



Malkheda Days: A Great Rural Immersion



1. Students' practice.
2. Women of Malkhed at informal Haldi Kunku event with all volunteers.
3. Cultural programme - Bharud
4. Faculties in Haldi Kunku.
5. Oath Taking.
6. Doctors of Sharayu Hospital interacting with women.
7. Volunteers cooking.

This year, a seven day training camp of the National Service Scheme (NSS) was organized at the village Malkhed on behalf of MMCC in association with SPPU. In this camp not only students but the teachers and local activists were also seen participating enthusiastically.

The camp was inaugurated by Sarpanch Nanda Jori. Dr. Devidas Golhar, Principal, MMCC along with other teachers managed all the arrangements of the camp.

Through this camp various social activities like domestic help, village survey, cleaning of schools, temples and roads, social awareness

through street theatre, water conservation, environmental awareness, elimination of superstitions, de-addiction, social awareness, intellectual seminars, free health camp were carried out and implemented. Students got guidance on expertise in different fields and various subjects. The camp concluded with a session on 'Historical places in Sinhagad area' by historian Dattaji Nalavade.

This camp was successfully organized and carried out by Nodal Officer Prof. Pravin Kad and co-ordinator Dr. Sandip Anpat along with some other faculties of MMCC.





Shantanu Kulkarni, Atharva Naik and Anushka Shinde - students of SYBBA(CA) ranked second position in the event, BUGZILLA and won Cash Prize of Rs. 3000 in Intercollegiate Fest, Technosav'23 organized by Christ College, Pune on 10th March 2023.



Aniruddha Navandar, Samruddhi Karnavat, Kshitija Pawar and Vanshita Sugandhi of BBA & BBA (IB) department won the Event Manager of the Year 2023 award. This function was organised by the National Institute of Event Management.



Praful Bargatkar - Student of MA JMC (Part 1), felicitated with certificate and gift by Dr. Amol Kolhe, Lawyer- Asim Sarode, Retired Deputy Director General of Doordarshan- Shivaji Phulsunder, Director of Callidus Media Academy- Pankaj Ingole and Ma'am Poonam Ingole for his role as Secretary in the Parliament in Youth Parliament Competition. This competition was organised by 'Yuvak Biradari' Pune Mumbai division.

Towards a Sustainable Future - MMCOA



Experts at Round Table Conference.

The Centre for Sustainable Development in association with CEE and MMCOA hosted a "Round Table workshop" themed India sustainability @75 on March 3. The event was introduced and welcomed by Dr. Shrinivas, Executive Director, CSD and Dr. Ujjwala Palsuley, Principal, MMCOA followed by the address of Honorable Shri B.G. Jadhav, Executive President of Marathwada Mitra Mandal. The event was graced by Dr. A. Ravindra, retired IAS and Chairman, CSD and

former Chief Secretary, Karnataka and Keynote address was given by Shri. Ramnath Jha, retired IAS and distinguished fellow, Observer Research Foundation, Mumbai.

The event was attended by 25 experts from various fields of Educational institutes, Civil Society and representatives of Pune and Pimpri Chinchwad Municipal Corporations. They all contributed to the workshop through their deliberations with a conclusion that awareness needs to be imbibed from grassroots levels, data collection, collation and analysis along with steps to be implemented at local level for policy advocacy that should be participatory in nature.

Exhibition at Kaladalan - MMSID

On March 20, Monday, exhibition of various educational activities of students from Marathwada Mitramandal's School of Interior Design was inaugurated at Balgandharva Kaladalan, Pune. This exhibition witnessed esteemed guests like Tushar Koyapade, Interior Designer Chiranjeevi Lunkad and guest of honor Mr. Shahid Usmani (Deputy Secretary of Maharashtra State Board of Education Divisional Office, Pune) and working President of the institute Principal Bhausahab Jadhav. Chief guest Tushar Koyapade and Interior Designer Chiranjeevi Lunkad briefed the students about their various projects.

Ensemble 2k23 Week - A Gala event at MMCOE



Students performing at Ensemble 2k23

'Ensemble 2k23', an annual gathering of Marathwada Mitra Mandal's College of Engineering started with an enthusiastic sports week on February 18. Total 18 games with 4 indoor and 14 outdoor competitions were organized. The teams from all 7 departments participated with great enthusiasm along with the individuals.

Fitness mania on Feb 21 in the evening was to judge and promote the importance of physical fitness amongst all. The traditional day on February 22 was celebrated and a ramp walk was organized. The decoration matching the theme of Ensemble Saptarang was cherry on the top. On the same day Gavaksh, cultural program for all female faculties was celebrated with great enthusiasm and involvement by all staff members. Fun fair on February 23 had a great response, 36 stalls of food and fun games were enjoyed

by the crowd. It was accompanied by musical performances of the students. Also, Unmesh, cultural program for all male staff was celebrated with great enthusiasm and involvement by all staff members. Variety Entertainment Program well known as VEP has always been the main attraction of every Ensemble which was held on February 23. This year more than 200 students showcased their talents through different cultural performances.

On the last day, February 24, Ensemble 2k23 Prize Distribution Ceremony was held. Mr.



Homyar Bhathena (Sr. Director-Engineering, AppZen, Pune) was Chief Guest and Dr. Dipak Mane (Director, Sports, and Physical Education, SPPU, Pune) was Guest of Honor for the program.

The event was successfully conducted with support of Honorable Management under the guidance of Principal Dr. V. N. Gohokar and Dean, Student Affairs Dr. P. K. Tamkhade. Also, there was valuable support from Team Ensemble 2k23.

Purple, not Pink!



The stereotype that pink is for girls and blue is for boys, does not hold true when it comes to representing International Women’s Day. The global occasion celebrating the social, economic, cultural, and political achievements of women is actually represented by Purple color.

Historically, the purple color symbolizes women’s equality originated from the Women’s Social and Political Union in the U.K. in 1908. Purple signifies justice and dignity. Since then Internationally, purple is a color for symbolizing women. The aim of the color theme is to recognize the role of women and girls who create a more sustainable future for all the living beings.

REBT on Women’s Day



Mrs. Ghare guiding the staff at REBT lecture.

A two hour guest lecture titled ‘Rational Emotive Behaviour Therapy - REBT’ on the occasion of Women’s day i.e. 8th March 2023 was organized by IQAC for all teaching and non teaching women staff. The guest speaker, Mrs. Dhanashree Ghare, Counsellor, guided the women on maintaining work life balance.

Women’s Health Camp held at Malkhed



Doctors of Sharayu Hospital at the Health camp.

Unnat Bharat Abhiyan (Union Government’s scheme) and Marathwada Mitra Mandal’s College of Commerce have jointly adopted 5 villages including Malkhed, Aambi, Agalambe, Gorhe and Zalanwadi from Pune district.

Campaigns for overall development of rural areas and improvement of education and health were carried out in the above mentioned villages.

A breast cancer and health screening camp for women was completed in Aambi village in collaboration with ‘Apale Ghar’ and a health camp was conducted for women and girls at Malkhed in collaboration with ‘Sharayu Hospital’ Khanapur.

Women’s Day Special Win



Rutuja More receiving the award.

On the occasion of International Women’s Day, a Badminton tournament was jointly organized by the MMCC and MMCOE. Rutuja More of FYBBA(CA) stood third in Badminton.

Women’s Day Rendezvous by BBA



Teachers enjoying the Pani Puri Contest.

On the occasion of International Women’s Day, the Department of Business Administration under Teachers’ Forum organized an informal event for all the teaching and non-teaching staff on March 11. The event witnessed all the faculties and staff actively participating in the activities like musical fish pond and fun games like dumb charades and pani puri contest. In the end, it was all praises to HOD Dr. Ashwini Kulkarni and the entire Business Administration department for organizing such a refreshing and fun-filled program for all the staff.

Cultural Week Begins



Students enjoying the Traditional Day.

MMCC cultural department has organised a cultural week from March 23. The first day started with a bang by Sur and Saaz musical competition as well as ethnic day followed by Folk Fusion dancing competition on the second day. The cultural week will also include other activities which will see students from all departments participating enthusiastically.

NEP is here to stay: Prin. B. G. Jadhav



Participants and Faculties with Chief Guest Dr. Bansode and Dr. Devidas Golhar

“Teachers are the source of change” stated Dr. Naresh Bodkhe, Director (Economics) Competition Commission of India, in the inaugural session of the NEP workshop, ‘Redefining Institutional Perspective Plans in View of NEP 2020’, in association with National Assessment and Accreditation Council, held on February 25, 2023 at MMCC.

Dr. B.G. Jadhav (Executive President, MM Group) and Dr. Devidas Golhar (Principal, MMCC) addressed the participants in the inaugural session. “Whether you like it or not you have to accept the National Education Policy 2020”, emphasized Principal Jadhav, “as well as its changes are to be accepted” continued Prin. Jadhav.

‘Institutes need to

introspect on the vision of their perspective plans’ stated Dr. Devidas Golhar.

Other honourable guests included Dr. Sanjay Kharat, Prin. Modern College of Arts, Science and Commerce, Ganeshkhind; Mr. Pradeep Lokhande, Founding Member, Rural Marketing Association of India; CA Advait Bamboli, Partner, AVB & Co, Senate Member, Savitribai Phule Pune University; and Valedictory Chief Guest, Dr. Prashant Bansode, Professor and Dean of faculty, Gokhale Institute of Politics and Economics, Pune. The seminar was organized by Assistant Professor Gurmeet Kaur Rajpal and Dr. Swapna Kolhatkar under the able guidance of Principal Dr. Devidas Golhar.

The Importance of Business Communication



Ms. Bharti Motwani interacting with the students.

The Department of Journalism & Mass Communication organised a 2-day workshop on ‘Business Communication’ by Bharti Motwani, Founder, Groomify.

The first session which was on March 18, had the topics like email etiquettes,

business English and Workplace etiquettes received a positive response from the students. Ms. Bharti Motwani is a Cambridge Certified Trainer and works as Professional Development Coach. She has experience of 9 years in Corporate Sector. She also guides on how to develop communication and soft skills.

The students are now geared up for the second session of the workshop which will be conducted on March 25, Saturday.

Suicide Prevention - An MMCC CONNECT Initiative



Students participating in the Workshop.

A three-day ‘Suicide Prevention Workshop’ was organized by the BBA Department under the flagship initiative MMCC Connect. Students from all departments of the college were invited to participate in the workshop.

A ‘suicide prevention’ campaign is run by Sangath, a Delhi-based organisation. Students and youth are guided through this organization. Sangath organizes workshops in various colleges under the name ‘Outlive’. Sanjana Singh from Delhi and also Ms. Chetna were present in the program as the main guides. The guests were welcomed by the department. While interacting with the students, Sanjana Singh answered many questions of the students based on stress, depression, anxiety, etc.

At this age, Youngsters face a lot of challenges, they start to feel such things. Ms. Singh also added that frustrated youth commit suicide but if they are given proper guidance and workshops like OutLive are organized, the rate of suicides can be reduced.



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