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Centenary of Dayalbagh Education Celebrated at Faculty of Engineering



In tune with the ongoing series of events marking the celebration of glorious hundred years of education at Dayalbagh, the Engineering Faculty of DEI organized three- day celebration, which was held from 2-4 September, 2016. The budding engineers of the Institute, under the able supervision of their teachers, employed their best efforts to showcase their knowledge, creativity, talent, dynamism and vision, reflecting their all round development attained through DEI education.

An Exhibition on the History of Engineering Education in Dayalbagh was impressively displayed on all three days that not only applauded the glorious past in the form of erstwhile Engineering College, but also the bright present of the Faculty. The Display of Working Models & Charts by the students mirrored the interests and awareness of the students in their related fields.



The three-day Workshop on Robotics garnered lot of attention and interest of the students, which could be seen in their participation in large numbers. An interesting Cultural extravaganza was also put up on all three days that brought out the spirited exhibition of students' talent in singing, dancing, musical show and dramatics. The students also got a chance to display their sporty side through events like Tug-of-War and Volley Ball Matches. A unique element of the celebrations was a Student Conference based on the model of United Nations Conference where the students in the role of representatives of different member countries expressed their concern over serious issues concerning violation of Human Rights around the world.

Some other highlights of the celebrations were, Interaction with Alumni, Special Talks by eminent



personalities like, Er. S.V.S. Rathore, MD, DVVNL, Agra, Air Cdr. Amit Tyagi, Prof Karmeshu, Prof. Emeritus, JNU, Delhi and Er. K.L.Verma (CEO-Sunflame) and some other reputed personalities. Felicitation of the retired teachers was also one of the highlights of the

occasion. Above all, the celebration received a great boost when the Faculty was blessed by the August Presence of Most Revered Prof. P.S. Satsangi Sahab, Chairman, Advisory Committee on Education, Dayalbagh Educational Institutions.

Celebrations Galore at the Faculty of Social Science



100 years of education and 35 years of Dayalbagh Educational Institute (Deemed University) was celebrated with pomp and enthuse in Faculty of Social Sciences from 23 – 25 September, 2016. On these three days there was an exhibition in the faculty along with the display of models and posters on Entrepreneurship & Consciousness. For the amusement of the students a Fun-Zone was created with games based on entrepreneurship. Some psychometric tests were also conducted to aquaint the gathering with the dimensions of the field of Psychology. To promote the study and experiences of consciousness there were some 'Chakra Healing Sessions' organized from 10:30 am to 4:00 pm on these three days.

Amongst the events conducted on 23 September were, the workshop on dramatics, student competitions on 'art from waste' and poster competition on consciousness. Students of Faculty of Social Sciences presented a *Nukkad Natak* on this



day, which was followed by an impressive Panel discussion on "Water Management".

On 24 September, a session on Yoga was conducted while judgment of posters and models was also made. There were some invited talks for 'Entrepreneurial Mindset & Start-up Scenario in India'. The same day the Chairman Advisory Committee on Education, Most Revered Prof. P.S. Satsangi Sahab, Graced the occasion by His presence and attended the Invited talks of Prof. Pami Dua, Director of Delhi School of Economics and Dr. Anita Sharma. It was followed by a varied and robust Cultural programme.

On 25 September, the Alumni of DEI were invited for Interaction which was followed by the NGT workshop on Entrepreneurial Education. Towards the end of this last day of celebrations, the enthusiastic & eager students were acknowledged for their efforts at the Prize Distribution Function.







DEI Students Display Vivacity in Youth Parliament



In the group level competition of Model Youth Parliament conducted by the Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs, the students of DEI presented a perfect pattern of working of the Lok Sabha on 14 September, 2016. The Hall at the International Seminar Complex of the Institute was looking like a striking model of the Chamber of the Indian Parliament, with Speaker seated at the centre of the House, members of the Opposition seated on the left of the rostrum and the seats for the government benches on the right of the rostrum. There was also a gallery for the Press and the Foreign Delegates.

The practices and proceedings, which are normally taken up in the Lok Sabha Session, were immaculately exhibited by the student representatives of DEI, who seemed to be well acquainted with the current social and civil issues. During the Question Hour, the representatives of the Opposition (Kanishka Kohli, Saloni and Mahima Satsangi) raised the issues related to Internal Security, Sports and Water-crisis and took the Government to task. Anubha Singh, Yogi





Chaudhary and Abhinn Dayal Saxena, who were representing the ruling party, showed a lot of wit and dynamism in giving balanced answers to these questions/charges. Ambika Reddy, as the Human Resource Development Minister, presented a Bill related to 'Common School System'. Later, in the 'Calling Attention Motion', a good debate took place between the members of the Government and the Opposition.

Addressing the issues and charges related to Reservation and Education, Udit Tiwari, in the role of the Prime Minister, appealed to all the members of the House to work in co-operation and solve the difficulties keeping public interest in view. The session was presided over by Rhimanshi Mukund who was present as the Speaker of the House.

The Jury for estimating the performance comprised eminent personalities like, Sh. Babulal, Honourable Member of Parliament, Prof. Kushal Sen from Delhi University and Prof. Dinesh Arora from D.A.V. College, Jalandhar. All three members lauded the organization and presentation of Model Parliament by DEI and expressed their appreciation of the way the students had displayed their cognizance about the current state of affairs that the country is facing. The following six students were chosen by the Jury for the award of 'Best Performance':

Rhimanshi Mukund - Speaker

Udit Tiwari - Prime Minister

Ambika Reddy - Human Resource
Development Minister

Nivedita Vashistha - Member, Opposition

Anushka Srivastava - Member, Opposition Antra Prakash - Member, Opposition



Faculty News

Faculty of Arts

Under the remedial teaching scheme of UGC, Department of Sanskrit organized a lecture based on "Vastushastra ek Bhartiya Vigyan" on 31st August 2016. On this occasion Dr. Deshbandhu, Head, Sanskrit department, K.M.I Vidhyapeeth, Dr. B R Ambedkar University, was the chief speaker. Prof. Urmila Anand, Prof. Agam Kulshreshth, Prof. Giriraj Kumar, Dr. Anita, Dr. Indu Bansi, Dr. Sangita were present on this occasion. Prof. L N Koli and Dr. Nishith Gaur coordinated the programme.

"Sanskrit day" was organized by Sanskrit Dept. on 10 Sept. 2016. Retd. Prof. Manju Bhatnagar was the chief guest of the programme. The programme was coordinated by the research scholars of the department. Students of Sanskrit dept. recited *Saraswati Vandana* and Sanskrit *Geet* and performed other related activities.

On the eve of the "Hindi Diwas" Hindi Dept. organized a special lecture delivered by the former Vice-chancellor, Mr. Vibhuti Narain Rai. He spoke on the topic "Hindi Ka Bhavishya; Bhavishya Ki Hindi"

Staff News

Dr. Shivendra Pratap Tripathi and Mr. Gautam Tiwari of Department of Music attended 75th Orientation Course from 30th August 2016 to 26th September 2016 at UGC-HRDC, Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi.

Faculty of Education

With an objective to provide a platform for dedicated discussions on research related recent trends and issues, a Research Scholars' Meet 'SPARK-Systematic Productive Analytic Research Kaleidoscope' was organized in Faculty of Education on August 12, 2016 on the theme 'Recent Developments in Education' in which Lalitesh Tiwari and Abdul Sameer Khan presented their views on 'Draft of National Policy on Education-2016- A Critical Overview' and 'NMC-Horizon Report-2016' respectively. 'Paheli Pahel' was conducted in the programme during which riddles related to research and statistics were asked. Boosting the morale of the research scholars, Prof. K. C. Vashishth, Prof. Vibha Nigam, Prof. N.P.S.

Chandel and Prof. Indira Sharma shared their research related experiences with the research scholars and encouraged them to always maintain the high standards of research. Dayal Sandhu compered the programme and Aditi Bapte, Prasoon Singh, Astha Upadhyay, Pravendra Birla assisted in the successful organization. The programme was convened and co-ordinated by Dr. Neha Shivhare.



A Special Lecture was organized in Faculty of Education for the staff and students on August 13, 2016 in which Prof. S. P. Malhotra, Former Head, Faculty of Education, Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra, presented his thoughts and experiences on the theme of 'Inter-Disciplinary Research'. Throwing light on the concept, types and relevance of Inter-disciplinary research Prof. S. P. Malhotra explained various methods for conducting it. The programme was convened by Dr. Neha Shivhare.



Staff News

Prof. K. C. Vashistha was invited to a Two-Day Expert Group Meeting during 22-23 August, 2016 to review the reports for documentation under PAC Programme entitled as "All India Competition on Innovative Practices and Experiments in Education for Schools and Teacher Educational Institutions, 2016-17" at NCERT, New Delhi.

Prof. K. C. Vashistha attended a Three-Day Workshop on "Teaching Online Courses using Moodle LMS" from 8-10 August, 2016, at NUEPA.



Students' Achievements

Neha Chauhan, Student of M.Ed III semester of Faculty of Education participated in a Drama Competition "Vyapari Kare Pukar" organized by Saraafa Market Committee, Agra in the month of August, 2016. She and her group won 1st



Faculty of Engineering

Participated in Seminar/Conference: 03

Dr. Debasis Chakarborty, Director ADRDE Lab, DRDO delivered an invited talk in Faculty of Engineering, D.E.I., Dayalbagh, Agra on the topic, 'Journey of DRDO' on Sept. 23, 2016 under the aegis of DEI Students Chapter (Elect.), Institution of Engineers India. Prof. D. K. Chaturvedi Advisor, Electrical Engineering Chapter, welcomed the guest and presented the momento. Prof. K. HansRaj presented the vote of thanks.

Staff News

Prof. D.K. Chaturvedi delivered an expert talk on 'Consciousness measurement and Chakra Energy' at Faculty of Social Science, D.E.I., Dayalbagh, Agra on the occasion of 100years of Education in Dayalbagh on 25 Sept. 2016. He also reviewed IEEE Transactions on Power Systems manuscript no. TPWRS-01023-2016.

"Mr. Atul Suri has been upgraded from Associate Member (AMIE) to Member of Institution of Engineers (MIE), Kolkata, India with membership number M-155767-4."

Students' Activities

DEI Students Chapter (Elect.), Institution of Engineers India organized Engineers' Day on 15th Sept. 2016. Er. Satyaveer Singh Rathore, Managing Director, Dakshinanchal Vidyut Vitran Nigam Ltd, Agra as Guest of Honour and Prof. Anand Mohan, Registrar DEI presided over the function. Prof. D.K. Chaturvedi, Advisor Electrical Engineering





Chapter presented a brief report on the activites held during 2015-2016 and gave some useful tips to the students for their future success. Shri Sahab Das presented the Vote of Thanks. Dr. B.B. Rao, Principal Technical College and Dr. M. Radhakrishna, Advisor, Polytechnic Students chapter, were present on the Dais. Prizes were distributed by the Guest of Honour to various prize winners.

Faculty of Science Staff News

The National Academy of Sciences, India has elected Professor Sukhdev Roy of the Department of Physics and Computer Science as its Fellow. He was also awarded the Smt. Manorama Rathore Memorial Award by the Institution for Electronics and Telecommunication Engineers, India, for outstanding research contributions in the emerging multidisciplinary area of Nanophotonics. The award carried a medal and a certificate. He delivered an invited talk in the Symposium on Graphene and its Applications, I.I.T. Bombay, on August 10, 2016. He also reviewed research papers for RSC Advances, Dyes and Pigments, Micro and Nano Systems, The Open Biomedical Engineering Journal and the Indian Journal of Science and Technology.



Professor Sukhdev Roy receiving the award from Shri A.S. Kiran Kumar, Chairman, ISRO.

Mr. Satendra Kumar Soni, Assistant Professor, Department of Botany, completed refresher course in convergence of science from University of Rajasthan, Jaipur and secured 'A' grade.

Students' Achievements

The following students got placed in TCS company: Tanya Chaturvedi (Maths Hons.) and Aashina Arora (CS Hons.)



NSS Activities

Swacchhata Karykram

The NSS Volunteers of various faculties of the institute enthusiastically participated in intensive cleaning activities under 'Swacchh Bharat Abhiyan' in August 2016 for cleaning of Campus and surroundings. They also participated in 'Swacchhata Shapath Karykram' organized on 11 August 2016.



Programmes of "Independence 70"

The Institute celebrated "Independence 70" during 9-23 August, 2016. On this occasion, NSS Cell of the Institute organized Cultural Programmes, Invited Talks, Swacchhata Karykram, Inter-faculty Poster/ Writing Competition, and Inter-faculty Speech Competition on "Independence 70".





Tree Plantation in Environment Protection Month

During the 'Environment Protection Month' (19 July - 31 August 2015) the NSS Volunteers of various faculties of the institute enthusiastically



participated in Plant Maintenance and Intensive Tree Plantation Programmes in the Campus and surroundings under guidance of Dr. Rajiv Ranjan and other Programme Officers of the Institute.

Sadbhavna Day

To mark the birth anniversary of the Late Prime Minister Shri Rajeev Gandhi, the NSS Wing of the Institute celebrated 'Sadbhavana Day' on 20 August 2016. On this day NSS volunteers of various faculties participated in 'Sadbhavana Day Pledge Ceremony'. In the evening session NSS Volunteers of various faculties participated in Poster/ Slogan Competition on the topic Communal Harmony.



Free Medical & Rural Assistance Camps

For overall development of people in nearby rural areas, the NSS Cell of the Institute organized Two Free Medical & Rural Assistance Camps on Bahadurpur - Poyiaghat Road during August 2016. The services offered in these camps included Free Medical Services including Free Medical Check-up, Pathological Tests and Medicine distribution, Hole-in-the-Wall





(Computer Awareness Programme), Children Recreation Centre, Center For Spoken English, Education & Career Counseling Cell (For Rural Youth), Rural Assistance Cell (Advisory Services on Agriculture, Dairying and other Local Problems), Chaupal (For developing Culture and Ethics among people of nearby rural areas) and Centre for Vocational Training. The details and number of beneficiaries in these camps are as follows:

		No. of Beneficiaries			
Camp	Date	Medical	Hole-in-the-Wall+	Rural Assistance + Edu. & Career	Total
No.		Centre	CRC + Spoken English	Counseling + Chaupal + Voc. Training	
150	14.8.2016	92	77	57	226
151	28.8.2016	405	186	171	762

NCC Activities

The NCC cadets of the institute participated in a memorable and inspirational programme of "Monsoon Tree Plantation Drive" organized by SPHEEHA near Dayalbagh Gymnasium, Agra. Most Revered Chairman, Advisory Committee on Education, Most Respected Rani Sahibaji and few other dignitaries of Dayalbagh graced the occasion and also took part in the drive. In that function about 55 cadets of DEI, 20 cadets of REI and about 35 girls' cadets of Prem Vidyalaya took part with full enthusiasm. The function was also witnessed by the NCC officials.



Another tree plantation activity was conducted in Science faculty, DEI by NCC cadets. 50 NCC cadets took part actively in the programme, and initiated a motto of "Be a Green Warrior".

NCC cadets put a step forward for cleanliness of Agra City and initiated "Swachh Bharat Mission" with Nagar Panchayat, Dayalbagh, Agra. In the programme about 70 cadets of DEI, 30 cadets of REI and about 35 girls of PV participated with full devotion and cleaned the surrounding from Nagar Panchayat office to Jaganpur Village. An Awareness Rally was also organized where the Cadets made display boards and repeated the slogans to keep

Agra clean and green.

As a regular activity DEI cadets also participated in "Swachh Bharat Abhiyan" held near Officers mess, Mall Road, Agra. 115 cadets participated and spread the message of cleanliness to the people.



35 Third year cadets attended CATC-11 at John Milton School, Agra from 10 September 2016 to 19 September 2016. In the camp, the cadets were given various posts such as Roman Rajoria as 2IC, Sachin Verma as R.P Hawaldar, Prakhar Punj as Bravo company Senior and Rajat Bhardwaj as College Senior of DEI. Cadets took active participation in various activities of the camp.





Inauguration of DEI-TVS Community College in DEI Campus



The Dayalbagh Educational Institute and TVS Motor Co. Ltd signed an MoU on 22 September 2016 to start the DEI-TVS Community College, in the DEI campus. Here, two programmes, one for Sales training and another for Service training will be offered.

Prof. Prem Kumar Kalra, Director, DEI signed the MoU on behalf of DEI and Dr. V. Kovaichelvan, Senior Vice President-HR signed it on behalf of TVSM. A modern Training Workshop, along with two classrooms, was also inaugurated. The Workshop will cater to the training needs of the enrolled students. The Workshop is equipped with two lifts, parts cleaner, battery charger, spark plug cleaner & tester, nitrogen tyre filling in addition to general & special tools and other equipment, cutsection models & engines, and a variety of scooters and motorcycles for student practice. Two trainers underwent basic training at the company's plant at Hosur. They also underwent special training at the company's Training Centres for Sales and Service respectively.

The programme was well attended by around 30 representatives of TVSM dealers of UP & Delhi and some company officials. The dealers were happy to see the facilities in the Training Workshop and have high hopes of getting trained manpower from DEI.

Dr. V. Kovaichelven stressed that trained manpower is the need of the hour. Shri Niraj Kumar, GM - Service, TVSM said that both TVSM and DEI



have a 100 year history and their coming together will benefit the underprivileged youth of the society. Shri. U.B. Pandey, Associate Vice President - Sales and Regional Business Head (North), spoke on improving customer experience. Prof. Kalra, Director, DEI suggested to Dr. Kovaichelvan that DEI and TVSM could take such social responsibility initiatives in other places also where DEI has its presence, for the benefit of the backward and underprivileged sections of the society. Prof. Anand Mohan, Registrar, DEI traced the genesis of today's occasion and said that in Dayalbagh and DEI we move forward with evolution rather than revolution. He further said that such progress is always stable and sustainable. Dr B.B. Rao, Principal, D.E.I Technical College assured everyone that the goal of setting up the facility will be met and the centre will turn out well trained mechanics to cater to the needs of the two-wheeler industry.

The two programmes envisage 1 module of classroom training, comprising both theory and practice, and thereafter 3 modules of on-the-job training at the company's dealerships in the hometown of the student. After successful completion of the training, the student will be offered employment in the company's dealership and the dealer will reimburse his course fees. The student will also be given two sets of college uniform free of charge. These two courses will commence with Module 2 of DEI.

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