#### <u>TEACHERS' DAY</u> <u>05/09/2019</u>

The college celebrated Teachers' day with great gusto and gaiety. It was organized by the M.Ed students along with the new batch of B.Ed students to show their gratitude toward teachers. The program began with paying floral tributes to Dr. Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan, the second President of India who was a great academic philosopher and one of the most well-known diplomat, scholar, Beautiful poems highlighting the importance of a guru were recited by the students. Inspiring speeches were made by some students indicating that teachers play a vital role in making their pupil accountable citizens of tomorrow and wonderful human beings, they are the cornerstone of students' future and there's nothing worth enough to gratify them for their selfless service and commitment. A rose ceremony was followed by cake cutting was planned by students for this special occasion as their token of love and gratitude for the teachers. They also entertained teachers by arranging fun games for them.

All teachers enjoyed and appreciated the program. Ms. Amita Sharma extended heartiest thanks to all students on behalf of staff. She also appreciated the new batch for their thoughtfulness and sincerity in conducting the event. Program was concluded with vote of thanks by Dr. Anita Arora. It was truly a memorable day for the teachers and all the students.



#### HINDI DIWAS 14/09/19

The Literary Club of the college celebrated 'Hindi Diwas' to commemorate the importance of our National Language. Ms. Amita Sharma, in her speech emphasized the students to stay tuned with their national language in connection with the needs of 21st century. She motivated students with the way they use their national language, and also for not forgetting their roots. Students of M.Ed, B.Ed and D.El.Ed gave their performances through reciting poems, songs and speech. Harpreet, Vanisha, Kuljeet and Gagandeep Singh mesmerized the environment with their beautiful poetic thoughts. The program was honoured by the presence of all the staff members and students and marked the occasion as a wonderful event.

Presenting her vote of thanks, Dr. Anita Arora congratulated the students for their wonderful contribution for marking this day. Principal Dr. Nutan Sharma also had a word of appreciation for this literary pursuit.



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### INTERNATIONAL PEACE DAY 21/09/19

With a mission to give rise to conscientious global citizens with values of peace, harmony, empathy and non-violence ingrained in them, the college celebrated the occasion in the multipurpose hall. As a part of this endeavour, students participated in different activities. A special morning assembly was organised which started the day with the prayer followed by a pledge for peace. Vanisha spoke on the importance of peace. Kuljeet Kaur recited a poem on peace and this was followed by an audio-visual presentation. It ended with an inspirational speech by Dr. Anita Arora and the relevance of peace and non-violence in recent times. Students also participated and shared their own views on peace and kindness. The assembly closed with the singing of the National Anthem.

Principal Dr. Nutan Sharma appreciated the activities of the students towards promoting a harmonious and peaceful society.



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### GREEN DAY 28/09/19

Green Day was celebrated with great zeal and enthusiasm in the college premises today. All the students and teachers came to school dressed in pretty green attires and looked eco friendly. The day started with morning assembly. Addressing the gathering, Ms. Taruna Narang said that green day is organised by the Science Club every year with the objective of reminding each one of us about the importance of biodiversity and our duty to conserve it. A number of activities were organised throughout the day. Students participated in Slogan writing, Rangoli making and Salad making competitions. Certificates were given to the winners.

Principal Dr. Nutan Shrama appreciated the efforts of the faculty and students and urged them to change attitude towards environment and advocate partnership between each human being and society to ensure a safe future.



#### ROZGAR MELA <u>30/09/19</u>

In collaboration with Government of Punjab, the college organised a District Level "Rozgar Mela' in which major companies recruited potential candidates for various vacancies. Applicants were recruited across various employment opportunities, including entrepreneurship and apprenticeship as well. A total of 1227 candidates appeared for 925 vacancies. A total of 878 selections were made by participating companies, 15 candidates were shortlisted whereas 112 candidates were identified for self-employment and 115 candidates were identified for skill training.

Colonel DS Ruppal, COO, Cordia group said that our endeavour is to provide a window to skilled and job-ready youth to meet the industry's existing and futuristic job requirements. The encouraging participation of corporates is an acknowledgement of the learning, training and expertise that these skilled candidates have achieved. He congratulated the faculty and students on the success of the Rozgar Mela.



### ONE DAY NSS CAMP 05/10/19

To commemorate the 150<sup>th</sup> birth anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi, the NSS unit of the college organised a one day NSS camp in the college premises today. The event began with the welcoming of Chief Guest, Lord Diljit Singh Rana, Chairman Cordia Group along with Colonel DS Ruppal and Ms. Urmil Verma. They paid tribute by showering the flowers on the portrait of Mahatma Gandhi. Lord Diljit Rana delivered the inaugural speech which outlined the significance of 'Gandhi Jayanti' in the country. He also inspired the young students present in the event through Gandhi Ji's ideology. He then flagged off the 'Peace Rally'. The dignitaries also participated in the Cleanliness Drive along with the faculty and students to mark 'Swachta Hi Sewa Mission' dedicated to the father of the Nation. An awareness rally was carried out by NSS volunteers against stubble burning. Students visited the surrounding villages and interacted with farmers urging them not to burn stubble and its ill-effects on the environment.

PrincipalDr. Nutan Sharma explained the importance of following Gandhian values in life for they lead us towards peace and prosperity of all forms. He also congratulated the NSS programme officer Dr. Harjinder Singh, faculty and students on the grand success of the camp.



## SAMVAAD: AN INTERACTION WITH THE MP 10/10/19

Dr. Amar Singh, Member Parliament, Fatehgarh Sahib and S. Gurpreet Singh, MLA Bassipathana visited the college today. They were received by Lord Diljit Singh Rana, Chairman Cordia Group, Colonel DS Ruppal, COO, Dr. S.K. Sharma, and the principals. The function began with the formal welcome of the guests. In his welcome address, Lord Diljit Rana highlighted the cultural and religious significance of Fatehgarh Sahib and Sanghol and expressed his deep desire and commitment towards developing these areas as world heritage sites.

Addressing the gathering, Dr. Amar Singh said that Sri Fatehgarh Sahib symbolizes the supreme sacrifice by the Sahibzade which has no parallel in the world. He endorsed Lord Rana's views and said that undying efforts wuld be made to make Fatehgarh Sahib International heritage site and also develop the surrounding areas including Sanghol. His speech was followed by an interactive session in which students asked many questions to the Mp from falling GDP to the problem of brain drain in Punjab. S. Gurpreet Singh, MLA Bassipathana, in his address, appraised the audience about the various development plans being carried out in the region. The function was concluded with vote of thanks by Colonel DS Ruppal.



## **LECTURE ON 'SUSTAINABILITY'**

## 27/01/20

The college organized a One Day Seminar on Sustainability in 21 Century. The keynote speaker was Dr. Anuradha Verma, a scientist at Loyala University, Chicago, USA. She was welcomed by Lord Diljit Rana, Chairman and Ms. Urmil Verma, Executive Trustee, Cordia Group.

In her lecture, Dr. Verma discussed at length how we need to work together to utilise a diverse body of knowledge in order to adapt to the changing world, from climate change to ever evolving supply and demand. She also spoke on issues such as how the world has changed, the role of ideas and internationalism in driving change, and the implications of that change for climate, environment and biodiversity

The post-lecture interactive session was a time to reflect and debate on the role of education and educational institutions in internationalism and sustainability.



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### **LECTURE ON 'HOLISTIC MEAL AND BALANCED LIFESTYLE'**

#### 03/02/20

The college organized a lecture on "Holistic Meal and Balanced Lifestyle". The keynote speaker was Dr. Radha Sukhani MD, a renowned anesthesiologist in Chicago, Illinois, USA and Founder of 'Food, Lifestyle, Balance'. She was welcomed by Lord Diljit Rana, Chairman and Ms. Urmil Verma, Executive Trustee, Cordia Group.

Delivering her lecture, Dr. Sukhanai spoke on Eating for mind, body and soul. She emphasised on holistic nutrition and said that it is all about eating healthy food as close to its natural state as possible for optimum health and wellbeing. Hallmarks of holistic nutrition include unrefined, unprocessed, organic and locally grown whole foods. It's an approach to eating that very consciously considers everything that's eaten and focuses on eating for health above all else. She also highlighted the benefits of holistic diet.

The lecture was followed by an interactive session in which Dr. Sukhani answerd the questions and queries raised by the audience.



## FOOD DISTRIBUTION FOR NEEDY DURING PANDEMIC 08/05/2020

Corona pandemic has turned life upside down for many. To help the poor people and workers, whose incomes have taken a huge hit due to Covid-19, the college, as part of its community outreach programme, has been actively involved in social service activities, took the lead again to distribute free food and ration to a large number of people in the surrounding areas who were badly hit by the pandemic.

This was formally inaugurated by Lord Diljit Singh Rana, Chairman and Ms. Urmil Verma, Trustee, Cordia Group. "We are doing our bit for the society. Our goal is to help the underprivileged and downtrodden", said Lord Rana while distributing ration kits to the support staff of the college. Each ration kit for a family of contained flour, rice, cooking oil, pulses and other items of daily use that can last for a week. Ms. Urmil Verma said that the initiative of not letting anyone sleep without food is a very small effort on our part that we could do to repay to the society and nation.



### **INTERNATIONAL WEBINAR**

### <u>ON "CONSIDERATIONS FOR MANAGING STUDENT ASSESSMENT DURING COVID-19"</u> <u>20/05/2020, 3.30 PM (WEDNESDAY)</u>

An international webinar was organized on 20/05/2020 on considerations for managing student assessment during covid-19". It was organized on the platform 'GoToMeeting', all the participants were directed to download the software from Google Play Store/Chrome in advance. They were instructed to keep their audio and video on **off-mode** during speaker's presentation and also instructed to send their questions through chat box-only during the session. Participants were requested to login at 3:00 pm (Sharp) on the link for the meeting was already shared with participants. All the speakers have deliberated on the issue along with all participants the topic was very close to current circumstances due to covid-19. The overall session was very fruitful.

