# SHANTI DEVI ARYA MAHILA COLLEGE, DINANAGAR ANNUAL REPORT I<sup>st</sup> June, 2020 to 31<sup>th</sup>May, 2021

### **College Profile:**

Established with the prime aim to uplift and empower the girl students, Shanti Devi Arya Mahila College, Dinanagar (CPE-College for Potential with Excellence by U.G.C, Re-Accredited with 'A' grade by NAAC) is a Post Graduate Multi-Faculty only Women College in the Border Backward Area that was started with 13 students and today having 1700 students, 83 teachers and 41 members of non-teaching staff. This shrine of knowledge has expanded and developed enviously since its very inception and has carved a niche for itself in the educational circles. Endeavoring to stay abreast with the demands of contemporary world of education, the institution has to its credit 45 under graduate and postgraduate courses, including degrees and diplomas.

I feel proud in mentioning here that the college is treading towards path of success and glory all because of words of encouragement and undoubting support of our members of management Swami Sadanand Ji (President), Sh. Dharam Indu Gupta Ji (Secretary), Sh. Anil Gupta Ji, Sh.Gandhary Mahajhan Ji, Sh. Inder Gupta Ji, Smt. Namita Gupta Ji, Smt. Anju Gupta Ji, Mr. Vishal Gupta Ji. We are highly indebted to founders of this college Swami Sarvanand Ji, Sh.Chander Gupta Ji, Sh. Balraj Gupta Ji, Chaudhary Jai Muni Ji, Sh. Jai Chand Ohri Ji, Sh. Vidhya Dhari Ji for their ever lending assistance to uplift women education in this backward, border and remote area. The college is committed to impart holistic education focusing on the overall development of the personality of women through academics, sports and co-curricular activities. The institution is making every possible effort to uplift the poor and down trodden section of the area by educating their women folk and by encouraging them to realize their potential to face mind- boggling situations of the world. College has justified the faith and trust of its founder patrons by synchronizing ethnicity with modernity. It takes pride in inculcating the spirit of self-confidence, perseverance and analytical thinking in the students besides fulfilling the aim of providing excellent facilities for learning and achieving scholastic heights. Quality education is its motto and excellence its goal. We are fortunate to have the visits of the eminent personalities like Ex. PM, Mr. I.K Gurjral, Dr.Iqbal Singh (Governor), S. Partap Singh Bajwa (M.P)Gurdaspur), S. **Brar** (V. GNDU), S. P. Singh Dr. A. C. Dr.

(EX.V.C. GNDU), Dr. Nigvegkar (Ex. Chairman, UGC), Dr. Surjit Patar, (Padam Shree Awardee) Dr. Kuldip Chand Agnihotri (V.C. Central University Himachal Pradesh), Dr. Furquan Qamar (V.C. Central University Dharmshala), Dr.Pillai (Chairman, UGC), Dr. Latha Pillai (Advisor, NAAC), Dr.Ram Boojh (UNESCO) Deputy Commissioner, SDMs, SSPs, Local MLAs, MPs, Education Minister Punjab, Dean CDC, Academics (GNDU, Amritsar), Controller Exam (GNDU, Amritsar), Registrar (GNDU, Amritsar) and many more. The college is fortunate enough to get 'A' grade By NAAC. It is worth mentioning here that the college has been given the status of College with Potential for Excellence by UGC.

### **Infrastructure**

The college has splendid and aesthetically designed building in an area of 75,000 Sq.yds. There is separate science, commerce, Arts, IT, Bio-Technology block, Edifice of 30 labs, Hi-tech seminar hall, A.C. Auditorium, Indoor stadium, Gymnasium hall, Smart Class rooms, Language Lab, Multimedia Labs, with latest gadgets. A computerized Library with 25950 volumes for UG and PG students, Research Centre, Sports Complex, Computer centre, PG Block, Administrative Block, Shardananad hall and Triple story women hostel built in green clean and serene environment are the facilities available for students along with fleet of buses for students' convenience who hail from far off villages. The campus has 24 hours power supply, it also has internet facility with WI-Fi in the campus, has public address system, sound system, solar heating and light system. Water coolers with purifiers are installed in all blocks. The campus is also under the surveillance of CCTV cameras. Digital boards, Lease line are the facilities given to all considering them as the dire needs.

### **IQAC**

The college has an efficient IQAC since 2005. The primary aim of the IQAC is to develop a system for conscious, consistent and catalytic action to improve the academic and administrative performance of the institution.

## **IQAC** ensures following in the college:

- The relevance and quality of academic and research programmes.
- Equitable access to and affordability of academic programmes for various sections of society
- Optimization and integration of modern methods of teaching and learning

- The credibility of evaluation procedures
- Ensuring the adequacy, maintenance and functioning of the support structure and services
- Research sharing and networking with other institutions in India and Abroad.
- Development and application of quality benchmarks/parameters for various academic and administrative activities of the institution
- Facilitating the creation of a learner-centric environment conducive to quality education and faculty maturation to adopt the required knowledge and technology for participatory teaching and learning process
- Arrangement for feedback response from students, parents and other stakeholders on quality-related institutional processes
- Dissemination of information on various quality parameters of higher education
- Organization of inter and intra institutional workshops, seminars on quality related themes and promotion of quality circles
- Documentation of the various programmes/activities leading to quality improvement.
- Acting as a nodal agency of the Institution for coordinating quality-related activities, including adoption and dissemination of best practices.
- Development and maintenance of institutional database through MIS for the purpose of maintaining /enhancing the institutional quality.
- Development of Quality Culture in the institution.
- Preparation of the Annual Quality Assurance Report (AQAR) as per guidelines and parameters of NAAC, to be submitted to NAAC.

### **IQAC Composition**

IQAC is constituted under the Chairmanship of the Head of the institution with heads of important academic and administrative units and a few teachers and a few distinguished educationists and representatives of local management and stakeholders

The composition of the IQAC of our college is as follows:

- Mrs. Ratna Sharma, Principal (Chairperson)
- Dr. Maneeta Kahlon, (Co-ordinator)
- Dr.Kulwinder Kaur Cheena (PRO)
- Dr.Sushma Gupta (Controller of Examination)

- Mrs. Randeep Dhoot (Incharge, Red Cross)
- Mrs. Sangeeta Malhotra (Incharge, NSS)
- Mrs Deepak Jyoti (Incharge, Campus Placements)
- Sh. Dharam Indu Gupta Ji (Secretary, Managing Committee)
- Sh. Anil Gupta Ji (Member, Managing Committee)
- Mrs Nirmal Pandhi (External Expert)
- Dr. Gagandeep Bajwa (Local Representative)
- Mrs. Sanjeev Dogra (President, Alumni Association)
- Mrs.Poonam Mahajan (Secretary, Alumni Association)
- Ms.Nagita (Student Member)
- Ms.Bharti Sharma (Student Member)
- Sh.Sunil Aggarwal (Parent Member)
- Sh.Kanwal Goel (Parent Member)

### Courses

College is providing teaching in the subjects related to faculty of Arts, Commerce, Science and professional courses. The subjects taught include English, Punjabi, Hindi, History, Sanskrit, Political Science, Economics, Mathematics, Computer Science, Home Science, Music, Sociology, Fine Arts, Zoology, Physics, Chemistry, Botany, Education, Fashion-designing, Computer Application and Psychology. The college is running 8 B.sc and 6 Professional courses viz, BCA, BBA, BSc (IT), B.Sc (Biotech), B.Sc (FD), B.Com and also 9 PG Departments and 5 **Diplomas, 13 Add-on courses.** It is matter of great pride that college has been granted **B.Voc** courses in (i) Software Development (ii) Financial Market and Services (iii) Food Processing and Technology (iv) Fashion Technology and Apparel Designing by UGC. It is a matter of pride that the college has every course that the students of the area and around aspire to do. Students can opt. for MA English, Punjabi, Hindi, Economics, Political Science, M.Sc in Computer Science & IT and FD and M.Com at Postgraduate level and PG diploma Fashion Designing, Computer Application and UG Diploma in Stitching and Tailoring, Diploma in Cosmetology and Computer Application at under Graduate level. UGC has given 13 add-on courses i.e. Communication Skills, Apparel Designing, Cosmetology, Taxation, E-Commerce, Bio-Technology, Travel and Tourism, Web Designing, Internet, Bio-informatics and interior Decoration. Grants were given for Women hostel, Seminars, Sports Stadium and Remedial Scheme, Human Rights foundation course and Non Resident students' center as well as for coaching classes of minorities under 12(B).

### **Academic Achievements:**

The College has well qualified, meritorious and dedicated staffs with 10 PhDs, 26 M.Phils and MCA/ M.Tech/ B.Tech degree holders and most of the other Post Graduate teachers are UGC-NET qualified. The institution feels proud in bringing excellent results with limited resources in a poor area.

#### **Staff Nominations and Achievements:**

- The college runs under the able stewardship of **Mrs Ratna Sharma**. Mrs. Ratna Sharma is Member, Academic Council, GNDU Amritsar, Member of NSS Advisory Committee.
- Dr. Sushma Gupta is Member, Faculty of Life Sciences, GNDU, Amritsar for the period 1-7-2020 to 30-06-2022.
- Dr. Sunita Verma is Member, Faculty of Life Sciences, GNDU, Amritsar for the period 1-7-2020 to 30-06-2022.
- Dr. Kulwinder Kaur Chheena is Member, Faculty of languages, GNDU, Amritsar for the period 1-7-2020 to 30-06-2022.
- Dr. Reena Talwar is Member, Faculty of languages GNDU, Amritsar for the period 1-7-2020 to 30-06-2022.
- Dr. Maneeta Kahlon is Member, Faculty of Languages GNDU, Amritsar for the period 1-7-2020 to 30-06-2022.
- Mrs. Sangeeta Malhotra is Member, Faculty of Science GNDU, Amritsar for the period 1-7-2020 to 30-06-2022.
- Mrs. Parveen Saini is Member, Faculty of Sciences, GNDU, Amritsar for the period 1-7-2020 to 30-06-2022.
- Mrs. Randeep Dhoot is Member, Faculty of Arts & Social sciences, GNDU, Amritsar for the period 1-7-2020 to 30-06-2022.
- Mrs. Deepak Jyoti is Member, Faculty of Engineering & Technology, GNDU, Amritsar for theperiod 1-7-2020 to 30-06-2022.
- Dr. Anjna Malhotra is Member, Faculty of Arts And Social Sciences, GNDU, Amritsar for the

period 1-7-2020 to 30-06-2022

 Mrs. Neenu Sharma is Member, Faculty of Economics & Business, GNDU, Amritsar for the period 1-7-2020 to 30-06-2022.

Apart from teaching whole heartedly, our faculty believes in enhancement of their career by pursuing research projects and by attending seminars symposia, workshops, conference, GOC and Refresher courses. We have successfully organized 42 national & international conferences sponsored by UGC/NAAC/ICSSR/DST/UNCSCO/ and Punjab Govt./ HRD Govt. of India till date.

## **Profile of our faculty**

The college runs under the able stewardship of **Principal Mrs. Ratna Sharma**. She has been honored with accolades and bouquets by various organizations. She has been chosen and was invited in various institutions as Resource Person in various conferences and workshops.

### Dr. Sushma Gupta, Dept. of Botany

- Completed one week online National workshop on "Interdisciplinary Research Methodology,
  ICT Application & Innovations in Teaching Learning Process" organised by St. Francis De
  Sales College, Nagpur from 8th to 12th June, 2020.
- Participated in Assessing and Reassessing Skills During Covid Times, by SDAM College,
   Dinanagar, from 4th August to 8th August, 2020.
- Participated in a 6 day Faculty Development Programme "Imparting Soft Skills and Life Skills for Success" organized by Shanti Devi Arya Mahila College, Dinanagar from 17-08-2020 to 22-08-2020

### Dr. Reena Talwar, Dept. of Sanskrit

- Published paper titled "Maharishi Dayanand Saraswati" in Vishva Jyoti
- Published paper titled "Rashtriya ShikshaNeeti mein Satyartha Prakash ki Prasangikta" in Vishva Jyoti.

### Mrs. Randeep Dhoot, Dept.of Political Science

Published paper titled "Sociological importance of Herbert Spencer's Organic theory of Society: An Overview" I in International research journal of management science and technology

### Mrs. Sunita Verma, Dept. of Zoology

- Published paper titled "STEM CELL THERAPY: A REVIEW" in Journal Punjab Academy of Sciences
- Participated in One week FDP on Advance tools in Research at Mata Gujri college, Fatehgarh sahib from 18/1/2021 to 25/1/2021
- Participated in One Week Online Faculty Development Program on Development of E-Content organized by Shri R L. T. College of Science, Akola with a passing score of 88% from 8th to 15h June 2020
- Participated in One Week Online National Workshop Interdisciplinary Research Methodology,
   ICT Application & Innovations in Teaching Learning Process organized by St. Francis De
   Sales College, Nagpur from June 08 to 12, 2020
- Participated in Seven Days Capacity Building Workshop at Hindu Kanya College, Kapurthala from May 1st, 2021 to May 8,2021

### Mrs. Parveen Saini, Dept. of Chemistry

- Published paper titled "Modifications of Chitosan with Different Functional Groups and Their Applications to Adsorption: A Review" in ROLE OF NANOTECHNOLOGY IN MEDICINE, ENERGY, ENVIRONMENTAL REMEDIATION AND TRANSPORTATION
- Published paper titled "Organic Molecular Frameworks as Fluorescent Sensors to Detect Cadmium and Mercury ions from Aqueous Medium: A Review" in Peer Reviewed Refereed UGC Care Listed Journal.
- Robust and Versatile Cu ( I ) metal frameworks as potential catalysts for azide-alkyne cycloaddition reactions: Review <a href="https://www.journals.elsevier.com/molecular-catalysis">www.journals.elsevier.com/molecular-catalysis</a>
- Participated in One week UGC-Sponsored Online Short Term Course on "Climate Change and Disaster Management" organized by HRDC, Guru Nanak Dev University, Amritsar from 25-03-2021 to 31-03-2021.

### Mrs. Deepak Jyoti, Dept. of Computer Science and IT

Published paper titled "Role of Information Technology and Social Media during COVID-19
 Crisis" in IOSR Journal of Humanities And Social Science

- Paper published titled "Challenges And Opportunities Of Artificial Intelligence" in International Journal For Innovative Research in Multidisciplinary Field
- Paper published titled "Impact Of Social Media On Ethical Values" in International Journal of Recent Scientific Research
- Participated in One week UGC-Sponsored Online Short Term Course on "Climate Change and Disaster Management" organized by HRDC, Guru Nanak Dev University, Amritsar from 25-03-2021 to 31-03-2021.
- Six Days Faculty Development Programme on Managing Classrooms and open Educational resources organized by CALEM, Punjab University Chandigarh under Aegis of MHRD Govt. of India in collaboration with Swayam cell from 24-06-2020-29-06-2020
- Participated in International FDP on "Post Covid-19 Regime Issues, Challenges & Responsibilities" at KRM Nakodar from 20th July-26th July 2020
- Participated in Short Term Course on "Scientific Writing Using Typesetting Software LaTeX" organized by HRDC, Lovely Professional University, Phagwara from 17-10-2020 to 01-11-2020

## Dr. Anjna Malhotra Dept. of Political Science

- Published "Dr Bhimrao Ambedkar and constitution making" in Assimilation
- Participated in Research Methodology by ARSD College, University of Delhi from 5<sup>th</sup> June to 11<sup>th</sup> June, 2020
- Participated in Assessing and Reassessing Skills During Covid Times, by SDAM College, Dinanagar, from 4th August to 8th August, 2020.

### Dr. Sangeeta Malhotra, Dept. of Home Science

- Paper published titled "Obesity- Its Causes, Risks and Remedies in International Journal of Research in Social Sciences.
- Participated in Six day, faculty development programme, "Imparting soft skills and life skills "for success" organised by Shanti Devi Arya Mahila College Dinanagar from 17 .8.2020 to 22.8.2020

• Participated in International FDP on "Post Covid-19 Regime Issues, Challenges & Responsibilities" at KRM Nakodar from 20th July-26th July 2020

## Mrs. Neenu Sharma, Dept. of Commerce

- Paper published titled "Covid 19 and Online Education: Teaching is a human Endeavor" in IOSR Journal of Humanities and Social Science 4.621
- Paper published titled "Consumer Behaviour towards Green Products" in International Journal of Business Management and Research
- Paper published titled "Impact of Environmental Concern and Interpersonal Influence on Consumer Attitude towards Green Product" in Dogo Rangsang Research Journal
- Participated in Accreditation: Different aspects and key points" organised by Hindu Kanya College, Kapurthala from 1-5-2021 to 8-05-2021

## Mrs. Sonam Gupta, Dept. of Psychology

- Published paper titled "Peer Pressure in comparison to Gender among High School" in Wesleyan Journal of Research.
- Published paper titled "Influence of Peer Pressure on Academic Achievement" in Dogo Rangsang Research Journal.
- Completed online training on "Understanding Therapeutic Processes in Counselling and Psychotherapy" conducted by Psychowaves Advance Psychological Services on 7/6/2020
- Completed Two Days Online Advance training in CBT(Cognitive Behavioral Therapy) in the Management of OCD organized by Psychowaves Advance Psychological Services from 04-07-2020 to 05-07-2020
- Participated in a 6 day Faculty Development Programme "Imparting Soft Skills and Life Skills for Success" organized by Shanti Devi Arya Mahila College, Dinanagar from 17-08-2020 to 22-08-2020
- Participated in "One Day Workshop on "Writing Research Paper and Bibliometric Analysis" organized by Department of Commerce, Sant Baba Bhag Singh University, Punjab on 12-12-2020

 Participated in a 5 day Faculty Development Programme "Assessing- Reassessing Skill during Covid-19 Times" organized by Shanti Devi Arya Mahila College, Dinanagar from 04-08-2020 to 08-08-2020

## **IQAC** conducted the following activities:

- On 5th June 2020, the Students of PG Dept. of Fashion Designing participated in online National Level Inter college Competition organized by Kanya Maha Vidyalaya, Jalandhar on Topic- Sustainable Fashion: A prerequisite During COVID-19. Under the following Categories – Up cycling old T-shirt, Creation of Wall Decoration, Reinventing Old Garments to new Avatars were taught to the students.
- IQAC under Campus Placement cell organized a talk for final year students on 6<sup>th</sup> June 2020. The speaker was Mrs Ashima Sharda, a journalist and professional Contemporary Artist. She took a webinar on in a bid IQAC/ Placement Cell to make the students understand that careers today need to go beyond the traditional and diversification is the key. Many important points were covered in the webinar like, the importance of transformation and expansion in one's career since the world is changing rapidly and one job in hand isn't enough. Ashima diversified into the world of paintings from being a journalist. She has been an artist for over 11 years now and has had held several exhibitions regarding the same. Being an avid traveller, she also runs a travel blog that covers various tourist destinations and encouraged the children to use blogs to express their thoughts.
- On 10th June 2020, students filled online link of feedback forms and SSS FORM uploaded on college website IQAC
- PG Dept. of Fashion Designing participated in Online National Level Inter -College Competition organized by Govt. Home Science College, Chandigarh in categories - sketching of designer ethnic wear, innovative Jewelry Designing, Innovative Mask Making, Designing of Cushion cover, Creation of utility Bag with Eco Friendly Material on 15<sup>th</sup> June 2020.
- IQAC Quarterly meeting was held on 16<sup>th</sup> June, 2020. All important academic issues and plans were discussed in this meeting to enhance the quality of academics during the phase of pandemic.

- According to directions of State Govt. COVA app was downloaded by Staff & Students to make Mission Fatch a Success on 17<sup>th</sup> June 2020.
- On 20th June, 2020 Teachers made **Mentor-Mentee groups** to remove the communication barriers among students.
- On 24th June 2020 the students of PG department of Fashion Designing participated in Mission FATEH state level online competition organised by Youth Welfare Club of Pt. Mohan Lal SD College, Gurdaspur in collaboration with Jai Hind Sewa Club Gurdaspur. The students submitted articles under categories. (1) Face mask design (2) poster making (3) Homemade sanitizer. In this Competition, students got positions and certificates.
- On 1<sup>st</sup> July, 2020 **Doctor's Day was celebrated**. On this day all the doctors of Civil Hospital Singowal to be honored with bouquets and college mementos by college staff members.
- A **Debate Competition and Poster making Competition** were organized on the topic "Importance of Vote and Vote for Future SVEEP Activities" on 16<sup>th</sup> July 2020.
- On 20th July, 2020 Workshop was organized on "Google Classroom" for College Faculty by Er. Manav Mahajan, ATECH Gurdaspur and PG Deptt. of Computer science.
- **Virtual Alumni meet** was organized on 24<sup>th</sup> July 2020. Dr. Anish K Dua, Professor in Zoology Dept., GNDU Amritsar was the resource person.
- On 25th July, 2020 instructions of Punjab Govt, **Buddy groups were formed** of 5 students.
- On 26th July, 2020 "NSS & NCC Dept. paid homage to the Martyrs of Kargil on Kargil
   Vijay Diwas by lighting Candles.
- College organized Five days FDP from 4 Aug, 2020 to 8 Aug, 2020 on "Assessing Reassessing Skills during IQAC during COVID times" COVID times" Resource persons were Day 1: Dr. Bhavya Ahuja Grover, Assistant Professor Ramanujan College, Delhi University, New Delhi. Her topic was "Google Classrooms". Day 2: Dr. Anu Saini, Assistant Professor Ape jay Institute of Management, Jalandhar. Her topic was "Intellectual Property Rights". Day 3:Dr. Namita Rajput, Principal Shri Aurobindo College, Delhi University, Delhi. Her topic was "Role of IQAC in College Functioning". Day 4: Dr. Rishi Raj Sharma, Associate Dean &

Professor, GNDU Regional Campus, Gurdaspur. His topic was "Ethics in Education". Day: 5 Dr. Archana Malik, Head Department of Soft skills LPU, Jalandhar. Her topic was "Soft Skills".

- International Webinar on "Recent Advances in Physics" was held by the Science Department on 11<sup>th</sup> Aug 2020. The eminent resource persons were: Dr. Priyanka Nayar, Scientist JNARDDC, Nagpur. She spoke on "Introduction to Nanomaterials". Sci. Dept. Dr. Shruti Dogra, Post-Doctoral Researcher, Aalto University, Finland. Spoke on "Quantum Computing".
- On 17th Aug, 2020, College started online classes for all semester students to educate the students during the time of pandemic. **Online classes were started** for all semester students.
- From 17th Aug, 2020 to 22th Aug, 2020, Post graduate Department of English organized Six days Faculty Development Programme on "Imparting Soft Skills And Life Skills For Success" from 17 Aug to 22 Aug. Resource Persons were Day1: Ms. Bhavdeep Kohli, Image Consultant & Faculty Development Coach. Her topic was "Attitude Determine Altitude". Day2: Dr. Maneeta Kahlon, Associate Professor. Her topic was Educational Leadership Day 3: Shefali Juneja, Communication Coach & Soft Skill Trainer. Her topic was "Getting It Right Vocal and Verbal Elements". Day 4: Dr. Chaitaali Kumar, IB Resource Person, Management Professional Soft Skill Trainer and Life. Coach, New Delhi. Her topic was "Integration of Technology and Social Media in Teaching" Day 5: Mrs. Upma Mahajan, Life Skill Trainer IQAC/ Post graduate Department of English and CBSE Resource Person. Her topic was "Life Skills" Day 6: Ms. Vinodita Sankhyan Principal, Shri Ram Ashram School, Amritsar, Master Trainer and CBSE Resource Person. Her topic was "Building Interview Skills"
- On 15th Oct, 2020 **2nd Quarterly IQAC meeting** was held to discuss the academic issues.
- Exhibition Cum Sale of items of Karwachauth was organized on 3<sup>rd</sup> Nov, 2020 in college premises. Mehndi stalls on the festival of Karwachauth were also organized in the College premises on 3<sup>rd</sup> Nov, 2020.
- Exhibition cum sale of diyas was organized on the occasion of Diwali by PG Department of Fashion Designing on 13<sup>th</sup> Nov, 2020.

- Online house exam of all UG & PG classes commenced on 16<sup>th</sup> Nov, 2020 till 25<sup>th</sup> Nov,2020 under the aegis of IQAC & Exam Committee.
- 28th Dec, 2020 to 9th Jan, 2021, **Offline house exams** of 3rd sem &5th sem for UG & PG classes were held.
- On 11th Jan, 2021, **3rd Quarterly IQAC Meeting** was held and discussions were done and activities were planned
- On 14th Jan, 2021, Hawan was solemnized by Madam Principal, Staff Members and Students. Mrs. Ratna Sharma gave an enlightening lecture on Importance of Makar Sakranti and National Youth Day after Hawan Yagya.
- On 23rd Jan, 2021, NetaJi Subhash Chander Bose Birth Anniversary was celebrated by organizing Essay Writing Competition. Ist Prize was won by Ms. PG Dept of Pol-Sci. Bharti Sharma (B.Com 6th Sem), 2nd prize by Ms Komal (B.Sc 4th Sem) and Kiranjit Kaur (B.Sc 4th sem) got 3rd Prize. Movie was also shown to the students.
- On 26th Jan, 2021, students participated in Inter- College Tri Color recipe Competition organized by B.D. Arya College, Jalandhar Cantt. Amita, from BA-V got 3rd position in the Competition.
- On 28th Jan, 2021 P.G. Department of Political Science celebrated 154th birth anniversary
  of freedom fighter, Punjab Kesari Lala Lajpat Rai by organizing Intra-College Essay
  writing Competition. Ravneet Kaur got first prize, Vandna got second Prize and Anjali got
  third prize.
- On 6th Feb, 2021, **Hawan was organized** to bless the students for their University Exams.
- From 15th Feb,2021 to 5th April, 2021 University Examination of UG Sem I, III, V/PG Sem I and III/UG & PG Diplomas Sem I were conducted with the help of IQAC & Examination Committee.
- To celebrate **National Science day**, Seminar was organized on 28<sup>th</sup> Feb 202, during which Eminent Resource Persons were Dr. Arvinder Kaur, professor in the Department of Zoological sciences, Guru Nanak Dev Science Dept. University, Amritsar and Theme for "National"

Science Day 2021": "Future of STI: Impacts on Education, Skills and Work". Dr. Saroj Arora, Department of Botanical and Environmental sciences, Guru Nanak Dev University, Amritsar Various Intra-College competitions were organized that is poster making, slogan writing and collage making. In poster making competition: Gurleen (BSc medical sem-1) got first prize Priyanka (BSc medical sem-1II) second and Komal (BSc medical sem-1) 3rd prize. Manpreet kaur (B. A. Sem- III) and Tanvi Sharma (BSc medical sem-1) got the consolation prizes In slogan writing competition: Simranjeet Kaur (BSc medical sem-1II) got first prize, Amanpreet Kaur (BSc medical sem-1II) 2nd and Harshdeep Kaur (BSc medical sem-1II) third prize. In Collage making competition: Harleen Kaur (BSc medical) got first prize and Ishita Sharma (BSc Non-medical) got second prize.

- On 20 Mar 2021 A series of Hawan/Prayer and path were conducted by the staff of SDAM
   College for the well-being of all amidst alarming reports of increase in Covid-19 Cases
- 22nd March, 2021 **4th Quarterly IQAC Meeting** held to discuss the curriculum & activities.
- Students participated in National inter College Vedic essay writing competitionon 12<sup>th</sup>
   April 2021 organised by Sanskrit department and Arya Samaj Samiti of SL Bawa DAV
   College Batala Ms. Komal won third prize in National inter- College Vedic essay writing competition organised by Sanskrit department and Arya samaj samiti of SL Bawa DAV
   College Batala.
- On 20th April, 2021 New Principal, Dr. Reena Talwar joined as Principal of Shanti Devi Arya Mahila College, Dinanagar on Swami Sadanand Ji, President, Dayanand Mathh and Shanti Devi Arya Mahila College Dinanagar appointed Dr. Reena Talwar as the Principal of Shanti Devi Arya Mahila College, Dinanagar after completion of interview process as per DPI(C) Punjab and Guru Nanak Dev University, Amritsar norms. Members of Managing Committee congratulated the newly appointed Principal. Dr. Reena has served as Head, Department of Sanskrit and has been teacher in the college for 17 years. She did her MA (Sanskrit), PhD from GNDU, Amritsar. She has won Gold Medal in graduation. She has been qualified National Eligibility test as a Eligibility for a teacher in college. She has given Junior Research Fellowship for doing research. She has written three books. She has published 20 Research Papers in UGC Approved Referred journals. She has published seven chapters in books and uploaded them on GNDU Website. She has presented research papers in 40

International & National Seminars and workshops. She has been chosen member of Senate, GNDU IQAC / College Mgt. for maximum achievements in minimum age.

- A virtual staff meeting was conducted by Principal Dr. Reena Talwar on 6<sup>th</sup> May 2021. The objective of the staff meeting was to interact with the staff members who could not physically meet in college due to the COVID protocol laid down by the government. The staff congratulated Dr Reena Talwar on her selection as Principal and looked forward to working under her young and dynamic leadership. Dr. Reena IQAC thanked the staff and shared her vision about the college with the staff members and hoped for mutual co-operation for the progress of the college.
- Post Graduate department of Commerce under aegis of IQAC organised National Webinar on "Intellectual Property Rights" on 14<sup>th</sup> May 2021. Dr. Ajay Sharma, Principal SACCM Ludhiana was keynote addresse. Dr Niti Bhasin from Delhi University and CS Chinar Jethwani were eminent Resource persons. The Webinar was attended by 620 participants from 15 different States of India and was well applauded by all
- One Day National Webinar was organized on Legal Rights and Women Empowerment on 17<sup>th</sup> May 2021. In this webinar Dr. Vinay Kapoor, VC of Dr. B. R Ambedkar National law University, Sonipat and Col. Ari Dhaman Sharma, Commanding officer of 1 Punjab girl's battalion NCC were the main speakers. Dr Anjna Malhotra, coordinator, Dr. Ambedkar study centre was the moderator in this webinar. Principal Dr. Reena Talwar welcomed the distinguished speakers and elaborated the theme of the webinar. Dr. Vinay Kapoor by giving illustrations from history and Vedas emphasized that woman empowerment wave generated from west not PG Dept. of Political Science from east because in East women were enjoying good position. Col. Aridhaman emphasized that NCC is a platform where women are showing their excellence. Even in the period of corona NCC girl cadet performed empowered role on various fronts.
- On 18th May, 2021, **AQAR for the year 2019-20 was submitted** to NAAC by IQAC.
- Science Department of Shanti Devi Arya Mahila College, Dinanagar to organize webinar in collaboration with Punjab biodiversity board Chandigarh, funded by National biodiversity authority, Government of India, on the topic: "The Critical role of Biodiversity in

Sustainable development" Science Department organised webinar in collaboration with Punjab biodiversity board Chandigarh, funded by National biodiversity authority, Government of India, on the topic: "The Critical role of Biodiversity in Sustainable development" on 20<sup>th</sup> May 2021. This webinar was organized in lieu of celebration of international biodiversity day being celebrated on 22nd May every year. The theme of this year to celebrate this event was "we are part of solutions for nature "this theme was in continuation of previous year theme that is "our solutions are in nature". Resource persons during this webinar were i.e., 1. Dr Jagbir Singh, Professor in Department of Zoology and environmental sciences, Punjabi University, Patiala. 2. Dr. Daizy Batish, Professor in Botany, Punjab University, Chandigarh and 3. Dr. S.S Hundal, Ex. Professor in Department of zoology, PAU, Ludhiana. Dr Jagbir Singh spoke on "Biodiversity: Essence of life". Dr Daizy Batish threw light upon "Impact of Covid-19 Pandemic on Biodiversity" Dr. S.S Hundal spoke on Biodiversity: The Foundation for Sustainable Development.

- On 31st May, 2021, students participated in National Level PPT making competition organized by Gopichand Arya Mahila College, Abohar Our Student Navpreet Kaur secured 3rd Position in National Level PPT making competition organized by Gopichand Arya Mahila College, Abohar PG Dept. of Computer Science.
- Science department in association with CLINI INDIA organized Webinar on 31<sup>st</sup> May 2021. Under the supervision of placement cell coordinator Mrs Deepak Jyoti. Science department of Shanti Devi Arya Mahila College Dinanagar in association with CLINI INDIA organized Webinar on "Importance of Profession Ready Training and Placement Program". In Clinical Research, Pharmacovigilance and Associated Domains, and under the supervision of placement cell coordinator Mrs Deepak Jyoti. More than 120 students participated in this webinar. Resource person of the Science department webinar was Mr. Vishal Chaudhary. (Head of operation and responsible to handle technical as well as training and placement support to Clini India campus in Pune, Mumbai, Bangalore and Hyderabad.

# **Youth Welfare Department Activities**

• On 21st June 2020, as per guidelines of Ministry Of Ayush, NSS and Youth Welfare Department to organized **online celebration of International Yoga Day** As per guidelines of

Ministry Of Ayush, NSS and Youth Welfare Department organised online celebration of International Yoga Day. Theme of 6th International Yoga Day was YOGA at HOME and yoga with family. Mrs. Sonia, Asst Professor in Cosmetology Department was invited for giving online training of different Yogasana to students and faculty members who joined this event at Google Meet. Mrs. Sunita Verma, Mrs. Sangeeta Malhotra, Mrs. Deepak Jyoti (NSS programme Officers) played key role in organising this event and Mrs. Parveen Saini and Mrs. Neenu Sharma also attended this event at College Campus. Two Yoga trained students, Ms. Riya Kumari and Ms. Aarti also participated in this event IQAC /Youth Welfare Dept. /NSS Dept. at campus.

- On 19th Aug, 2020, to commemorate the **400th Birth Anniversary of Shri Guru Teg Bahadur Ji**, Youth Welfare Dept. Organized Inter –College online competitions on Portrait making, Slogan Writing and Essay writing In Portrait Making, Twinkle Rawal of APJ College of Fine Arts, Jalandhar got first prize, Sameeksha Mehra of BBK DAV College, Amritsar got second position and Priya Bangar of Kamla Nehru College, Phagwara got third position. In Slogan writing competition, Nisha Bhalla of DSG College of Education, Lalru got first position, Sahil Dawan of DAV College Amritsar got second position and Preeti of DAV College Amritsar got third position. In Essay Writing competition, Davinder Singh Kalra of STB Khalsa College and Sakshi from AB College Pathankot got Youth Welfare Dept first position, Nisha Bhalla of DSG College of Education, Lalru and Navrit Kaur, of Abohar got second position. Muskan Gulati of Arya PG College, Panipat and Manpreet Kaur of Miri Piri Khalsa College, Bhadaur got third position.
- On 1<sup>st</sup> Oct, 2020 our students participated in competition organized by S.M.D.R.S.D College of Education Pathankot. Miss Sumandeep Kaur stood first in Inter- College online Monoacting competition and Ms Palak Salaria stood first in Online speech competition. Both the winners got e-certificates Youth Welfare Dept./NSS and cash prizes of rupees 1000 each.
- On 30th Nov, 2020, **550th Birth Anniversary of Shri Guru Nanak Dev Ji** was celebrated by Recitation of Sukhmani Sahib Path and Distribution of Prasad and Langar. Youth Welfare Dept.
- On 24th Dec, 2020, **Folk dances were presented in "Lok Utsav".** In which North Zone Cultural Centre Patiala sponsored folk dances of Nine States were performed like, "Bhangra" by Punjab. "View Dance" by Assam. "Tamegesalo" by Sikkim. "Garba" by Gujarat. "Badei Narota" by Madhya Pradesh. "Fog"dance by Haryana. "Roof" dance by Jammu &Kashmir. Were performed by the artist.
- On 13th Jan, 2021, **Lohri Festival was celebrated.** Peanuts & Sweets were distributed among the students and staff.
- On 24th Jan, **2021 National Girl Child Day was celebrated**. Mrs Rachna Sharma from Dept of Social Science, GNDU was the Eminent Speaker. All the five NSS Program officers were

present at the function. Students of Fine Arts Dept made Posters on the theme of National Girl Child Day under the guidance of HOD, Fine Arts Dept Mrs Sonika Gupta.

• On 23rd March 2021, **Martyrdom day of Shaheed Bhagat Singh** was been observed. On this day Japuji Sahib path held at college campus.

## **NCC Actvities**

The aim of NCC wing of SDAM College, Dinanagar is to develop character, comradeship, discipline, a secular outlook, the spirit of adventure and ideals of selfless service amongst young citizens. Further, it aims at creating a pool of organized, trained and motivated Girl cadets with leadership qualities in all walks of life, who will serve the Nation regardless of which career they choose.

Our college is running 104 cadets Platoon for the development of the student community. With its motto of "*Unity and Discipline*" the NCC has become instrumental in molding the character and imparting in our students a dynamic outlook.

- On 26th June, 2020 NCC cadets celebrated **online International Day against Drugs abuse & Illicit Trafficking**. Cadets educated the people of their villages against this menace. Cadets made posters, slogans, wrote poems on this issue.
- On 29th Sept, 2020, **One week awareness campaign "Jagrukta Saptah" against COVID-19** in collaboration with Dept. of District Youth Services Gurdaspur was organized. More than 200 students participated in Intra college online Quiz on COVID-19 organized by District Youth Services Gurdaspur. 23 Volunteers made Posters on Importance of Hand Sanitization, Wearing Mask and Maintaining Physical Distancing to combat Corona Virus. Pamphlets for creating awareness regardingCovid-19 provided by Deputy Commissioner, District Gurdaspur were distributed to public by staff and students at local Bus Stand, Dinanagar
- To celebrate one month long activities given by Govt. of India to NCC from 17<sup>th</sup> Nov. 2020 13<sup>th</sup> Nov. 2020, Lt. Dr. Anjna Malhotra was appointed as Nodal Officer of Amritsar Group to celebrate activities given by Govt. of India to NCC Dept.
- On 17th Nov, 2020 Self videos of pledge were taken by NCC cadets. Self- videos of pledge taken by NCC cadets were uploaded at "My gov.in" NCC Dept. On 22 Nov, 2020 Tree Plantation was organized in the surrounding areas by NCC cadets.
- On 24th Nov, 2020 **NCC Day was celebrated**. On this day Inter college Poster making & declamation contest were organized. Rally was also organized to celebrate NCC day.
- On 25th Nov,2020 Inter-College Poster making & slogan writing competition were organized by NCC department of college

- On 26th Nov,2020 Webinar on Constitution growth was organized. Dr. Rajni Malhotra Dhingra, Principal, Maharaja Agersan College, New Delhi was the main speaker. Advocate Manoj Loomba and Lt. Dr. Anjna Malhotra as Nodal Officer also shared their views with Cadets NCC
- On 26th Nov, 2020 NSS and NCC Department celebrated Constitution Day by organizing Intra-College Poster Making, Slogan Writing and Quiz competitions NSS and NCC Department
- On 30th Nov, 2020 **Inter –College Essay writing Competition** was organized in which 20 institutions of 1Pb girls battalion NCC participated NCC 44.
- On 1st Dec.2020, **Expert talk on constitutional growth was organized**. Retd. Major General Anil Shoruie and Dr. Satnam Deol, HOD, Deptt.of Pol.Sci. GNDU Amritsar shared their Views with Cadets of 1Pb girls battalion NCC.
- 550 Cadets of 1Pb girls battalion NCC participated in this **Cleanliness Drive by NCC** cleaning their respective vicinity on 7<sup>th</sup> Dec 2020 and 8th Dec, 2020. Documentary on Dr. Ambedkar was shown through Online Mode.
- On 9th Dec, 2020 **Online debate on fundamental duties** was organized.
- On 10th Dec, 2020, **Webinar was organized on 'Present Scenario of Human Rights'**. Lt Dr. Anjana Malhotra shared her views with Cadets and ANOs/CTs of 1Pb Girls battalion NCC.
- On 12th Dec, 2020 All Institution of 1 Pb. Battalion Organized **Online Debate on Fundamental Duties** in their Respective institutions.
- On 15th Dec,2020 to 29th Dec. 2020 Lt. Dr. Anjna Malhotra as Nodal Officer Lt. Dr. Anjna Malhotra as Nodal Officer organized **Hand Wash Day**, Poster Making, Tree plantation, Cleanliness drive and Marathon and the same was uploaded at" My gov.in" in Digital forum.
- On 25th Jan, 2021, **Intra-College Quiz Competition** was organized on "Indian Constitution".
- On 30th Jan, 2021 **Martyrdom Day Of Mahatma Gandhi was observed**. Movie was also shown to students. Tree Plantation at Dayanand Math was done.
- On 3rd Feb, 2021, **NCC cadet participated in Prime Minister Rally 2021**. She was the only cadet from Gurdaspur District who got selected for this rally.
- On 4th Feb,2021, World Fraternity Day was observed by conducting webinar cum online Inter – College Poetical Recitation competition in collaboration with 1 Pb. Girls battalion, NCC Dept Amritsar 1 st Prize: Ankita Saini 2 nd Prize: Yogita 3 rd Prize: Cadet Aadhya of Army School

• From 9th Feb, 2021 to 13th Feb, 2021 **Five Days Annual training camp was organized** by 1 Pb girls Battalion NCC in college premises. 250 Cadets from different school and colleges related with NCC participated in this camp. CO Col. Aridhaman Sharma, Adam Officer Major Depti Shukla and Lt. Dr. Anjna Malhotra administered the different activities like Drill, Shooting, classes etc, On the Last day Group Commander, Amritsar group, Brig. Rohit Kumar Sharma along with Cos of 7 pb. And 1 Pb. Boys visited camp in college premises and addressed the cadets.

### **NSS Activities**

There are five units of NSS in SDAM College run being the guidance of following programme officers **Mrs. Sangeeta Puri, Co-ordinator**, Dr. Sushma Gupta, Mrs. Sunita Verma, Dr. Reena Talwar, Mrs. Deepak Jyoti and Mrs. Jyoti Saini. These units are rendering service to society. This Department organized 10 one day NSS Camps each year. Important days like National Youth Day, Republic Day, International Women Day, World Health Day, World Environment Day, World No Tobacco Day, World Population Day, Sadhbhawna Divas, NSS Day are also celebrated by these units.

- On 5th June, 2020, **World Environmental Day** was celebrated in college campus by doing Havan to purify the environment. To mark the occasion, "Tree plantation" was also done by with staff members including program officers of NSS Department.
- On 6th June 2020, to fight against this critical situation of Pandemic Of Covid -19, The NSS Program Officers, Mrs. Sangeeta Malhotra, Mrs. Sunita Verma and Mrs. Deepak Jyoti under the able guidance of Director, Mrs. Ratna Sharma distributed Masks to 200 Inmates of Leper's Colony, Dinanagar and 500 Masks for needy villagers were given to Mrs. Sulakhni Devi ,Sarpanch of village Vadda Sahowal NSS Dept. which had been adopted by NSS Dept. of the College for the year 2019 20.Masks were distributed among some needy women who were present on the spot by maintaining physical distancing.
- One week awareness campaign "Jagrukta Saptah" against COVID-19 in collaboration with Dept. of District Youth Services Gurdaspur was organized on 29<sup>th</sup> Sept.2020. More than 200 students participated in Intra college online Quiz on COVID-19 organized by District Youth Services Gurdaspur. 23 Volunteers made Posters on Importance of Hand Sanitization, Wearing Mask and Maintaining Physical Distancing to combat Corona Virus. Pamphlets for creating awareness regardingCovid-19 provided by Deputy Commissioner, District Gurdaspur were distributed to public by staff and students at local Bus Stand, Dinanagar.
- On 13th Jan, 2021, **Lohri Festival was celebrated**. Peanuts & Sweets were distributed among the students and staff.
- On 25th Jan, 2021, **National Voters' was celebrated** by organizing Oath taking ceremony. Signature Campaign was done by staff and students and Intra-College poster making competition was also organized. Display of Posters on National Voters' Day was done by Fine Arts Dept. to create awareness among students.

- On 26th Jan, 2021, College **celebrated 72nd Republic Day**. Tri color Paneer Tikka with Tri color salad, Tricolor Burfi, Tricolor Sandwiches were made by students on Republic Day.
- Martyrdom Day of Mahatma Gandhi was observed on 30<sup>th</sup> Jan 2021. Movie was also shown to students. Tree Plantation at Dayanand Math was done.
- On 1st Feb, 2021, World Leprosy Eradication day was observed and students along with NSS In charges visited Leprosies Colony in Dinanagar and distributed grocery items, fruits and other eatables to the inmates.
- On 4th Feb, 2021, **webinar on "World Cancer Awareness Day" was organized**. Dr. Ananya Babbar, Gynecologist, Babbar hospital, Gurdaspur was the main speaker of the day.
- On 10th March, **2021, International Women day was celebrated** by NSS & Youth Welfare Dept. NSS/Youth Welfare Dept. Principal Mrs. Ratna Sharma, Dr. Reena Talwar and Mrs. Neenu Sharma addressed the students and threw light on the importance of this day.
- On 31st March,2021, **Slogan writing Competition on Poshan Pakhwada 2021** was organized by NSS Deepartment NSS
- 22nd April 2021, **Earth Day Day was celebrated** by NSS Department .Tree plantation was done to mark the day. NSS 83 Friday 23 Apr 2021 College to apply for "Green Champion Award" by Mahatma Gandhi National Council of Rural Education, Government of India for its contribution to Swachhta Education and practice. These awards to be given to only one Institution per district. College given "Green Champion Award" by Mahatma Gandhi National Council of Rural Education, Government of India for its contribution to Swachhta Education and practice. These awards were given to only one Institution per district and it was announced on the occasion of "Earth Day" this year. Approximately 1000 higher Education Institutions participated in the 'One District One Green Champion'.
- On 22nd April, 2021, Principal Dr. Reena Talwar told that In July 2020, college was associated with MGNCRE and SAP committee was formed and registered under the able guidance of Former Principal Mrs. Ratna Sharma. Online workshops in the areas of Swachhta in campus, campus Jal shakti (water conservation in the campus) and Post-Covid-19 Sanitation Plan in and around the college campus was initiated consistently. Swachhta Action Plan (SAP) Committee conducted Swachhta activities.
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campus in Dinanagar city. Finally in the report Evaluation sheet for Sanitation practices and Jal Shakti Evaluation sheet were filled for assessment and evaluation of the standards maintained in the campus. On the basis of this report Ministry of Education has recognised Shanti Devi Arya Mahila College Dinanagar as the 'Green Champion' in the district of Gurdaspur.

### AMBEDKAR STUDY CENTRE

On 14th April, 2021, Ambedkar Study Centre celebrated **130th Birth Anniversary of Dr. Bhim Rao Ambedkar**. On this day Poster making competition has been organized by the College. Ambedkar Study Centre

### **Alumni Association**

On 6th May, 2021, Alumni Association of **sponsored scholarship to students.** Miss Nageeta Devi of BA sixth semester and Miss Komal Sharma of MA political science 4th semester got the scholarship of 2000 each. Principal Dr. Reena Talwar gave cheques to students to help them in their studies.

### **Red Ribbon Club**

Red ribbon club is a movement by the Government of India in Educational Institutions through which students are made aware of AIDS. Through RRC, youth is encouraged to learn about safe and healthy lifestyles. The Red Ribbon of our college is working under the guidance of Mrs. Sangeeta Malhotra.

# **Scholarships Obtained**

Our students are recipients of Punjab Govt. Merit Scholarship, Minority, SC/BC Scholarships, Jindal foundation Scholarship, Scholarship given by SGPC. Other than this, our managing

Committee too extends its help by giving 50% fee concession to fatherless girls and liberal fee concession to deserving candidates. University Toppers are given almost free education and this year around 90 students' fatherless girls are given 50% concession.

# A Word to my Students

We feel elated that despite various hurdles due to COVID-19, the session has successfully brought the best of results in academics, co- curricular activities and sports. It has been possible only through strenuous efforts and hardwork. A brilliant future avails. I wish you best of everything.

May the Almighty bless you and sprinkle upon you the showers of success. May you bring name, fame and glory to yourself, your parents, institute and country of which you are worthy citizens.

## My Gratitude

I feel highly obliged to thank benefactors of this institute who have always stood like strong pillars, supporting the institute and always inspiring to cross every obstacle to reach pinnacles of glory and success. The college is treading ahead bringing laurels and I assure you of maintaining the same status of prestige and glory in future too. I am highly indebted to members of Governing body who give us their valuable advice about administrative, financial and policy matters from time to time. I offer my sincerest thanks to UGC, DST, ICSSR and Punjab Govt. for its aids and grants to the college. Thanks to G.N.D.U. Amritsar, for their solid guidance at every step. Also, my special thanks to faculty members who with their diligent, constant and sincere efforts have brought laurels in the field of Academics, Co-curricular and Sports. The administrative and fourth-class employees are equally devoted to render their contribution in keeping this institution in a good trim. My students' achievement in all sphere fill me with pride and make me relish moments of heavenly bliss. I am thankful to them for abiding by and maintaining the decorum of the institute. At last, I once again thank you all and wish the march towards the path of glory and success continues forever and ever.