



Vidya Vikas Mandal's
Shree Damodar College of Commerce & Economics

E-Newsletter

August 2020

Volume 13, Issue 2

Ms. Samiksha S. Vengurlekar – Editor



Tree Plantation Pakhwada

19th July 2020



VVM's Shree Damodar College of Commerce & Economics

NCC Army & Navy Wings

Organize

"Tree Plantation Pakhwada Programme"

On 19th July, 2020 (Sunday)

[STAY HOME & PLANT A TREE @ HOME]

Instructions to Participants

- Participants are required to Plant a tree at home or surrounding area.
- Fill the registration form & Upload the tree planting photograph on the given google form link.
- E-Certificate of Participation will be sent to the registered email ID
- There is no registration fee and participation is open for All



Contact Details

Mr. Sandesh Govind Gaonkar
ANO Army Wing
(Asst. Prof.)
8788587680

Contact Details:

Ms. Samiksha Vengurlekar
ANO Navy Wing
(Asst. Prof.)
8007577956

Registration link: <https://forms.gle/jDhZ2pKcZtJJ6Edc6>



The NCC Army and Navy Wings jointly organised a Tree Plantation Pakhwada on 19th July, 2020. There were participants from 10 different colleges and 3 schools. Participants had to plant a tree and click a photo while doing so, later this had to be uploaded on the given Google form.

A total of 100 participants participated enthusiastically in this tree plantation activity. All were given certificates after the authentication of the photographs and videos.





**VVM's Shree Damodar College of Commerce & Economics
Margao, Goa**

Department of English & Communication

organises

SIMPLE ENGLISH PROFICIENCY QUIZ



Quiz Link:

<https://forms.gle/yq9gcDpWSpHLSNzr5>

**Quiz Coordinator
Ms. Samiksha Vengurlekar
8007577956**

Receive an E-Certificate with your Score

The Department of English organised an online English Proficiency Quiz. The link was kept open from 21st July till 4th August, 2020. The quiz was conducted in an online mode and was shared as a Google form on social media platforms. It intended to give students and the general public an opportunity to assess their proficiency in the English language. The quiz had 10 questions. The participant had to score more than 50% to earn the certificate. A total of 365 people answered the quiz and received e-certificates. The feedback received on social media platforms, said that the quiz gave a quick revision of grammar which was quite useful.

The Students Council organised a Virtual Leadership Training Program - "LEARN TO LEAD" by the Mumbai-based Forum of Free Enterprise on 7th & 8th August, 2020 from 11:00 am to 12:30 pm & 2:30 to 4:30 pm. The session was conducted on the Zoom platform. The Resource Persons were Mr. Sachin Kamath and Mrs. Clarissa Jathanna.

Mr. Sachin Kamath conducted the session on Day One, where he laid stress on goal setting and steps to be taken to achieve the set goals. He also discussed the importance of time management. The afternoon session was about various important skills required in a competitive world to be the best amongst the rest.

Mrs. Clarissa Jathanna was the speaker for Day Two. She focused on the power of good habits and the value of punctuality and good manners. She emphasized the importance of teamwork, effective communication, and helping others through motivation. Further, she spoke about how one can change his/her life completely with a change in habits. The session ended with a Q&A round. The students gained several valuable inputs and learnt how to be focused in life by ignoring negative and unproductive thoughts. 65 students from all the 4 Undergraduate programmes attended the sessions. The feedback from students was very encouraging.

Webinar on "Internet Addiction Explained"

8th August 2020


**VVM's Shree Damodar College of Commerce & Economics,
Margao, Goa**
Internal Quality Assurance Cell and Counselling Centre

Webinar on
INTERNET ADDICTION EXPLAINED

Saturday, 8th August 2020
10.30 am - 11.30 am

Resource Person
Ms. Amba Prabhu
College Counselor

Webinar Coordinator
Ms. Manasi Rege
Librarian
9763816278

Registration Link: <https://forms.gle/2nXCfKhD11nreo4c9>
There is NO registration fee
Registration link closes at 8.00am on Saturday, August 8, 2020
E-Certificate will be provided to all participants on filling the feedback form

The Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) and the Counselling Centre organized a Webinar on the topic "Internet Addiction Explained" for students, parents and faculty members from 10.30 to 11.30 am on 8th August 2020. The webinar commenced with the welcome address delivered by the Principal, Dr. Prita D. Mallya.

The Resource person – Ms. Amba Prabhu, who is the College Counsellor started with an explanation of the term Internet addiction. She explained what Internet addiction is, how it occurs, and discussed the types of Internet addiction. She highlighted behavioral red flags that can help family and friends to identify if their children or friends are addicted or on the verge of getting addicted. She also addressed some of the questions which are common amongst the youngsters today about excessive Internet usage. Lastly, she gave some tips to prevent as well as tackle this new age addiction.

The session was followed by a Q&A round, which was moderated by Ms. Samiksha Vengurlekar. The session was extremely enlightening, engaging and informative.

A total of 217 participants virtually attended the webinar on the Zoom platform and the College YouTube channel. Ms. Manasi D. Rege, Webinar coordinator, proposed the Vote of Thanks.



The NCC Navy Wing conducted an Online Awareness Campaign on AtmaNirbhar Bharat Abhiyan through various social media platforms like WhatsApp, Instagram and Blog site on 13th, 14th & 15th August, 2020. The cadets were divided into four groups of 5 each, each group was given individual tasks.

Group I: Cadets uploaded the pledge link (on AtmaNirbharBharat) as their WhatsApp stories and also circulated the link through other social media platforms, encouraging 1037 people to take the pledge. All those who took the pledge received an e- Certificate.

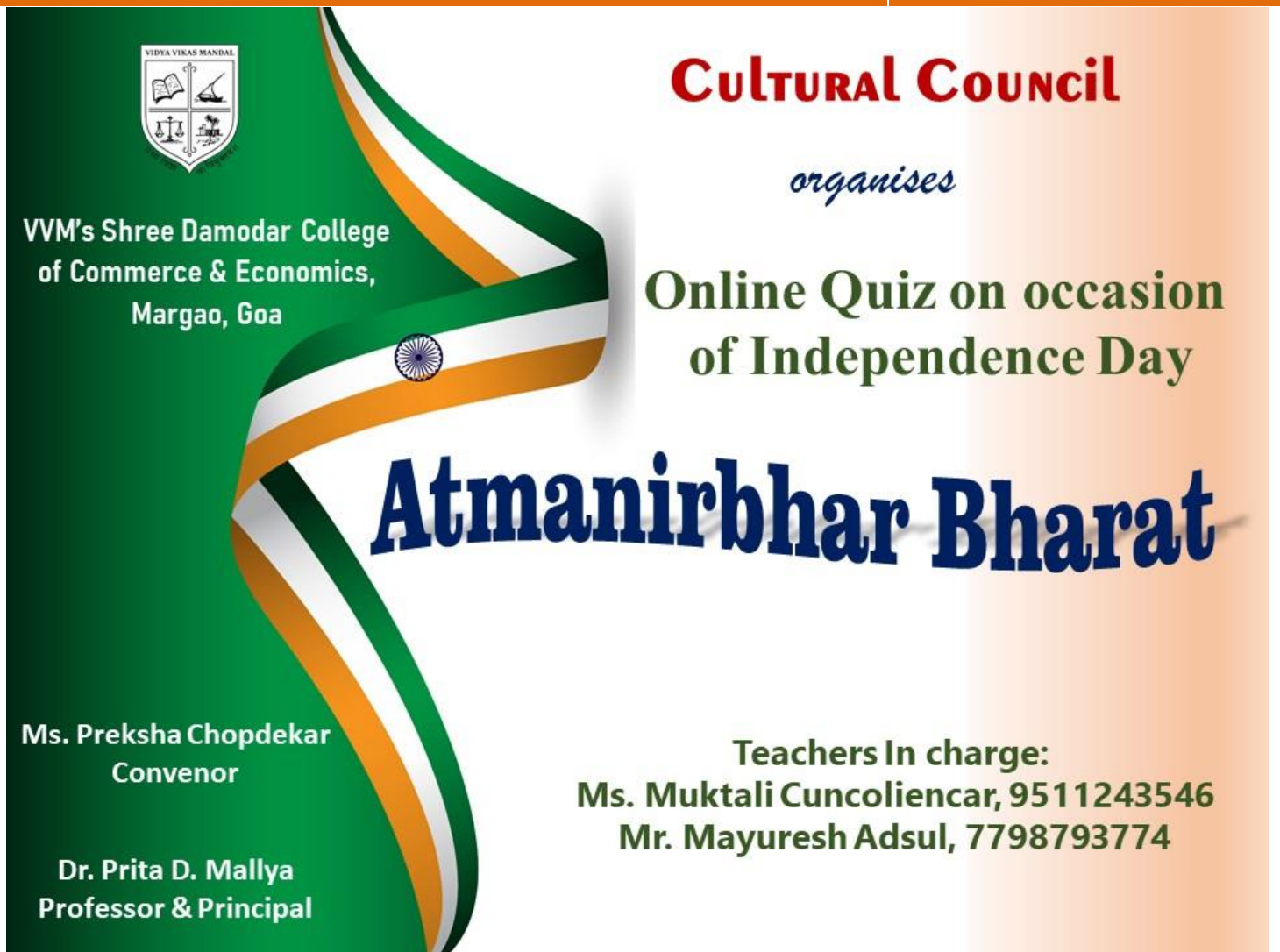
Group II: Cadets were assigned the responsibility of creating an awareness video on AtmaNirbhar Bharat Abhiyan; this was uploaded on the NCC Naval Unit blog of the college, <http://rncc.000webhostapp.com/>

Group III: Cadets were given the charge of sharing the link of the website providing information on AtmaNirbhar Bharat Abhiyan. 2318 people were encouraged to read the information.

Group IV: Cadets designed a digital poster which depicted their support towards AtmaNirbhar Bharat Abhiyan.

The video and the poster were later circulated widely on social media platforms on the occasion of Independence Day.

Online Quiz on 'Atmanirbhar Bharat'

13th – 20th August 2020

CULTURAL COUNCIL
organises
**Online Quiz on occasion
of Independence Day**

Atmanirbhar Bharat

Ms. Preksha Chopdekar
Convenor

Dr. Prita D. Mallya
Professor & Principal

Teachers In charge:
Ms. Muktali Cuncolienkar, 9511243546
Mr. Mayuresh Adsul, 7798793774

The Cultural Council organized an Online Quiz – 'Atmanirbhar Bharat' for the students and the general public, which was open from 13th- 20th August, 2020. The quiz tested the knowledge of the respondents on various aspects of Atmanirbhar Bharat Abhiyan launched by the Prime Minister of India, Mr. Narendra Modi, to promote self-dependency during these times of the pandemic.

The online quiz comprised of fifteen multiple-choice questions with no negative marking. The participants instantly received system generated e-certificates on their registered e-mail Id upon successful completion of the quiz with a minimum score of 50%.

104 participants answered the online quiz. The quiz was coordinated by Asst. Prof. Ms. MuktaliCuncolienkar and Asst. Prof. Mr. MayureshAdsul.

Video Launch on 'India's Freedom Struggle Through Postal Stamps: A Compilation'

15th August 2020



VVM's Shree Damodar College of Commerce & Economics Margao-Goa

**Readers' Club &
The Department of Library and Information Science**

*Presents before you
A Video on*

India's Freedom Struggle through Stamps : a Compilation



The Readers' Club and the Department of Library & Information Science jointly launched a video, 'India's Freedom Struggle Through Postal Stamps: A Compilation', on 15th August, 2020. The main highlights of the video are the epochal events of the freedom struggle viz. the Revolt of 1857, Jallianwala Bagh Massacre, Dandi March, Quit India Movement, Contribution of women to the freedom struggle and the contribution of freedom fighters and Revolutionists through postal stamps.

The special feature of this video is that it includes the first postal stamp of India namely 'JAI HIND- 15 Aug 1947', of 3.5 annas. More than 90 rare stamps were showcased in the video. This video was then shared with the general public on various social media platforms and was also uploaded on the College website.

Observance of National Librarian Day

20th August 2020



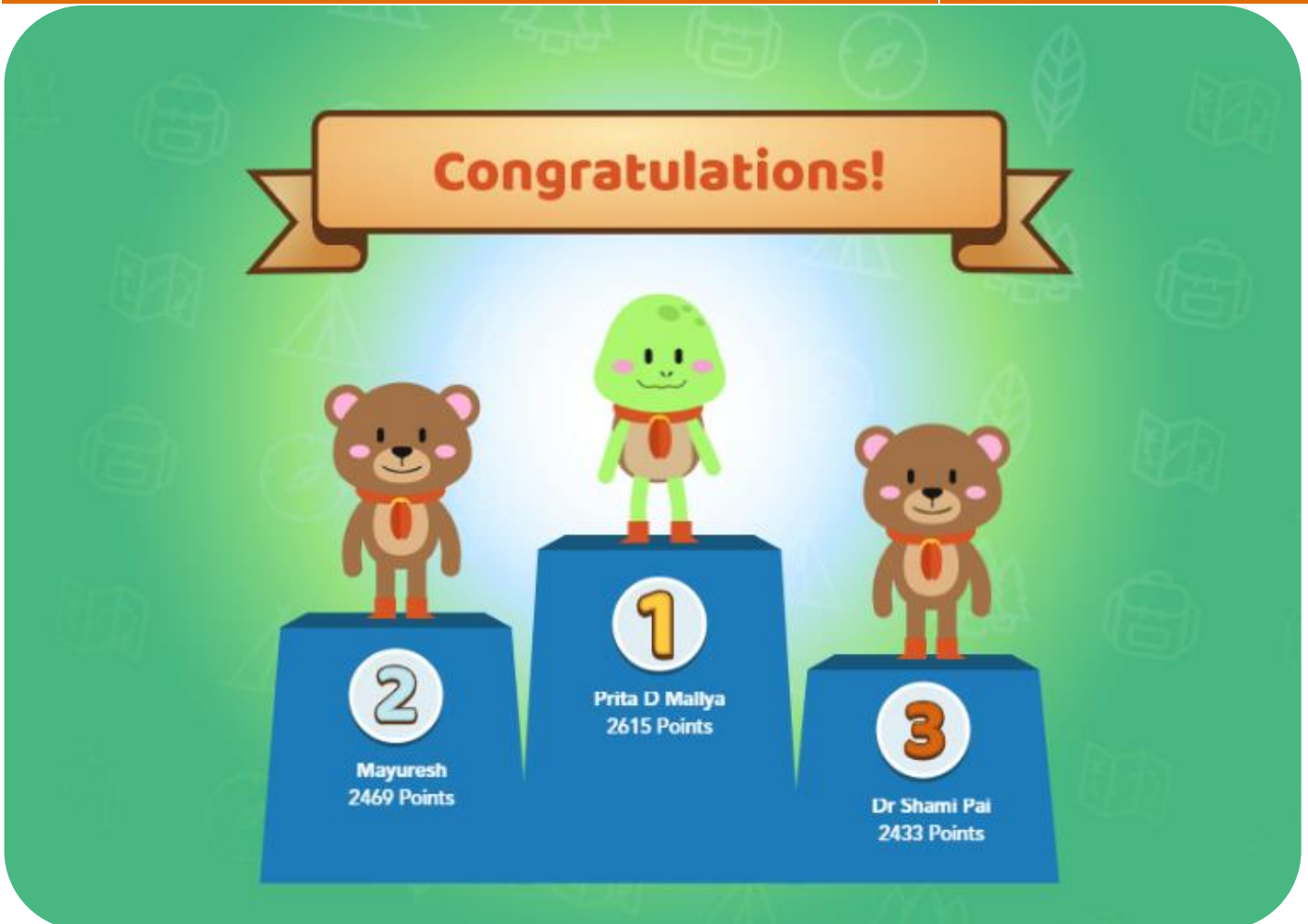
The Readers' Club and the Department of Library & Information Science jointly observed National Librarian Day on 20th August, 2020. The Principal, Dr.Prita D. Mallya along with the Readers' Club Convenor, Ms. Samiksha Vengurlekar, Librarian- Ms. Manasi D. Rege and the Library staff offered floral tributes to the Portrait of Dr S. R. Ranganathan - Father of Library Movement in India.

A Virtual Book Exhibition on Biographies was also launched on this day to mark the significance of reading. The video showcased Biographies, Autobiographies and Memoirs of nationally and internationally acclaimed Personalities. This video was shared with students and the general public on social media platforms encouraging them to read these

motivational and inspirational books.

Virtual Ganesh Chaturthi Celebration

28th August 2020



To mark the festive spirit of Ganesh Chaturthi, the Recreation Cell organised a virtual celebration for the teaching and non-teaching staff of the College on 28th August 2020 at 8.30 am through Google Meet. The programme commenced with the Principal Dr. Prita D. Mallya addressing the virtual gathering. Dr. Sheetal Arondekar then encapsulated the essence of the festival through her speech on Ganesh Chaturthi. This was followed by an online game organized by Ms. Stesa Pereira. The pictures and audio clips for the 'Keech Selfie' and 'Virtual Aarti' competitions were shared with the attendees. Participants and winners of the various activities received prizes from the Recreation Cell.

Webinar on "Developing a Healthy Lifestyle"

29th August 2020


VVM's Shree Damodar College of Commerce & Economics, Margao, Goa
Department of Physical Education & Sports and Internal Quality Assurance Cell

organize

Webinar on Developing a Healthy Lifestyle: Creating Healthy Habits for a Better Tomorrow

SATURDAY, 29TH AUGUST 2020
11.00 AM - 12.30 PM

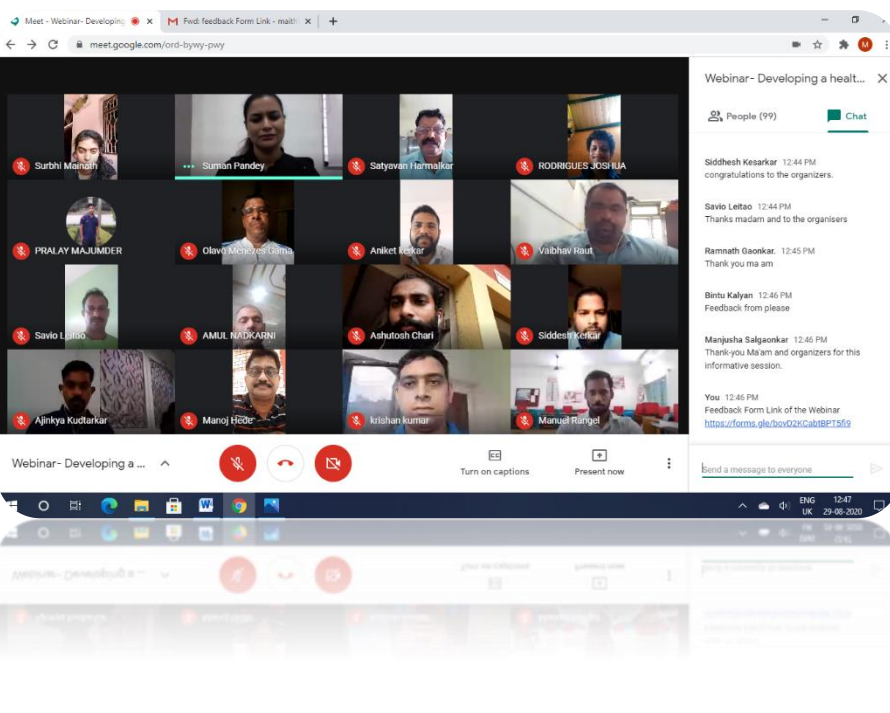
HOLISTIC HEALTH

Resource Person: Dr. Suman Pandey
 Assistant Professor in Physical Education
 Savitribai Phule Pune University

Webinar Coordinators
Mr. Ajinkya Kudtarkar
 9764205705
Dr. Shami Pai
 9823515061

The Department of Physical Education & Sports and The Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) organized a National Webinar on "Developing a Healthy Lifestyle" on 29th August, 2020 from 11.00 am to 12.30 pm on the occasion of National Sports Day. The webinar was conducted on the Google Meet platform.

Dr. Suman Pandey, Asst. Professor in Physical Education, Savitribai Phule Pune University, was the Resource Person. 467 participants registered for the Webinar. The meeting was hosted by Dr. Maithili Naik. Vice-Principal, Dr. Rodney D'Silva welcomed the virtual gathering,



The Webinar was organised to make participants aware of the importance of their health in these times of the pandemic. Through this webinar, participants were given tips on the prerequisites for a healthy lifestyle. Participants appreciated the webinar and the feedback was encouraging. All the participants received an E-Certificate after filling the feedback form. Dr. Shami Pai, Webinar Coordinator, proposed the Vote of Thanks.

Dear Readers,

As always, at Shree Damodar College, the emphasis is on the holistic development of students and adapting to the changing needs of society in general and our students in particular.

We are delighted to present the reports of activities in this edition of the E-Newsletter, with the College reaching out to students by way of webinars, quizzes and other innovative activities on a wide range of topics.

Ms. Samiksha S. Vengurlekar
Editor

Ms. Venisa D'Costa
Designer

Dr. Prita D. Mallya
Principal

Vidya Vikas Mandal's
Shree Damodar College of Commerce & Economics,
Shree Damodar Educational Campus, G.R. Kare Road, Tansor, Comba, Margao – Goa 403601
Tel: (0832) 2722500 Email: principal.sdcc@vvm.edu.in Website: www.damodarcollge.edu.in