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HIGHLIGHTS – DECEMBER, 2022



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It is my pleasure to present the highlights of activities and remarkable achievements for the month of December, 2022.

Highlights of the Month

- FDP Workshop on 'Teaching Learning and Evaluation Techniques'
Teaching Learning Educational Technology Cell (TLETC) and Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) of the College organized a Two Day Faculty Development Program for all the new faculties of the institute on 1st and 2nd December 2022. The objective of the workshop was to understand and apply Bloom's Taxonomy in Teaching – Learning and Evaluation, present an overview of different teaching-learning methods and to showcase different methods of evaluation. The workshop was inaugurated by Dr. (Ms.) Sameena Falleiro, Convener, TLETC. Mr. Kumaresh V.C., Vice-Principal addressed the gathering and highlighted the importance of implementing different modes of teaching and evaluation for the benefit of the students.

Eminent faculties from the field, Prof. Nandakumar Sawant, Prof. Nandini Vaz Fernandes and Mr. Andrew Barreto were the resource persons for the workshop. The resource persons familiarized the participants with the different tools and web resources which could be utilized by the faculties. Prof. Dr. Nandkumar Sawant conducted 03 sessions covering Quality Higher Education & Overview of Bloom's Taxonomy, 'Case Study' as T-L method and Assignment Writing as Evaluation Mode. He also summarised the sessions and explained the rationale of the series of sessions. Prof. Nandini Vaz Fernandes conducted 04 sessions covering Digital Blooms, Overview of TL Methods, 'Problem Based Learning' as a T-L method, Overview of Evaluation Methods and 'Gobbet and PBL' as evaluation mode. Mr. Andrew Barreto conducted 03 sessions covering Blended Learning, Digital Platforms and E-Portfolio as Evaluation mode.

A total of 19 faculty participated on day one and 18 faculty attended on day two.



Dr.(Ms.) Sameena Falleiro inaugurating the workshop



Mr. Kumaresh V.C., Vice Principal addressing the gathering



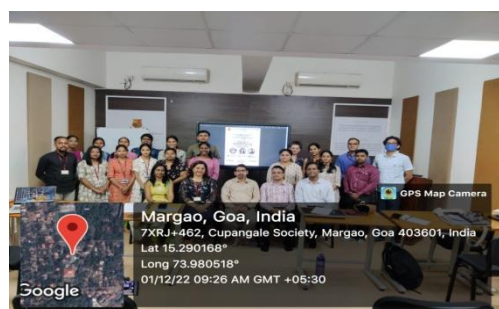
Prof. Nandakumar Sawant delivering the session



Prof. Nandini Vaz Fernandes delivering the session



Mr. Andrew Barreto delivering the session



Resource persons along with the Organizing committee, and participants of the FDP Workshop on 'Teaching Learning and Evaluation Techniques'



• Celebration of Bharatiya Bhasha Utsav

In celebration of Bharatiya Bhasha Utsav on the occasion of birth anniversary of Mahakavi Subramania Bharati, Parvatibai Chowgule College of Arts and Science (Autonomous) organized a 'Multilingual Poetry Recitation' event in several Indian languages on 11th December, 2022. Mahakavi Subramania is considered to be not only a Tamil poet but a treasure of India. He has been bestowed the title of "Bharati" for his excellence in poetry and involvement in the Indian independence movement.

The celebration began with an invocation song sung by Ms. Rupali Tamuly, Head & Associate Professor, Department of Economics. Dr. Ananya Das, Offg. Principal mentioned the various freedom fighters who have played a key role in India's independence. Mr. V.C. Kumaresh, Vice Principal enlightened the audience on the poetic and patriotic contributions of Mahakavi Subramania Bharati.

The students and faculty of the College recited their original poems while others chose to inspire their compatriots through the words of Tagore. The event was a resounding success hosting languages such as Sanskrit, Bengali, Assamese, Odia, Kannada, Tamil, Malayalam, Gujarati, Urdu apart from Hindi, Marathi and Konkani. The topics evoked in the poems focused on themes such as women's empowerment, patriotism, religious unity, love and harmony.

The event was compèred by Dr. Pradeep Jatal, Incharge & Assistant Professor, Department of Hindi. The vote of thanks was proposed by Ms. Rupali Tamuly, Head & Associate Professor, Department of Economics.



Participants of 'Multilingual Poetry Recitation' event

- **Celebration of Goa Liberation Day!**

The College celebrated 61 years of Goa's Liberation on 19th December, 2022. In order to commemorate the efforts of the freedom fighters who struggled to free Goa from the clutches of the Portuguese and to mark the success of "Operation Vijay," around 60 students and faculty of the College participated in the 'Goa@60Run' of 2 KM within the college campus. The event was flagged off by Dr. Ananya Das, Offg. Principal at 8:08 a.m. The commemorative run was organized by the Department of Physical Education and Sports Management headed by Dr. Devashish Bagchi.

Following the early morning run, the national flag was hoisted at the hands of the chief guest Mr. V.C. Kumaresh, Vice-Principal in the presence of Dr. Ananya Das, Offg. Principal; Major Dr. Gunaji Desai, NCC Officer; staff and students of the college. Through his speech, he emphasised on the historical significance of Goa's liberation and reminded the audience of the sacrifices of Goa's freedom fighters and the Indian Armed forces.

Later NCC Cadet Varada Desai spoke on Goa's history, culture and progress and a folk dance of *Kalshi Fugdi* was performed by the students of the Department of Hindi and Marathi.

The book "Goa's Landscape through Maps" written by Prof. Dr. Nandkumar Sawant was released by the Special Guest of Honour Prof. Dr. F. M. Nadaf, Deputy Director of the Department of Higher Education (D.H.E.), Goa.

The vote of thanks was proposed by Ms. Shraddha Gawandi, Assistant Professor, Department of Marathi. The programme concluded with the NCC song "Hum Sab Bhartiya Hai".



Participants of 2 KM Run



Mr. V.C. Kumaresh, Vice-Principal unfurling the National Flag(left) and addressing the gathering (right)



Prof. Dr. F. M. Nadaf, Deputy Director of DHE Goa addressing the gathering



Book release "Goa's Landscape through Maps" written by Prof. Dr. Nandkumar Sawant



NCC Cadets



Folk dance performed by students



Staff attending the 'Liberation Day'

Students Achievements

- **Ms. Ratika Naik**, student of SYBSc & General Secretary, Students Sports Council represented **Goa National Tennis Ball Cricket Team** and won **Third Place** in the **33rd Senior National Tennis Ball Cricket Championship** held in Jammu & Kashmir from 8th to 10th December, 2022.



Ms. Ratika Naik
Third Place
33rd Senior National Tennis Ball Cricket Championship

- **Ms. Siena Diniz**, student of FYBSc represented **Goa Tennikoit Team** and won **Second Place** in the **22nd West Zone National Tennikoit Championship 2022** held in Bijalpur, Indore from 23rd to 25th December, 2022.



Ms. Siena Diniz
Second Place
22nd West Zone National Tennikoit Championship 2022

Students Participation

- PG students of Child Psychology and Child Development Part-II Anisah Fernandes, Elton Andrade, Kenria Rego, Sailee Shinde and Yohan Baretto attended a two-day workshop on 'Art Therapy' organized by the Department of Psychology, Dhemp College of Arts and Science, Miramar-Goa in association with Flourish Life School, Bangalore from 7th to 8th December, 2022.
- 18 students from the Department of Biotechnology, Department of Physics and Department of Geology along with the faculties Dr. Ashish M. Desai, Incharge & Assistant Professor, Department of Physics; Dr. Meghana S Devli,

Head & Associate Professor and Ms. Sachit Kuttikar, Assistant Professor, Department of Geology attended the 'Manohar Parrikar Vidnyan Mahotsav-2022' organized by the Department of Science, Technology and Waste Management, Government of Goa at Don Bosco College of Engineering, Fatorda Goa on 13th December, 2022.



Students and faculties at the 'Manohar Parrikar Vidnyan Mahotsav-2022'

- Ms. Riddhi Rupesh Naik (SYBA-Hindi) and Ms. Riddhi Rohidas Naik (FYBA-Marathi) participated in a ten-days workshop titled 'Abhinay Shastra' organized by the Department of Konkani, Government College of Arts, Science and Commerce, Quepem Goa in association with Directorate of Higher Education, Government of Goa at Ravindra Bhavan, Margao from 15th to 24th December, 2022.



Students participants in the workshop 'Abhinay Shastra'

Faculty Achievements

- Dr. Starlaine Mascarenhas, Head & Assistant Professor, Department of Biotechnology bagged the **second place** for the **best oral paper presentation** on the topic entitled '**Role of environmental toxins of chronic kidney disease of unknown etiology from Canacona taluka, Goa**' at the 'International Conference on Chemical and Environmental Sciences (ICCAES,2022) (4th version organized by the Department of Basic Science and Humanities, Institute of Engineering & Management, Kolkata, India in association with the Smart Society USA and Lions Club International, Kolkata from 16th to 18th December, 2022.
- Ms. Varsha Prabhugaunkar, Assistant Professor, Department of Hindi received 'Hindi Guaravsanmaan' for participating in an online National Level Quiz organized by Hindi and Sanskrit Sahitya Vibhag, Uttarakhand Vidhyalay Shiksha Parishad on 30th December, 2022.

Research Papers Published

- Mr. Venkatesh Prabhu Gaonkar, Assistant Professor (MSc. Geoinformatics), published the following research paper in the book titled 'Ecological Footprints of Climate Change-Adaptive Approaches and Sustainability', Springer Climate:

Prabhu Gaonkar, V.G., Nadaf, F.M., Balajirao Kapale, V., Gaonkar, S., Shetkar, S., D'Silva, M. (2022). Analysing Spatio-temporal Changes in Land Surface Temperature of Coastal Goa Using LANDSAT Satellite Data. *Ecological Footprints of Climate Change. Springer Climate*. Springer, Cham. 517–541, DOI: 10.1007/978-3-031-15501-7_20

- Ms. Malati Dessai, Assistant Professor, Department of Physics published the following research paper:

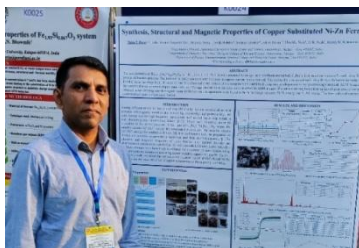
Dessai, M., & Kulkarni, A. (2022). Calculation of tunneling current across trapezoidal potential barrier in a scanning tunneling microscope. *Journal of Applied Physics*, 132, 244901. (Indexed in Scopus and Web of Science), ISSN 10897550

- Dr. Sobita Kirtani, In-charge & Assistant Professor, Department of Psychology published the following research article:

Kirtani, S. (2022, December). Jarashastra - Vruddhohnishad: Vishay Pravesh. Navi Jaag Goinkarank, 49(03), 12-13

Research Papers Presented

- Mr. Yatin P. Desai, Assistant Professor, Department of Physics and Dr. G. K. Naik, Head & Associate Professor, Department of Chemistry attended and presented a poster titled 'Synthesis, Structural and Magnetic Properties of Copper Substituted Ni-Zn Ferrite' during 66th DAE Solid State Physics Symposium held at Birla Institute of Technology, Mesra, Ranchi-Jharkhand from 18th to 22nd December 2022. The symposium was organized by Bhabha Atomic Research Center, Mumbai and sponsored by BRNS, Department of Atomic Energy, Government of India. The paper is co-authored by Third Year. B.Sc. students of the 2020-2021 batch namely Luke Bossuet Sequeira Vaz, Prajakta Dessai, Jevila Rebello, Swarali Gaonkar, Saloni Dessai and Shrutika Naik. The paper is the outcome of the project work taken up by these students at T.Y.B.Sc.



Mr. Yatin P. Desai at the 66th DAE Solid State Physics Symposium held at Birla Institute of Technology, Mesra, Ranchi-Jharkhand

- Mr. Venkatesh Prabhugoankar, Assistant Professor (MA Geoinformatics) participated and presented a research paper titled 'Land Use Land Cover Change Detection: A Transitional Modelling of Bardez Taluka of Goa' at the 44th Indian Geography Congress on 'Climate Change, Water Resource, Agriculture and Sustainable Development' organized by the Department of Studies and Research in Geography, Rani Channamma University, Belagavi from 19th to 21st December, 2022.



Mr. Venkatesh Prabhugoankar at the 44th Indian Geography Congress on 'Climate Change, Water Resource, Agriculture and Sustainable Development'

- Ms. Rupali Tamuly, Head & Associate Professor, Department of Economics participated and presented a paper titled 'Universal Health Coverage and Health Insurance in India: a panel data analysis' at the Second Biennial Conference on Development 'Sustainable Development Goals amidst Multiple Global Shocks: Progress, Challenges and Way Forward' at Indira Gandhi Institute of Development and Research, Mumbai from 21st to 23rd December, 2022.
- Ms. Arya Prabhudessai, Assistant Professor, Department of History presented a paper titled 'In the Realm of the Gods: A Few Observations about the Relationship of Goddess Kāmākshi of Shirodā, Goa, with her Subsidiary Deities' at the 81st Session of the Indian History Congress organized by Indian History Congress at Madras Christian College, Chennai-Tamil Nadu from 27th to 29th December, 2023.

Book Published

- Prof. Nandkumar Sawant, Head, Department of Geography & Research Centre released his book "Goa's Landscape Through Maps" on 19th December, 2022 at the hands of Prof. F. M. Nadaf, Deputy Director, Directorate of Higher Education Government of Goa in the presence of Dr. Ananya Das, Offg. Principal; V.C. Kumaresh, Vice-Principal and Major Dr. Gunaji Desai.

The book provides an insight into various dimensions of Goa through maps. These maps are supported with write-ups to provide readers with basic information on the emergence of Goa as a region from historic times to the present, encompassing physical, economical and demographical attributes. This book can be widely used by students, researchers and people keen to know about Goa.

During the book release Prof. F.M.Nadaf gave a panoramic view of the book and stated that it has set up standards for the geography fraternity as this book is an outcome of research and analysis.



Prof. Nandkumar Sawant released his book "Goa's Landscape Through Maps"



Prof. F.M.Nadaf, Deputy Director, Directorate of Higher Education Govt. of Goa receiving the token from Prof. Nandkumar Sawant

Faculty Participation

- Ms. Ashweta Anand Fondekar, Assistant Professor, Department of Computer Science has successfully completed four months of Faculty Enrichment Internship Program(FEIP) at IIT Goa under the mentorship of Dr. Divya Padmanabhan, Faculty in Artificial Intelligence at IIT Goa, during the period 22nd August 2022 to 23rd December 2022. She was selected by the DHE to participate in the same.
- Ms. Shalma Mascarenhas, Assistant Professor, Department of Zoology completed UGC – sponsored 116th Faculty Induction Programme (Guru-Dakshta), organized by HRDC-Goa University in online mode from 8th November to 13th December, 2022.
- Dr. Anil Yedage, Assistant Professor & Coordinator of PGDGIS participated in the ISRO-sponsored Capacity Building Training program on 'Geospatial Technology to Hydro metrological Disaster Risk, Reduction, and achievement of United Nations Sustainable Development Goals' organized by the Symbiosis Institute of Geoinformatics, Pune from 21st November to 5th December, 2022.



Dr. Anil Yedage receiving the certificate from Dr. Manoj Khare, Senior Director, C-DAC, Pune

- Dr. Starlaine Mascarenhas, Head & Assistant Professor, Department of Biotechnology participated in the following events:
 - a) Workshop entitled 'Pathways to Translation' conducted by BITS BioCyTiH Foundation held at BITS Pilani K K Birla Goa campus on 30th November 2022.

- b) Successfully completed the 4th Australian Bioprinting workshop for Tissue Engineering and Regenerative Medicine organized by University of Technology Sydney/Ultimo on 1st and 2nd December, 2022.
- Ms. Filomena Pereira, Assistant Professor, Department of Zoology participated in the bird trail organized by Goa Bird Conservation Network (GBCN) at Maina-Curtorim Wetland on 4th December, 2022. The trail was led by Mr. Omkar Dharwadkar, core member of GBCN. Wetland birds and wetland associated birds observed at the site were recorded on the e-bird platform.



Ms. Filomena Pereira at the at Maina-Curtorim Wetland

- Ms. Poonam M. Joshi, Librarian attended the following events:
 - a) Two days National Level Workshop on 'KOHA: Library Management Software' organized by Zantye College of Commerce Bicholim in association with Directorate of Higher Education, Goa from 6th to 7th December, 2022. The workshop was organized for all the College Librarians, Librarian Grade I and Librarian Grade II. The resource person was Dr.V.Vimal Kumar, Reference Assistant, M.G. University, Kerala.



Ms. Poonam Joshi at the Two days workshop on 'KOHA: Library Management Software' at Zantye College of Commerce, Bicholim

- b) An online one day National workshop on 'Implementation of National digital Library club for college libraries' organized by Smt. Akktai Ramgonda Patil Kanya Mahavidyalya, Ichalkaranji in association with Bhogawati Mahavidyalya, Kurukali Maharashtra on 20th December, 2022. The resource person was Smt. Manali Sengupta, NDL Club Out-Reach Manager, IIT Kharagpur.
- Mr. Aresh Naik, Assistant Professor, Department of Psychology and Ms. Alka G. Gawas, Assistant Professor, Department of Hindi attended three days of DoPT, Government of India (GoI), sponsored Training Programme on 'Issues related to Family Welfare' at GIPARD, Old – Goa from 7th to 9th December, 2022.



Faculties at three days of DoPT, Government of India (GoI), sponsored programme on 'Issues relating to Family Welfare' at GIPARD, Old – Goa

- Dr. Uma Masur, Associate Professor, Department of Botany was deputed by Directorate of Higher Education, Goa to organize the 9th World Ayurveda Congress and Arogya Expo, Panaji from 8th to 12th December, 2022.
- Dr. Pradeep Jatal, Incharge & Assistant Professor and Mrs. Varsha Prabhugaunkar, Assistant Professor, Department of Hindi participated in Stakeholders Outreach Programme to seek inputs for developing resources and technology for Konkani, 'organized by Goa University, BHASHINI and Ministry of Electronics and information technology on 12th December, 2022.
- Dr. Sanjay D. Gaikwad, Assistant Professor, Department of Geography & Research Centre attended five days MoRD, Government of India (GoI), sponsored programme on 'Impact on Climate on Natural Resources' organized by Goa Institute of Public Administration & Rural Development (GIPARD) at Collectorate South, Mathany Saldana Administrative Complex, Margao from 12th to 16th December, 2022 .



Dr. Sanjay D. Gaikwad at the five days MoRD, Government of India (GoI), sponsored programme on 'Impact on Climate on Natural Resources'

- Ms. Amisha Shirodker Pednekar and Ms. Sonali Gaonkar, Assistant Professors, Department of Botany participated in the two days workshop on 'Fundamentals of Bioinformatics organized by Codon Biosciences Pvt Ltd. Goa at Frederick Udyog Bhavan, Amara, Taleigao, Goa on 13th and 14th December, 2022.
- Dr. Shaiesh Morajkar, Assistant Professor, Department of Biotechnology participated in 'Goa University Marathon 2022' on 18th December, 2022 for celebrating Goa's 60th anniversary of the Liberation Day.

Invitation as Plenary Speaker/Resource Person

- Prof. Nandkumar Sawant, Head, Department of Geography & Research Center was the resource person to the UGC- HRDC (Human Resource Development Center) Rajasthan University, Jaipur, Rajasthan for the 10th Faculty Induction Programme from 14th November to 13th December 2022 in online mode. He delivered three sessions for the participants
 (a) Blooms Taxonomy and Mapping Outcomes on 2nd December 2022
 (b) OBE: Need in Higher Education on 5th December, 2022
 (c) Strategies for vocationalization of Higher Education on 12th December, 2022
- Dr. Bhanumati Pilli, Assistant Professor, Department of Geography & Research Centre was the resource person at Collectorate South, Mathany Saldana Administrative Complex, Margao on 12th December, 2022. She delivered a session on ‘Sustainable Development Goals and Goal no 13: Action to Combat Climate Change’.
- Dr. Uma Masur, Associate Professor, Department of Botany was invited as a Jury Member to judge Science Projects under ‘Young Scientist’ competition organized by Shiroda Higher Secondary School, Shiroda on 17th December, 2022.

Other Activities by Departments

1) Department of Computer Science

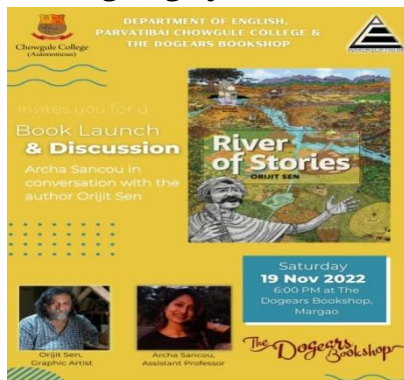
- Community Outreach Programme
 Club FIREBITS, Department of Computer Science in collaboration with the Club BERET BUNCH, Department of French visited the Dr. Rafael Pereira – “ASILO” aged home, Varca- Benaulim on 9th December, 2022. There were 18 inmates at the Old age home. The faculty and students donated items like towels, toiletries, biscuits etc which were handed over at the Old age home. They contributed money towards the outreach which was utilized to buy vegetables, fruits, groceries etc for the old age home. They also put up a short entertainment of Christmas Carols and dances for all the inmates. A total of 28 students accompanied by 2 faculty members Dr. (Ms.) Sameena Falleiro, Head & Associate Professor, Department of Computer Science and Ms. Carol Miranda, In-charge, Department of French visited the old age home.



Students and faculty at Dr. Rafael Pereira – “ASILO” aged home, Varca- Benaulim

2) Department of English

- Ms. Archa Sencou, Assistant Professor (MA English) was invited as a resource person by linkage partner - The Dogear's Bookshop - to be in conversation with the Graphic novelist, Orijit Sen about the re-launch of his Graphic novel 'River Of Stories' at The Dogears's Bookshop Margao on 19th November, 2022. The conversation centered on topics such as graphic novels in India, the author's inspirations and influences, the future of the form, etc. The talk was followed by an audience interaction and book signing by the author.

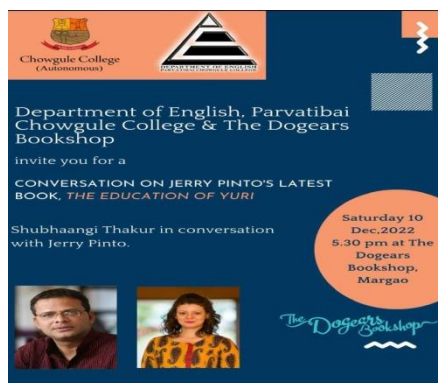


Poster for the 'Book launch and Discussion'



Ms. Archa Sencou in conversation with the Graphic novelist Mr. Orijit Sen

- Ms. Shubhaangi Thakur, Assistant Professor & Coordinator of MA English was invited as a resource person by linkage partner - The Dogear's Bookshop - to be in conversation with the author Jerry Pinto on his recently released novel - *The Education of Yuri*. The conversation centered around the book, his inspirations from Mumbai, and his life at The Dogears's Bookshop Margao on 10th December, 2022. The talk was followed by an audience interaction and book signing by the author.



Poster of the event



Ms. Shubhaangi Thakur in conversation with the author Mr. Jerry Pinto

- 22 students along with the faculty members of the Department visited the 'Serendipity Arts Festival' organized at Panjim from 16th to 23rd December, 2022. Ms. Smriti Tamankar, student of SYBA also had the opportunity to volunteer at the prestigious Arts Festival.

3) Department of Geography & Research Center

The Department of Geography and Research Centre (Geoinformatics) organized series of guest lectures on 'Applications of RS & GIS in Soil & Water Conservation' and 'Geoinformatics in Higher Education: International Perspectives' on 6th December, 2022. The resource person was Mr. Arvind Gauns, Graduate Research Scholar, Faculty of ITC, University of Twente, Enschede, Netherlands. He briefed students about how to apply different tools and techniques to conserve soil and water. In the second session he briefed about opportunities in higher education as well as job perspectives abroad. A total of 33 students from the Post Graduate programmes M.A. Geography, M.Sc. Geoinformatics and PGDGIS attended the same.



The resource person Mr. Arvind Gauns presenting to the students



Participants

4) Department of History

The Department organized a field trip to Bijapur, Aihole, Pattadakal, Badami and Hampi on 13th and 17th December, 2022. The aim of the field trip was to provide students with an opportunity to learn and understand history outside the classroom. The field trip enabled the students to understand the impact of the dynasties such as the Chalukyas of Badami, Vijayanagara empire and Adil Shahi dynasty over the Indian culture, especially on the architectural legacy left behind by them. The trip was fruitful as it gave the students an opportunity to observe and analyse the monuments which they otherwise would have only learned about in the classroom set-up. Overall, the trip was fruitful and informative. The students of the department were accompanied by Ms. Sarita Naik Tari, Head & Associate Professor and Ms. Arya Prabhudessai, Assistant Professor, Department of History. A total of 21 students participated in the same.



Faculty and Students of Department of History during the field trip



Faculty and Students of Department of History during the field trip

5) Department of Sociology

The Department of Sociology in collaboration with the D.O.S.T.O club of the Department organized a one-day Inter-Higher Secondary Event 'Goenkarponn' on 10th December, 2022 to help youngsters to connect with their roots. 'Goenkarponn' means 'Goanness' which is being observed through the creation of the Goan culture through several competitions during the Goenkarponn event.

The guest of honour for the event was Dr. Gunaji Desai, Head, Department of Konkani at Chowgule College. Various events like Khell, Prashnmanjusha, Goencheo Gajali, Goencheo Porbo, Goencho Nach, Goenchi Godsan, Goencho Bavto and Goenche Nesvonn. The **first place** was bagged by **S.S. Angle Higher Secondary School**, Canacona; the **second place** was bagged by **Carmel Higher Secondary School, Nuvem** and the **third place** was bagged by **St. Alex Higher Secondary School, Curtorim**. A total of 8 Higher Secondary's participated in the event.



The guest of honour Dr. Gunaji Desai inaugurating the event 'Goenkarponn'



Participants of 'Goenkarponn'

6) Department of Zoology

- Community outreach work by the Department of Zoology:

The following community outreach activities were conducted by the students of TYBSc, Department of Zoology under the guidance of Prof. Nandini Vaz Fernandes, Ms. Filomena Pereira, Ms. Mithali Harlankar, Ms. Shalma Mascarenhas and Ms. Prasanna Naik Gaonkar, Assistant Professors, Department of Zoology.

- 1) Aransha Michelle Rodrigues, Finola Coutinho, Franzie Casey Andrade, Lyza D'Costa, Masrifa Sheik, Megan Mariam Dias, Shanaya Luzinha Viegas and Sydelia Costa, students of TYBSc Zoology carried out the following awareness drives on 16th December, 2022. Target area were 35 houses in Navelim, Salcette Goa:

a) Balanced diet:

The people were asked about their dietary habits. The students explained the importance of a balanced diet and eating the right plate. They also briefed them on some common deficiency disorders, malnutrition in children etc. With the help of posters they were told about the sources of proteins, carbohydrates, fats, minerals and vitamins. They were also explained the importance of exercising and the role it plays in controlling lifestyle-related disorders.



b) Women's health issues:

The women of the target area were given general information on menstrual hygiene and health issues related to menopause. With the help of posters the women were explained symptoms related to health concerns of women and under which conditions one should seek medical help instead of neglecting health issues. Women were also explained the possible issues faced on account of hormonal imbalance and provided simple solutions to maintain good health.



Students explaining the symptoms related to health concerns of women

c) ST-SC OBC Welfare Schemes:

The students visited the houses of SC/ST/OBC community in Navelim and created awareness on various Government Schemes such as housing schemes for SC/ST, Repair of houses, housing programmes for OBC, Kanya Dhan scheme for promoting education of girl child of SC/ST etc. They also gave information on employment subsidy schemes available.



Students informing the various Government Schemes

- 2) Shyeye Mendes, Eshika Viegas, Darren Dias and Elida Faleiro, students of TYBSc Zoology carried out the following awareness drives on 19th December, 2022. Target area was in Manora Raia, Margao Goa:

a) Awareness on Vaccination:

The students inquired about the status of vaccination in children and explained the importance of vaccinations in various stages of growth. They also inquired about the status of the covid vaccine. The benefits of vaccination were also explained.



b) Domestic Violence:

The students approached the women in Raia village and spoke on the consequences of domestic violence and the effect of domestic violence on one's mental health. The people were informed about the various helplines and counsellors available for seeking necessary intervention.



c) Awareness on Govt. Schemes for SC/ST/OBC:

The SC/ST/OBC community in Raia village, were explained about various government schemes available for SC/ST/OBCs and also other schemes such as Ladli Laxmi scheme, Scheme for the housewives and senior citizens. The students helped the people in identifying suitable schemes which they are eligible for and also informed them about the documents required and where they have to apply to.



- 3) Arima Pereira, Divya Prabhu, Jabina Cardozo, Shannia Gracias and Iqra Aga of TYBSc Zoology carried out the following awareness drives from 26th to 30th December 2022. The target area were 29 houses in Pale, Dramapur and Fatorda, Salcette Goa:

a) Vector Borne Diseases:

The students visited the houses in Pale, and Dramapur and explained to them the common vector borne diseases, their symptoms and ways to prevent infection. They explained the vectors, causes, symptoms and treatment for Malaria, Dengue and Chikungunia. With the help of a poster they explained the Do's and Dont's for preventing vector borne diseases.



Students explaining the common vector borne diseases

b) Scheme-For-Welfare- of- SC ST OBC:

The students visited some homes of SC/CT/OBC communities in Fatorda, Navelim and Dramapur and spoke about various schemes such as Housing scheme for SC/STs, for construction or repair of their houses. Kanya Dhan scheme which promoted the Educational status of SC/ST- girl child. A copy of various schemes was also given to the people and were informed to seek necessary help from the concerned government offices to avail benefits of the same.



Students informing the various Schemes for Welfare of SC ST

7) Department of Physical Education & Sports Management

- CC@60 Celebration T-10 Cricket Tournament

To celebrate sixty glorious years of the College's inception, the Department of Physical Education & Sports Management under the banner of CC@60 organising committee organized CC@60 Celebration T10 Cricket Tournament at Arlem Cricket Ground on 16th December, 2022.

Ex-students of the college who had represented the college cricket team over the past sixty years, present students, as well as present and ex-staff members were invited to participate in this one-day event.

The T-10 tournament was inaugurated by Dr. Ananya Das, Offg. Principal in the presence of Mr. V.C. Kumaresh, Vice Principal and Dr. Devashish Bagchi, Convenor of the organizing committee CC@60 Sports events.

Fifty alumni, six present students and four staff members were equally distributed into four teams namely, Chowgule Blasters, Chowgule Stars, Chowgule Dazzlers & Chowgule Dynamites. Many alumni were present to encourage their fellow Chowgule Tigers. The alumni praised the efforts of

the college to bring everyone together and requested that such an event be organised on regular basis.

At the Closing Ceremony, Mr. V.C. Kumaresh, Vice-Principal gave away CC@60 commemoration medal to all the participants and felicitated Shri Vinod Dhamasker, Former Ranji Trophy Cricketer (1974 batch student). He thanked all participants and applauded the efforts of the Department of Physical Education & Sports Management and Shri Audumbar Tamse, Faculty Incharge of the event for the smooth conduct of the event.



Opening Ceremony of 'CC@60 Celebration T-10 Cricket Tournament'



Shri Vinod Dhamasker, Former Ranji Trophy Cricketer (1974 batch student) being felicitated by Mr. V.C. Kumaresh, Vice-Principal



Participants

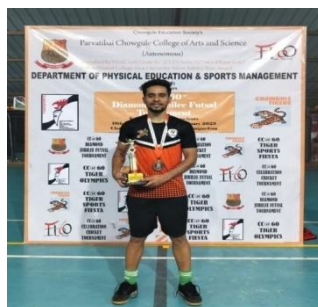
- **CC@60 Diamond Jubilee Futsal Tournament**

To celebrate sixty glorious years of inception of Parvatibai Chowgule College, Department of Physical Education & Sports Management under the banner of the organising committee CC@60 organized 'CC@60 Diamond Jubilee Futsal Tournament' at College Futsal Court from 16th December, 2022 to 6th January, 2023.

Ex-students of the college who had represented the College Football or Futsal team over the past sixty years, present students, including the present and past staff members were invited to participate in this event. Twenty-eight alumni, seven present students and five staff members were equally distributed into four teams namely, Chowgule United, Chowgule Champs, FC Chowgule & Athletico de Chowgule.

Dr. Ananya Das, Offg. Principal was present for the prize distribution ceremony. Former college team coaches Shri Succoro Vaz and Shri. Severino Fernandes and former team assistant Shri Allwyn Teles were felicitated by

Dr. Ananya Das, Offg. Principal. **Shri. Sachin Patil** was adjudged '**Tiger of the tournament**' of the tournament while **Shri. Adrel Gomes** was awarded '**Best goalkeeper**' and **Shri. Maven Fernandes** for '**Highest number of goals scored**'. **FC Chowgules** emerged **winners** while **Chowgule United** finished **runners up**.



Shri. Sachin Patil
Tiger of the tournament



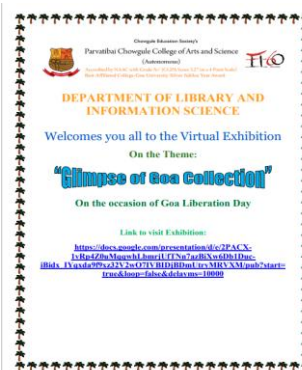
Shri. Severino Fernandes, Former college
team coach being felicitated by
Dr. Ananya Das, Offg. Principal



Participants

8) Department of Library & Information Science

- The Department of Library & Information Science organized a Virtual Exhibition on the theme 'Glimpse of Goa collection' on 19th December, 2022. The exhibition was not only open to all faculties and students of the College but was also open to other Colleges. Out of 18 participants, 01 participant was from St. Joseph Vaz College, Cortalim and 17 were from Parvatibai Chowgule College.



Flyer of the Virtual Exhibition on the theme 'Glimpse of Goa collection'

9) Department of Hospitality and Tourism

- Industry Interaction Session**
The Department organized an industry interaction session for its students on 1st December, 2022 as part of the industry academia connect. The resource person was Ms. Amreen Shaikh, Head of Experiences, Make it

Happen. She gave a brief introduction about their company which is an experiential travel company that specializes in designing and curating unique experiences in Goa, Diu and Coonoor. She spoke about the career opportunities and current job openings at Make it Happen for the students. It was a very informative and interactive session. A total of 26 students attended the session.



*Students along with the resource person
Ms. Amreen Shaikh*



Participants

- **Visit to Orphanage**

The Department organized a visit to 'Valentina Little Heaven Orphanage' for its students as part of the community outreach program on 15th December, 2022. The purpose of the visit was to make the students aware about the underprivileged children and to inculcate a feeling of empathy among the students. Upon reaching the orphanage, the children greeted the students and faculty with great enthusiasm and performed a group dance. Our students engaged them with various games and fun activities and also entertained the children with their dance performance. Gifts and snacks were distributed to the children. The visit was organised and guided by Mr. Lawrie Colaco, Course Coordinator, Department of Hospitality and Tourism. A total of 17 students attended the same.



Students at the 'Valentina Little Heaven Orphanage'

10) Internal Committee

- Internal Committee of the College organized a workshop titled 'The Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace' (Prevention, Prohibition and Redressal) Act, 2013 (POSH Act) for all Teaching and Non-Teaching staff on 7th December, 2022. The resource person was Advocate Mr. Emidio Pinho. Dr Shaila Ghanti, Presiding Officer, Internal Committee introduced the resource person Mr. Emidio Pinho. Dr. Ananya Das, Offg. Principal addressed the gathering.

Mr. Emidio Pinho began the workshop by presenting a video and requested the participants to identify the first sexual offense committed. He educated the participants on the availability of the helpline number 112 for any kind of crisis. During the workshop, Mr. Pinho educated the participants about the definition of the sexual harassment, the definition of the workplace, the rights of the complainant as well as the rights of the respondent, what should the complain contain, what is the power of IC and LC, timeline of inquiry process etc in relation to POSH act. The workshop concluded with a vote of thanks by Dr. Lactina Gonsalves, a member of the Internal Committee. Ms. Sumedha More, Counsellor compèred the event. A total of 55 staff attended the same.



Resource person Mr. Emidio Pinho delivering the session



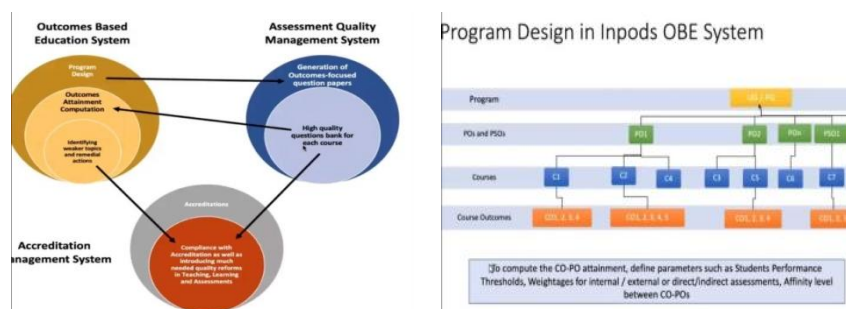
Internal Committee members along with the resource person



Participants

11) Teaching Learning Educational Technology Cell (TLETC)

The Teaching Learning Educational Technology Cell organized an online 'Inpods OBE Demo' to familiarize faculty with the OBE ICT tools with respect to Course Objectives and Mapping on 7th December, 2022. The resource person was Mr. Ajay Bhagwat, CEO of Inpods India Pvt. Ltd. The session began with an introduction to the importance of OBE in the context of NEP. Later explanations were given on how course outcomes were to be mapped to the various aspects of the course like question papers. The course outcome mapping and threshold setting etc were explained. All this was demonstrated via the S/W designed by Inpods.



Snapshot of the 'Inpods OBE Demo'

12) Career and Personal Counselling Centre

- In the month of December 2022 the Career and Personal Counselling Centre dealt with 12 cases, out of which 1 was a new case and 11 were follow-up sessions. Issues addressed during counselling were family problems, relationship difficulties, emotional difficulties and mental health difficulties such as anxiety, depression, trauma, distress and low self-esteem. All were self-referral cases.

Dr. Ananya Das
Officiating Principal

Date: 30/01/2023