita, Ex Vice Principal of the college were organized as part of NSS Day celebrations.





A mental health camp under National Mental Health program, Kamrup Metro was organized by NSS unit, S. B. Deorah College in association with Department of Psychiatry District hospital Sonapur, on 25th March 2022. Hemanga Thakuria, Psychiatrist, Department of Psychiatry, District Hospital Sonapur was the Resource Person of the event.



On June 16, 2022, a program was organized for the youth of Namgaon village focused on Multi-Cropping Farming. Interested youths were taken to MoU Organic Nursery for training, with instruction provided by Kamal Barman, Senior Agricultural Development Officer, and Tultul Hazarika, Assistant Inspector, Department of Agriculture, Government of Assam.



HEALTH AWARENESS PROGRAMME

A talk on "Need of Mental Health for College Students" was organized in the college for the students' and teachers' mental health awareness on 09/02/2022. The talk was delivered by Nimi Borgohain, Chief Clinical Psychologist, GNRC Hospital, Guwahati.



The Extension Education Cell of the College started a new unit PRAKASH to help, aid and assist the disabled students. The Cell also observed World Disabled Day on 03/12/21 where a laptop was donated to a blind student by Dr Bibha Rani Pathak, Associate Professor, Department of Assamese, S. B. Deorah College.



Volunteers from NSS unit of S.B.Deorah College donated blood to the needy patient in B. Borooah Cancer Hospital as a part of community service.



**S.B.DEORAH COLLEGE
NSS UNIT**
08-07-2021



YESTERDAY AN UNKNOWN NUMBER CALLED OUR S.B DEORAH HELPLINE NUMBER ASKING FOR BLOOD DONATION FOR A CANCER PATIENT. THE PATIENT WAS A SMALL GIRL OF 8 YEARS. SHE WAS ADMITTED IN B. BOROOAH CANCER HOSPITAL.

TODAY IN THE MORNING OUR VOLUNTEERS WENT TO THE HOSPITAL AND DONATED BLOOD. THEY MET THE PATIENT ALONG WITH HER PARENTS AND ASSURED FURTHER HELP.




Patient name: Athalia Alivia Zhimomi
Age: 8 years
Sex: female
Disease: Myeloid leukemia (AML)
Blood group: O+
Contact: 91 32040916, 7005815422
Admitted at Dr B Borooah cancer institute, AK Azad road, Gopinath nagar Guwahati.
pediatric oncology ward 1
Bed no: 109

1. LUCKY HUSSAIN (DONOR)
2. BHARITA GOSWAMI
3. MEHFUZ ALI

NOT ME BUT YOU

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COMMUNITY SERVICES

On National Education Day (11th November 2021), the extension education cell in association with institution's innovation council carried out an awareness program signifying the importance of education for the underprivileged people. There was cloth distribution drive in the slums near Railway Colony while also providing financial assistance to some meritorious students.



AWARDS AND ACCOLADES

Notably, in the year 2021-22, the college received the prestigious State NSS Awards in both the Programme Officer (Dr. Rumamani Deka) and Volunteer (Mehfuz Ali) categories. The college has also received appreciation letters for its community services from various government and government recognised bodies.



The College received a letter of appreciation letter in March, 2022 from the Office of the Guwahati Municipal Corporation for the voluntary services rendered towards solid waste management in Guwahati City.

The President Tetelia Gaon Panchayat, Kamrup (Metro), presented a letter of appreciation in June,

2022 to the college for its outstanding community services in Namgaon Village.

Arnab Sarma, Assistant Professor, Department of Assamese was awarded M. Phil by Gauhati University in September 2021.

Hearty congratulations on your success to all the students who graduated this year. The toppers in Final Examination of each department is listed below:

Assamese:	Reetu Parna Deka
History:	Verona C. Haolai
Economics:	Dimpy Kashyap
English:	Sushmita Sinha
Education:	Naznim Hussain
Political Science:	Manashi Acharjee
Physics:	Bishwadeep Deb Choudhury
Statistics:	Bhabesh Doley
Computer Science:	Rakesh Kalita
Mathematics:	Aniruddha Mitra
Chemistry:	Dipraj Das
Commerce:	Bhonita Kumar
Botany:	Angshuman Kro
Zoology:	Barshashri Talukdar

STUDENTS' UNION MEMBERS

President-

Bhabesh Doloi (first term);

Ismar Deb Barma (Second term)

Vice President-

Souradeep Deb

General Secretary-

Gurpreet Singh

Asst. General Secretary

Pankhi Deori

Cultural Secretary-

Bitu Barman

Debate and Symposium Secretary-

Himashree Hira

Magazine and Literary Secretary-

Muskan Khatoon

Girls' Common Room Secretary-

Twinkle Bharadwaz

Boys' Common Room Secretary-

Dishant Gogoi

Social Service Secretary-

Ankesh Rajak

Indoor Games Secretary-

Manas Talukdar

Outdoor Games Secretary-

Lakhya Raj Borah

GALLERY

NSS Day was celebrated on 24/09/2021 when Fit India Freedom Run was held in the morning, followed by a cleanliness drive and talk session.



National NCC Day was celebrated on 28/11/2021 where Guard of Honor, Drill and cultural function was followed by a talk on National Integrity and Patriotism.



Indian Navy Day was held on 04/12/2021 by the 48 Assam Naval NCC



Unit of the college, in collaboration with Dispur College and Pragjyotish College.



National Mathematics Day was celebrated on 22/12/2021 by organizing a talk “Some Fundamentals of Numbers and Geometry” by speaker- Dr. Khanindra Chandra Chowdhury, followed by an open quiz session



NSS Volunteers for Participation in National Integration Camp at Karnataka (22-05-2022 to 28-05-2022)



Inauguration of Counselling Centre



Vermi composting



Independence Day was celebrated on 15/08/2021



Exhibition cum Sale (Earn While You Learn)



Talk on menstrual hygiene



Workshop on "Best out of Waste"



Celebrating College Foundation Day, 2021



College Week 2021-22



Free health check-up for faculties(30.12.2021)



Alumni Meet