

COUNTDOWN YOGA ON THE OCCASION OF 'INTERNATIONAL YOGA DAY'

The NSS Unit of SST College has always been a notable participant in many programs of Mumbai University. On the occasion of International Yoga Day, NSS Cell Mumbai University jointly organized Count-Down Yoga Program Day in association with SST College. Like every time, this time also the NSS unit of SST College contributed to a great event. The complete program was divided into 3 parts. In the first part, 135 NSS volunteers from different colleges of Thane district were trained through 1 day offline and 6 days online sessions at Ulhasnagar campus. In the second session, open training was organized for all through an online platform. International Yoga Day was celebrated in the third session at SST College. Shri Sagar Maitreya (Yoga Gold Medalist, University of Mumbai) guided the participants to do yoga asanas regularly, explaining the benefits of these asanas with deep knowledge.



SSTians performing Yoga on International Yoga Day

SST COLLEGE ORGANIZES GRAND ASHADHI EKADASHI CELEBRATION WITH A FOCUS ON ENVIRONMENT PROTECTION AND CULTURAL PRESERVATION

In a bid to promote environmentalism and cultural awareness, SST College of Arts & Commerce recently organized a grand Ashadhi Ekadashi celebration. As part of the festivities, a tree plantation drive was conducted with the participation of all the college students dressed in traditional Varkari attire.



Dr. J. C. Purswani, Principal with Dr. Khushbu Purswani, IQAC Coordinator



Asst. Prof. Anil Telinge and Asst. Prof. Deepak Gavade performing Tradit "Fudgi" along with all SSTians during Ashadi Ekadashi

The event, called Wari Aur Vruksha Dindi, aimed to raise awareness about the importance of protecting the environment and preserving our cultural heritage. The procession began at 10:00 am from the college premises and proceeded to Venus Chowk via Netaji Chowk and mahaprasad was organized on this occasion.

Honorable Chairman and Founder Principal of SST College, Dr. J. C. Purswani, expressed his satisfaction with the event's success and the mission to

spread the message of environmental protection through tree plantation and the Wari procession. The college's efforts of college towards promoting environmentalism have been appreciated at all levels in Ulhasnagar, and this event was no exception.

Overall, the grand Ashadhi Ekadashi celebration at SST College of Arts & Commerce was a grand success, showcasing the students' commitment to preserving our environment and cultural heritage.

SST COLLEGE AWARDED SWACHHATA AWARD BY MINISTRY OF EDUCATION



Mr. Jalkote and Asst. Prof. Deepak Gavade with Dr. Bhausaheb Karekar, Thane District Secondary Education Officer

On the occasion of 'Amrit Mahotsav of Independence', the educational institutions were inspected and evaluated through 'Swachh Bharat Swachh Vidyalaya Abhiyan' organized by the Ministry of Education. Based on various criteria, SST College has been awarded "Five Star Rating" more than 4000 educational Institutions/Colleges in Thane district.

Participated on behalf of SST College Asst. Prof. Devidas Jalkote and Asst. Prof. Deepak Gavade accepted this honor. Speaking on this very special occasion, Thane District Primary Education Officer Mrs Lalita Dahitule spoke about the importance of cleanliness, while Secondary Education Officer Dr. Bhausaheb Karekar congratulated everyone and encouraged the students to adopt the habit of cleanliness to realize its importance practically in our daily lives.

AKASH TOGRE AND SUFIYAN SHAIKH SHINE BRIGHT, WIN GOLD IN KHO KHO GAME IN KHELO INDIA YOUTH COMPETITION



SSTian Akash Tagore and SSTian Sufiyan Shaikh in Khelo India Youth Event

SSTian Akash Togre and SSTian Sufiyan Shaikh have once again upheld the legacy of college winning gold medals by emerging victorious in Kho-Kho sports competition in Khelo India Youth Competition. Their exceptional performance played a vital role in leading the Maharashtra team to victory. The duo showcased their brilliance in the Kho Kho game during the Khelo India Youth Competition and won gold medals, bringing pride and recognition to the college.

SST COLLEGE CELEBRATES GURU PURNIMA WITH FERVOR AND JOY



Dr. J. C. Purswani, Principal and Dr. Khushbu Purswani, IQAC Cordinator with Mr. Jeevan Vichare, NSS Unit and faculty members.

Guru Purnima, a day that is revered and celebrated by millions of people across India, was celebrated with great enthusiasm at SST College every year. The occasion marked a tribute to the gurus and teachers who have played a pivotal role in guiding students towards the path of enlightenment.

The program began with the worship of Maa Saraswati, the goddess of knowledge and wisdom. The students then kickstarted the celebrations by performing a mesmerizing dance on the song 'Bhetla Vitthal,' setting the tone for a festive mood. The meritorious students of the academic year 2021-22 were

felicitated by their parents, who were beaming with pride and joy on this special occasion.

The event also witnessed the distribution of certificates to the students of the Dance Mania Committee, who had excelled in various dance forms. Moreover, the college students participated in the India Book



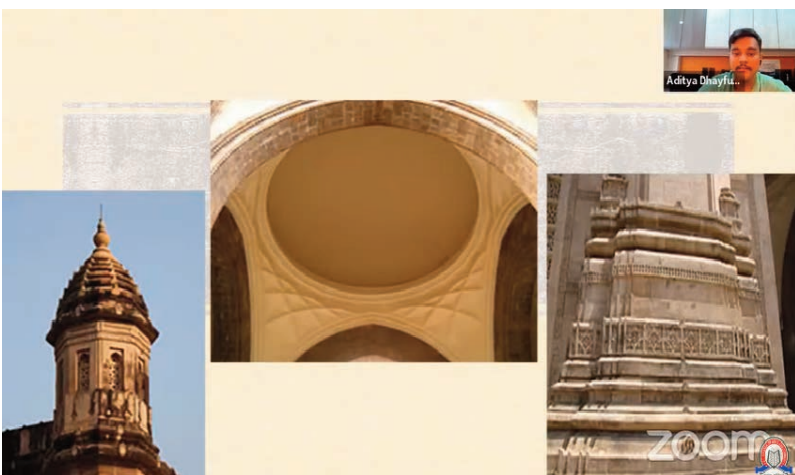
Dr. Purswani's joy moment with Parents during Guru Purnima Event



Students performing on "Bhetla Vitthal" during Guru Purnima Event of Records, and certificates were awarded to the deserving students who had made a mark in their respective fields.

The celebration of Guru Purnima at SST College was a grand success, with students actively participating in the festivities and paying their respects to their gurus and teachers. The occasion served as a reminder of the importance of education and the role of teachers in shaping the future of our society.

SST COLLEGE'S ARTS DEPARTMENT ORGANIZES A WEBINAR ON HIDDEN HERITAGE TOURIST SITES IN MUMBAI



Asst. Prof. Aditya Dharmendra Dhayfule discussing about Hidden Heritage Tourist Sites

Arts Department of SST College continues to strive towards imparting knowledge to its students, even through online platforms like Vidyadan or Muk-tangan. In a recent webinar, the department shedded light on some lesser-known yet historically significant tourist sites in Mumbai.

The webinar was conducted by Asst. Prof. Aditya Dharmendra Dhayfule from Shailendra Education Society Arts, Science, and Commerce College, Dahisar. He provided valuable guidance and highlighted the key features of these hidden gems in Mumbai. The webinar was attended by over 300

viewers who found it both informative and enjoyable.

Efforts of Arts Department's to educate its students about Mumbai's rich heritage and culture are commendable. By organizing such webinars, the college is not only helping its students broaden their horizons but also promoting tourism in the city.

The webinar proved to be a great success, and the viewers gained insights into the unexplored tourist destinations in Mumbai. With such initiatives, SST College continues to set an example for other institutions to follow in the field of education and knowledge dissemination.

SST COLLEGE HOSTS WEBINAR FOR ONLINE 11TH CLASS ADMISSION GUIDANCE

SST College is always at the forefront of providing the students with valuable information and guidance. In a recent webinar, the college's YouTube channel streamed a live session to guide students through the online admission process for class 11th. The webinar aimed to assist students in understanding the admission procedure.

Mrs. Swati Keswani, the webinar's speaker, provided students with valuable insights into the necessary documents required to be submitted along with the online form for admission. Additionally, she imparted knowledge regarding the process of filling out the online form and completing the admission process.

SST College demonstrates its commitment to helping students navigate the online admission process and make informed decisions about their futures.

FACULTY MEMBERS OF SST COLLEGE PRESENTED PAPER IN INTERNATIONAL WEBINAR ON DIGITAL LITERACY IN TEACHER EDUCATION

Certificates awarded to faculty members

The Department of Education at Bharathiar University in Tamilnadu recently hosted a one-day international webinar on global efforts to promote digital literacy in teacher education. The webinar featured presentations from Asst. Prof. Sunil Shah of SST College and Asst. Prof. Padma Deshpande, among others. A total of 62 participants registered for the webinar, with 32 papers ultimately selected for presentation. All participants received participation certificates issued by the Department of Education at Bharathiar University.

BANKING AND INSURANCE DEPARTMENT ORGANISES A MOCK BANK ON BANK NATIONALIZATION DAY



Dr. J. C. Purswani, Principal with Banking and Insurance students on Mock Bank Session

To celebrate Bank Nationalization Day, the Banking Insurance Department of SST College organized a one-of-a-kind program that aimed to showcase the workings of a bank. The event featured a mock bank setup where students learned how a bank operates and functions, including the use of various machines and equipment.

All the students of the department participated enthusiastically and worked hard to ensure the success of the event. As part of the program, the BCBI department also organized a quiz competition that saw active participation from students.

Bank Nationalization

Day, which falls on July 19th, is an important day in India's banking history. On this day in 1969, the government of India nationalized 14 major commercial banks, a move that aimed to increase financial inclusion and make banking services accessible to all citizens.

The BCBI department's program was an innovative way to mark this occasion, giving students a hands-on learning experience and practical insights into the world of banking. The event was well-received by all participants, who gained valuable knowledge and skills from the experience.

IT/CS DEPARTMENT HOSTS WEBINAR ON ETHICAL HACKING



Anshu Tiwari presenting Ethical Hacking in "Walk with Scholar" Program

IT/CS Department of SST College of Arts and Commerce recently organized a webinar as part of its "Walk with Scholar" program. The focus of the program was ethical hacking, and the guest speaker was Anshu Tiwari, a student of the IT/CS Department.

During the webinar, Tiwari shared his knowledge

and opinions about ethical hacking with the audience. The program was attended by students and faculty members of the college who were eager to learn about the topic.

Ethical hacking is the practice of using hacking techniques for the purpose of identifying and fixing security vulnerabilities in computer systems. It is a growing field, and there is a high demand for professionals who can help companies and organizations protect their digital assets from cyber attacks.

The IT/CS Department of SST College regularly organizes such programs to help students stay updated on the latest developments in the field of information technology. The "Walk with Scholar" program is just one of many initiatives taken by the college to encourage students to explore their interests and develop their skills.

SST COLLEGE STUDENT COUNCIL HOSTS NATIONAL WEBINAR ON 'FINANCIAL FREEDOM'

The Student Council of SST College of Arts and Commerce recently hosted a national-level webinar on the topic of 'Financial Freedom.' The event was held in collaboration with the National Stock Exchange of India (NSE) and aimed to educate students on the subject of financial freedom, as well as encourage them to explore and invest in various financial instruments available in the market.

The webinar featured Kaushal Kumar Mishra as the resource person who provided guidance to the attendees on the topic of financial freedom. He shared insights and knowledge on how students can achieve financial freedom

and independence, and the importance of investing wisely in the financial market.

The event received an overwhelming response from students across the country, with many participants engaging actively in the webinar. The Student Council expressed its gratitude to the NSE and Mr. Mishra for their valuable contribution to the event and making it a success.

The webinar was a great learning opportunity for students, providing them with essential knowledge and skills to manage their finances effectively.



DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT STUDIES CONDUCTS EDUCARE SERIES SEMINAR ON SOFT SKILLS DEVELOPMENT



From Left to Right: Asst. Prof. Sunil Shah, Asst. Prof. Nishita Singh and Dr. J. C. Purswani, Principal

Department of Management Studies of SST College, along with the Commerce Department, recently organized a seminar as part of the Educare series. The seminar focused on the development of communication and soft skills, which are essential for success in any field. The event was led by Asst. Prof. Nishita Singh as the Resource Person.

During the seminar, Asst. Prof. Nishita Singh highlighted the significance of effective communication and soft skills in the practical world. She also provided valuable guidance to the students on how to

develop these skills. The seminar was attended by a large number of students who were keen to improve their soft skills.

Additionally, the inauguration of the co-curricular activities of Department of Management Studies for the academic year 2022-23 was also held on this occasion. The Chairman and Founder Principal, Dr. J. C. Purswani, presided over the inauguration.

Overall, the seminar was a great success, and it helped the students to understand the importance of soft skills development in their personal and professional lives.

RESEARCH REVEALS SMOOTH TRANSITION FROM ONLINE TO OFFLINE EXAMS FOR STUDENTS



Asst. Prof. Deepika Valecha

As the college resumed offline classes following government and Mumbai University regulations, two teachers from SST College of Arts & Commerce conducted a study on the transition from online to offline learning and its impact on students. Asst. Prof. Deepak Gaade and Asst. Prof. Deepika Valecha investigated the effects of the changed examination system on students' perceptions and minds.

The research involved collecting information from first-year degree stu-

dents on their experiences during offline exams. Surprisingly, the findings revealed that students did not feel much stress during the offline exams and their marks were not adversely affected. The students appeared to be fully prepared for the transition from online to offline learning.

This study provides valuable insights into the effectiveness of offline learning and the adaptability of students. It also highlights the importance of monitoring and evaluating the impact of new educational systems.



Asst. Prof. Deepak Gavade

SST COLLEGE OF ARTS & COMMERCE SHINES IN ENVIRONMENT AWARENESS AND CLEANLINESS WEEK



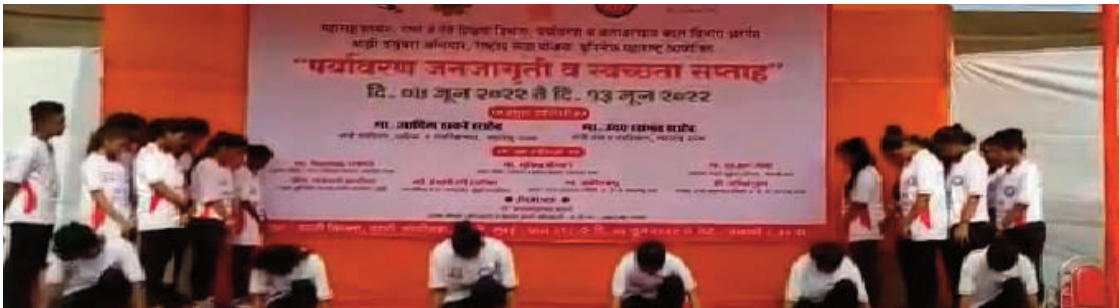
NSS Unit volunteers of SST College with Asst. Prof. Jeevan Vichare and Mr. Harshal Suryawanshi

Hon. Mr. Uday Samant, Minister of Higher and Technical Education, Maharashtra felicitating SST College's NSS Unit volunteers

NSS Volunteers of SST College recently participated in the "Environment Awareness and Cleanliness Week" organized by UNICEF Maha-

ra. They also cleaned up the Worli fort and surrounding areas, showcasing their commitment towards cleanliness and sustainability.

Many dignitaries were present at the event, and Mr. Jeevan Vichare, the



NSS Unit volunteers of SST College performing skit in Environment Awareness and Cleanliness Week

Minister of Higher & Technical Education Department, Environment & Climatic Change Department under National Service Scheme, Government of Maharashtra. The week-long event was inaugurated by Hon'ble Minister of Higher and Technical Education of Maharashtra, Uday Samant.

The NSS Volunteers of SST College performed street plays at 8 different locations in Worli Village and Worli fort to spread awareness about the en-

vironment. Vice Principal of SST College and Thane District Coordinator of NSS, was praised and honored by the Minister of Higher & Technical Education Department for his efforts towards creating a cleaner and greener environment.

The participation of the NSS Volunteers of SST College in this event is a testimony to their dedication towards environmental sustainability and their commitment towards creating a better world for everyone.

NATIONAL SERVICE SCHEME UNIT CELEBRATES VASUNDHARA DIVAS WITH ACTIVITIES AND AWARDS



NSS Unit members of SST College with Ulhasnagar Municipal Corporation Officials

National Service Scheme Unit of SST College of Arts and Commerce recently celebrated Vasundhara Day with various activities aimed at raising awareness for environment protection and preservation. The event was held in collaboration with Mumbai University, SST College NSS Unit and Ulhasnagar Municipal Corporation.

NSS volunteers from the college participated in a street play, flash mob, poster painting competition and other activities to spread awareness about the environment. The program was organized under the Mary Vasund-

hara initiative. In recognition of their efforts, Ulhasnagar Municipal Commissioner Dr. Raja Dayanidhi, Additional Commissioner Karuna Jukar, Dr. Subhash Jadhav and Head of Environment Department Smt. Visakha Sawant awarded medals and certificates to the college volunteers and NSS Department.

The NSS Unit of SST College has always been dedicated to creating awareness about environment protection and resource preservation in society, and the Vasundhara Day celebration was just one of their many initiatives towards this goal.

SST COLLEGE NSS UNIT ORGANIZES DISTRICT LEVEL COMPETITIONS ON WORLD ENVIRONMENT DAY



Creative Slogans for World Environment Day by participants

NSS Unit of SST College and NSS Cell, University of Mumbai, collaborated to organize a district-level competition on the occasion of World Environment Day. The competitions included Slogan Writing, Essay Writing, and a Quiz and were held on online platforms. The themes of the competitions were Only One Earth, My Earth My Responsibility, Save Earth, and Global Warming. The students of the college participated in

these competitions with great enthusiasm.

SST COLLEGE MARKS AMRIT MAHOTSAV OF INDEPENDENCE WITH ENTHUSIASM AND PATRIOTIC FERVOR



The Amrit Mahotsav of Independence was celebrated with great fervor and enthusiasm across the nation, and SST College was no exception. The college held a function to commemorate the occasion, with the President and Founder Principal, Dr. Purswani, hoisting the national flag.

As part of the celebration, the NSS volunteers of the college put up an impressive parade and paid their respects to the martyrs. The

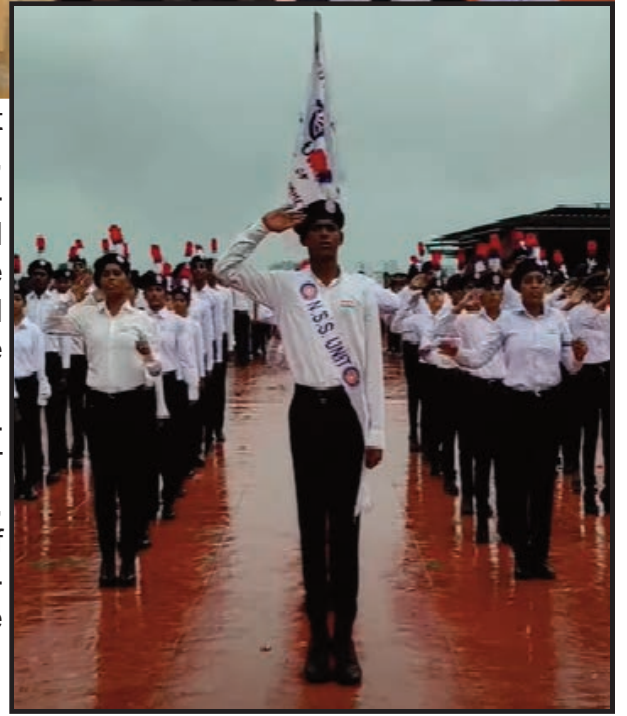
Cultural Department's Dance Mania Group also presented a patriotic dance, adding to the festive atmosphere.

Principal Dr. J.C. Purswani addressed the students and explained the true meaning and significance of Independence Day. He urged the students to remember the sacrifices made by our freedom fighters and to work towards building a better and stronger nation.

The program was conducted by Assistant Professor

Anil Teling, and the event was attended by students, teachers, and staff of the college. The program received an overwhelming response from everyone present, and the patriotic fervor filled the air.

Overall, the Independence Day celebration at SST College was a grand success, and it served as a reminder of the importance of our freedom and the need to preserve it for generations to come.



MASSIVE HUMAN CHAIN FORMED BY SSTIANS TO PROMOTE 'HAR GHAR TIRANGA, GHAR GHAR TIRANGA CAMPAIGN'



SST College, a prominent educational institution in the Ulhasnagar region, recently celebrated the Amrit Mahotsav of Azadi with a unique event aimed at promoting the "Har Ghar Tiranga, Ghar Ghar Tiranga Campaign." The event was attended by various organizations, including the NSS SAIL University of Mumbai, Ulhasnagar Municipal Corporation, and Vithalwadi Police Station, who came together to raise awareness about the campaign and cel-

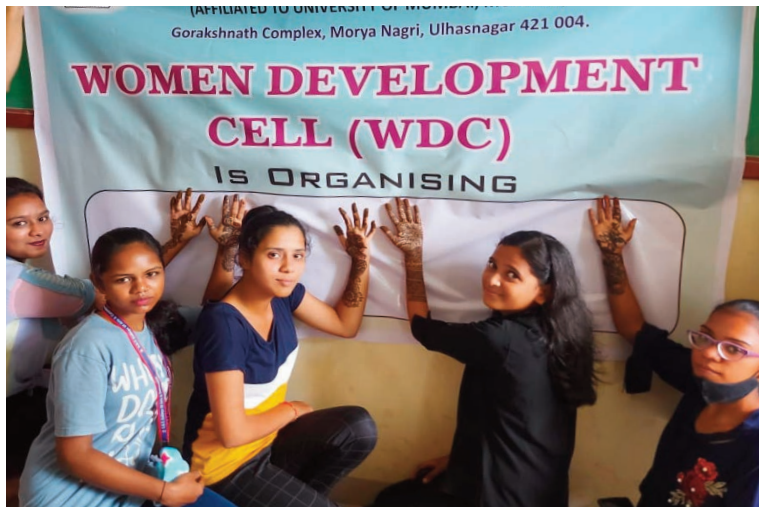
brate the spirit of independence.

The highlight of the event was a massive human chain, consisting of approximately 2000 students from SST College, that stretched from the college to Vinas Chowk. The Deputy Principal of the College, Dr. Khushboo Purswani, inaugurated the human chain by lighting a lamp, and tricolor balloons were released into the sky by the honorable Chairman and Founder Principal of the College, Dr. J. C.

Purswani, and Senior Police Superintendent of Vithalwadi Police Station, Shree Sanjay Gaikwad.

The event received widespread attention and was widely praised for its innovative approach to promoting patriotism and national unity. By bringing together students, educational institutions, and civic authorities, the event was a shining example of the power of collective action and community participation in driving positive change.

STUDENTS SHOWCASE ARTISTIC SKILLS AT SST COLLEGE'S MEHNDI AND TATTOO MAKING CONTEST



SST College's Women Development Cell recently organized a creative competition titled "An Art of Grooming Series," featuring a Mehndi and Tattoo making contest. The event saw enthusiastic participation from the college's students, who put their artistic skills to the test.

The competition aimed to provide a platform for students to showcase their talent and enhance their creative abilities. The Mehndi and Tattoo making contest proved to be a great opportunity for the participants to explore their artistic potential and hone

their skills. The event witnessed an array of stunning designs and patterns, showcasing the participants' unique styles and creativity. The competition was judged by a panel of experts, who evaluated the entries based on their creativity, originality, and skill.

Overall, the Mehndi and Tattoo making competition organized by SST College's Women Development Cell was a huge success, providing a platform for students to showcase their creativity and talent while promoting a sense of community among the participants.

SST COLLEGE DOMINATES UNIVERSITY OF MUMBAI'S YOUTH FESTIVAL ZONAL ROUND WITH 11 WINS



SST College continued its impressive winning streak at the zonal round of the Youth Festival organized by the University of Mumbai, asserting its dominance in several categories. The college's students secured top honors in 11 different competitions, including Mimicry, Mono Acting, One Act Play (Group A and C), Skit (Group A and C), Western Vocal Solo, Western Instrumental Solo, Indian Group Song, Storytelling, and On-the-Spot Painting.

The event witnessed fierce competition from several prestigious colleges in the region. However, the SST College students proved to be formidable opponents, showcasing their exceptional talent and creativity in various categories.

The judges were thoroughly impressed with the performances of the SST College students, awarding them prizes for their outstanding contributions. The college's consistent success in multiple categories is a testament to the exceptional training and support provided by the institution.

DEPARTMENT OF ARTS HOSTS INFORMATIVE AND ENGAGING HISTORY CRASH COURSE SERIES FOR STUDENTS



Department of Arts at SST College of Arts and Commerce recently organized a crash course on the subject of History. The course covered a range of topics, including History of the Contemporary World, History of Maratha, Research Methodology and Resource of History, History of Modern Maharashtra, and Identification of Archaeology.

The course featured several expert resource persons, including Asst. Prof. Mandar Thakur from Adarsh College, Badlapur, who provided insights into the History of the Contemporary World. Asst. Prof. Dr. Jitendra Bhamre from Konkan Gyanpeeth College, Karjat, guided students on the topic of History of Maratha. Dr. Baban Jadhav from SMDL College, Kalamboli Panvel, shared his expertise on Research Methodology and Resource of History. Asst. Prof. Dr. Ajaykumar Lokhande from K.V. Pendharkar College, Dombivli, served as a resource person for History of Modern Maharashtra. Aditya Dhayaphule from Shailendra College, Dahisar, guided students on the Identification of Archaeology.

The crash course proved to be a great success, with students appreciating the informative and engaging sessions. The course provided a platform for students to explore the diverse aspects of History and gain insights into different areas of study.

The Department of Arts at SST College of Arts and Commerce deserves credit for organizing this insightful crash course and providing students with an opportunity to expand their knowledge and skills. Overall, the event was a great success and received positive feedback from students and faculty members alike.

STUDENTS SHOWCASE LEGAL EXPERTISE AT SST COLLEGE'S MOOT COURT SESSION ON POCSO ACT



SST College of Arts and Commerce's Commerce Department recently hosted a Moot Court Session centered on the POCSO (Protection of Children from Sexual Offences) Act of 2019. The session was organized by the Commerce students and aimed to raise awareness about the issue of sexual offenses against children while also providing a platform for students to apply their legal knowledge and skills.

The Moot Court Session was designed to imitate ele-

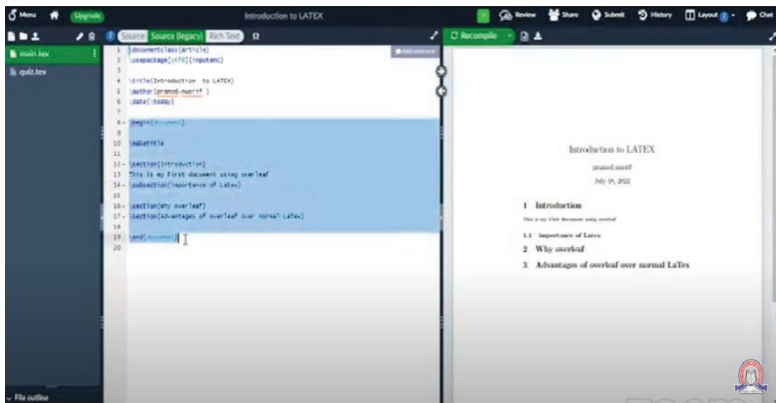
ments of both the Natyashastra and real-life court proceedings, allowing students to showcase their legal expertise and creativity. During the session, the students presented an informative and engaging overview of the POCSO Act, highlighting its key features and provisions.

The event was a resounding success, with students and faculty members alike praising the participants for their hard work and dedication. The Moot Court Session provided students with a unique opportunity to

deepen their understanding of the law and apply their knowledge to real-world scenarios.

SST College of Arts and Commerce is proud of its students' efforts to promote awareness of important social issues and foster the development of critical legal skills. By providing opportunities for students to engage with contemporary legal issues, the college is helping to prepare the next generation of legal professionals and advocates.

IQAC AND COMMERCE DEPARTMENT HOSTS LATEX FDP FOR FACULTY MEMBERS



IQAC Department of SST College of Arts and Commerce, in collaboration with the Department of Commerce, recently conducted a one-week national-level Faculty Development Program (FDP) on the use of Latex document preparation software systems. The program was led by Asst. Prof. Sheetal Anant Patil from the College of Engineering and

Research, Pimpri-Chinchwad, Pune, and Dr. Sandeep Borgaonkar from AISSMS Institute of Information Technology, Pune. The FDP was attended by all the professors of SST College, who were guided by Pramod Ganesh Rao Joshi. The program concluded with certification being awarded to all participating professors.

EXPERT SONIA DHAMI SHARES YOGA INSIGHTS WITH SST COLLEGE STUDENTS ON MUKTANGAN PLATFORM



In keeping with its commitment to provide expert guidance and inspiration to students, SST College's Mukhtangan online platform recently hosted Sonia Dhama, a teacher at Swami Shanti Prakash Yoga Training Center, on the occasion of Jagtik Yoga Day. Dhama interacted with students and introduced them to the Ashtanga Path of

Yoga. During her talk, she emphasized the physical and mental benefits of yoga and highlighted how it can help individuals maintain overall balance in their lives. The talk was particularly targeted towards women and youth, and Dhama shared important information about the role of yoga in improving overall well-being.

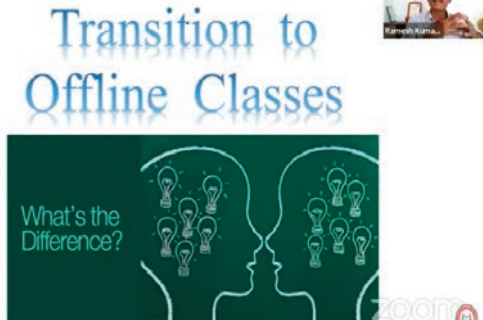
SST COLLEGE HOLDS WEBINAR ON BEGINNER'S GUIDE TO MUSIC PRODUCTION

SSST College organized a webinar along with Vidyadan series on "How to start Producing Music as a beginner". The session was conducted by Mr. Mukul Singh, a music producer and founder of the Folkish record label. Singh

provided guidance on music production, inspiring and engaging the participating students.

Through the series, the college aims to enhance the knowledge and skills and help them achieve their goals.

WEBINAR BY SST COLLEGE AIMS TO MENTALLY PREPARE STUDENTS FOR OFFLINE CLASSES



IT/CS Department of the college recently organized a webinar in collaboration with IQAC titled "Mentoring Positive Mood for Transition to Offline Classes". The aim of the webinar was to address the changes in student behavior resulting from the shift to online classes and help students transition to offline classes with a positive mindset. The resource person for the webinar was Prof. G. S. Ramesh Kumar, a meditation psychologist and therapist who provided valuable insights for both students and teachers.

SST COLLEGE CELEBRATES DEEP MAHOTSAV WITH ENTHUSIASM



SSST College of Arts and Commerce recently celebrated Deep Mahotsav with great enthusiasm and fervor. The program was graced by the presence of the College Principal Dr. Purswani, Vice Principal Dr. Khushbu Puruswani, Vice Principal Dr. Santosh Kar-



mani, and Supervisor Asst. Prof. Jalkote. One of the highlights of the celebration was a rangoli competition that was held for the college students. The students showcased their artistic skills by creating beautiful rangolis that added to the festive spirit of the occasion. Along with the competition, the significance of Deep Amavasya was also explained to the students.

SST ASSISTANT PROFESSORS PRESENT RESEARCH PAPERS AT INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE



During the Second International Conference organized by the Indian Academician and Research Association (IARA), two assistant professors of SST, Sunil Shah and Padma Deshpande, presented their research papers. Furthermore, both articles were also published in the IARA journal. A total of 182 participants were registered for the conference, and 26 scholars presented their papers.

DR. VARSHA SAWLANI HONORED FOR OBTAINING PH.D. AT SST COLLEGE



SSST College's Assistant Professor Varsha Sawlani has recently obtained a doctoral degree. As part of the faculty, all professors at SST College maintain their education and stay up-to-date in their fields. To celebrate Dr. Sawlani's achievement, the college staff held a ceremony where they cut a cake and presented her with a bouquet of flowers. During the ceremony, the college's Chairman and Founder Principal, Dr. J. C. Purswani, and IQAC Coordinator, Dr. Khushbu Purswani, congratulated Dr. Varsha Sawlani on her accomplishment. Dr. Sawlani also shared her Ph.D. journey with everyone at the event.

IT/CS DEPARTMENT ORGANIZES WEBINAR ON PROGRAMMING SKILLS

IT/CS Department of SST College of Arts and Commerce recently organized a webinar titled "Null Byte Bootcamp on Programming Skills" using the user-friendly online platform, Google Meet. This webinar was open to all students, regardless of their department or prior programming experience. The boot camp featured resource persons Shyam sir and S Ashish who provided guidance on programming skills, web designing, and other useful topics for the participating students.

SST COLLEGE CONDUCTS SUCCESSFUL VACCINATION DRIVE FOR STUDENTS AND STAFF MEMBERS



In an effort to ensure the health and safety of its students and staff members, SST College of Arts and Commerce recently conducted a vaccination drive on its campus. The drive, which began at 10.00 am, saw a large number of college students, professors, and nearby citizens gather to receive booster doses and first two doses of the COVID-19 vaccine.

The vaccination drive was organized by the NSS Swayam Sevak, in collaboration with College Principal Dr. J.C. Puruswani and NSS District Coordinator Jeevan Vichare, who also attended the event as a Chief Guest. Dr. Hussain Syed, Dr. Jitendra Lad, nurse Manda Dange, and Asha workers were responsible for administering the vaccines and ensuring the

smooth running of the event.

Speaking about the drive, Dr. J.C. Puruswani said, "We understand the importance of vaccination in these challenging times, and we are committed to doing our part to ensure the health and safety of our students and staff members. We are grateful to all the participants who made this event a success and hope that more such drives

can be organized in the future to help combat the spread of the virus."

All the professors of the college were actively involved in the drive and gave their complete support to the program. The event was a resounding success and helped to raise awareness of the importance of vaccination in the fight against the ongoing pandemic.

SST COLLEGE'S RAHUL AKUL BECOMES MEMBER OF MUMBAI UNIVERSITY THANE DIVISIONAL SPORTS COMMITTEE

Thane Divisional Sports Committee under Mumbai University held a meeting to discuss the planning of sports competitions for the academic year 2022-23. In the meeting, Sports Director of SST College, Rahul Akul was selected as a member of the Mumbai University Thane Divisional Sports Committee. The Chairman and Founder Principal of SST College, Dr. J. C. Puruswani, congratulated Akul on his achievement. This appointment is expected to provide an opportunity for SST College to participate in various sports events and enhance the sports culture on campus. The Committee will work towards organizing various sports events and tournaments for the upcoming academic year in the Thane Division of Mumbai University.



MUMBAI UNIVERSITY AND SST COLLEGE ORGANIZE WEBINAR ON 'HAR GHAR TIRANGA' TO CELEBRATE AZADI KA AMRIT MAHOTSAV

University of Mumbai and SST College's National Service Planning Department organized a webinar titled 'Har Ghar Tiranga' to commemorate Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav. The webinar emphasized the signifi-

cance of the Indian National Flag and Independence Day, and paid tribute to the sacrifice of national leaders and the spirit of patriotism. The webinar was attended by 347 program officers from various colleges of Mumbai University. Distinguished guests such as Dr. Sanjay Jagtap, Regional Joint Director Higher Education, Regional Director



insights in the webinar. The event was graced by the presence of notable personalities such as Dr. Sudhir Puranik, Registrar in charge and Director of the Examination Department, Shri. Sushil Shinde, OSD of Mumbai University, Mr. Ramesh Devkar and Asst. Prof. Jeevan Vichare, District Coordinator of NSS Thane.

DEPARTMENT OF ARTS AND NSS UNIT COMMEMORATE KARGIL VIJAY DIVAS

Department of Arts and the National Service Scheme (NSS) unit of SST College of Arts and Commerce celebrated Kargil Vijay Diwas with great enthusiasm. Asst. Prof. Sachin Phalke and NSS District Coordinator and Vice Principal of the college, Asst. Prof. Jeevan

Vichare, provided important information to the students about the significance of Kargil Vijay Diwas, which is celebrated on July 26 every year to mark India's victory over Pakistan in the Kargil War. Asst. Prof. Harshada Darekar conducted the program with the students.

