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SEPTEMBER

5th September, 2021

Teacher's day celebration was organised by the Students' Council and Cultural Council, to commemorate the birth anniversary of Dr. Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan and honour the efforts made by teachers in imparting quality education for our students. Principal, Dr. Sanjay Sawant Dessai, distributed saplings to all teachers to express gratitude, recognize and celebrate each teacher's contribution.



Teachers Day Celebration

7th September, 2021

A Skit Competition on '*Gender Stereotypes*' was organised by the Department of Sociology in collaboration with Gender Champions Club, for SYBA Students to help students develop critical thinking and problem solving skills by exploring the gender stereotypes prevailing in society in a unique and creative manner.

18th September, 2021



The Department of Hindi organised a Vartani Sudhar Pratiyogita (Spelling-Competition) to improve the Hindi language spelling skills of students.

Vartani Sudhar Pratiyogita in progress

24th September,2021



The NCC, NSS and Department of Physical Education and Sports organised 'Fit India Freedom Run' (from CES College to Cuncolim Ground). All students and teachers participated in the run.

Principal and Sports Director along with students, teaching and non-teaching staff at Fit India Freedom Run

29th September, 2021



Students from the Department of Hindi participated in 'Hindi Srujanotsav' organised by Institute Menezes Braganza, Panaji Goa

Students participating at 'Hindi Srujanotsav'

30th September, 2021

The Department of Commerce organized a Project Orientation for T.Y. B. Com. students on Project paper writing in association with Project Committee and Research Cell.



OCTOBER

1st October, 2021

- ◆ Students from the Department of Marathi, participated and presented their Marathi poems in online '*Kavi Sammelan*' organised by Leo Club, Canacona, on 1st October, on the theme: Equality for Women.
- ◆ Students from the Department of Geography, participated at the 70th Wildlife Week, from 1st – 8th Oct 2021 at Chowgule College.

2nd October, 2021

- ◆ Celebration of Gandhi Jayanti and Birth Anniversary of Laal Bahadur Shastri was organised by the college and sister institutions.



- ◆ The **58th Founders' Day of CES** was celebrated with the felicitation of superannuated staff members of all the institutions managed by the society. Dr Radhika Naik, Principal of SS Dempo college and Acting Registrar of Goa University was the Chief Guest on the occasion.

Felicitation of Ms Geeta Dessai, retired staff member of CES College at the hands of the Chief Guest.

5th October, 2021



The Department of Physical Education and Sports organised an Interactive *Session on 'Active Life Style'*. Dr Devashish Bagchi, Director of Physical Education, Parvatibai Chowgule College was invited as the resource person.

Principal welcoming the Guest Speaker, Dr Devashish Bagchi

7th October, 2021

Ms. Chelsea Floripes Ferreira and Ms. Sabita Shushant Shahin were placed as interns in the office of Sociedade Agricola Dos Gaocares De Cuncolim from 7th October, 2021 to 31st December, 2021.

8th October, 2021



The Department of History organized a study tour for TYBA students(history) to Kushavati Heritage Site covering the historical sites on the banks of river Kushawati.

TYBA students at Kushavati Heritage Site

19th October, 2021

The NSS unit of the college screened a documentary on Anti – Tobacco measures to create awareness about the ill effects of smoking. 247 volunteers were present at the screening.

20th October, 2021



The NSS Unit organized an Anti-Tobacco awareness rally in which 247 NSS volunteers participated. A Poster Competition on Anti-Tobacco Slogans in which 16 students participated and an ‘oath taking’ against the usage of Tobacco was also held.

Students and teachers at Anti Tobacco awareness Rally at Cuncolim Market

25th October, 2021

◆ The students’ council organized a Poster making Competition on: ‘Nonviolence for healthy growth of society.’ to commemorate the International Day of Non-violence. Six students participated in the competition.



◆ Commanding officer of 1 Goa BN NCC Col Rathod and Adm. Officer Lt. Col Charak visited CES College Cuncolim and interacted with NCC cadets

Col. Rathod addressing NCC Cadets

26th October 2021

◆ The Department of Commerce organized an Investor Awareness talk on the topic '*Managing of Personal Finances*' for T.Y.B. Com and T.Y.B.A students, conducted under 'Investor Awareness Series'



◆ The NSS Unit initiated a cleanliness drive at CES College Library, Cuncolim Market and Municipality Hall around 46 students participated in the drive.

NSS volunteers at cleanliness drive in Cuncolim

27th October,2021

The NSS Unit conducted a Cleanliness drive at Cuncolim Bus Stand, Sports Ground, Old Age home, historical and religious sites of Cuncolim. 43 volunteers participated in the cleanliness drive.

29th October,2021

◆ The Students' Council and Cultural Council, as part of Diwali Celebrations organised interclass Aakash Kandil competition, Poha Making competition, Mehendi Competition and Rangoli Competition



◆ The Departments of Hindi, Konkani and Marathi in collaboration inaugurated a wallpaper ‘Sangam’ on, where the literatures written by students in the languages will be put on display.

Inaugural of wallpaper ‘Sangam’

◆ A Cleanliness Drive at Educational Institutions of CES, i.e. campus of CES United High School and Higher secondary was conducted by NSS Unit. 42 students participated in the drive.

30th October, 2021

◆ Students participated in ‘Swayampurna Yuva Job Fair’ and Career Guidance at GVM’ s Higher Secondary. 38 students from the college accompanied by faculty Mr. Parvath Naik, Mrs. Alisha Gaonkar and Ms. Radhika Pandey participated in the programme.



Students and teachers at ‘Swayampurna Yuva Job Fair’



◆ Tang Soo Do- Korean Martial Arts and demonstration of self defence and techniques of Kata (kicks and punches) by Saima Mannur, student from SYBA.

Saima Mannur showcasing self defence techniques



A participant performing at Bhav-Geet Competition

◆ Students council and the cultural council organised an **intercollegiate Bhav-Geet competition**, to celebrate '75 Azadi ke Amrut Mahotsav'. 22 participants from 12 Colleges participated in the competition. The Chief Guest for the competition was Mr. Yatin Talaulikar, Sangeet Visharad (Tabla) and Music Composer from Cuncolim. This competition was

judged by Mr. Shubham Naik (Singer), Mr. Dhanraj Madkaikar Visharad (Harmonium) and Mrs. Samiksha Bhobe (Singer).

31st October, 2021

The NSS Unit organised a Celebration of National Unity Day by taking oath on the occasion. A Quiz and documentary screening on the life of Sardar Valabhai Patel were also held. 242 students participated in the event.



NOVEMBER

1st November,2021

Department of Commerce organized a Mock Trading Contest for commerce students, in order to create awareness about online trading and investments in Capital Markets.

11th November, 2021



The NSS unit participated in the National Youth Parliament at Dr. Shyama Prasad Mukherjee indoor stadium, Panaji Goa. The objective of the youth parliament event was to provide a platform for students from various backgrounds to discuss the mechanics of possibility and potential for young political leadership. A total

of 122 NSS volunteers attended the program along with NSS Program Officers; Ms. Manira Fernandes and Ms. Radhika Pandey.

14th November,2021

The Department of Commerce conducted an Online **Quiz on Awareness on Cooperatives** in view of celebration of cooperative week between 14th to 24th November,2021

19th November

Ms. Mishra Simoes and Ms. Ashwini Augusta Simoes from T.Y.B.Com. were placed as interns at the Goa State C-operative Bank Ltd from 19th November to 31 December 2021.

20th November, 2021

With the objective of helping the college examination section the NSS unit of the college conducted an envelope making activity. A total of 238 envelopes were made by the volunteers which are used to pack the examination answer papers. 46 volunteers participated in this activity.



Students demonstrating their hand-crafted envelopes.

22nd November, 2021



Inauguration of In-Out management System as part of library automation to monitor footfall in CES College library by the hands of Shri Videsh Dessai, Chairman CES.

CES Chairman inaugurating CES library in-out automation machine

23rd November, 2021



The Gender Champion Club in association with the 'Global Hunt Foundation' organized a **session on Menstrual Hygiene** for the female students and faculty members. The objective was to create awareness among the adolescents on menstrual hygiene for a healthy living. Ms. Roshnee Bhowmick, from Global Hunt Foundation was invited as the speaker

26th November, 2021



◆ Constitution Day celebration was held by reading 'Preamble to the Constitution of India' by students, teaching and non teaching staff.

Reading of preamble at Constitution Day

◆ With the motto of maintaining clean surroundings in and outside the class rooms, NSS volunteers actively participated in classroom and campus cleaning activity. 47 volunteers participated in the drive.

◆ 127 NSS volunteers to participated in 'Online Quiz on Constitution Day' by visiting the portal developed by the Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs.

27th November, 2021

NCC and NSS organized a visit to an Old Age Home in Cuncolim, to interact with Senior Citizens and sensitize students for being compassionate and responsible towards them.

A Cleanliness drive at Our Lady of Health Church Premises and School was conducted by the NSS Unit. 47 students participated in the activity.

28th and 29th November, 2021

Students form the Department of Marathi, attended the 28th Goamantak Marathi Sahitya Sammelan at Sant Sohrobanath Ambiy College, Pernem, where they interacted with Goan Marathi writers.

29th November, 2021

A session on LIC (Super Money Back Package) was organised by staff secretary. Mr CS Bakshi ,LIC Consultant was the guest speaker.

30th November,2021

◆ The Department of Hindi organised an Interclass Essay writing competition: ‘Nibandh Pratiyogita’



◆ The NSS and Electoral Literacy Club of the college in collaboration with Electoral Registration Officer,34-Cuncolim constituency organised a Poster Competition on the theme ‘Right to Vote’ as part of systematic Voters Education(SVEEP), in which 14 students participated. A demonstration of EVM was done to create awareness on voting.

Mr Gaurav S. Gaoukar Joint Mamladtdar – VI Salcete and AERO 34- Cuncolim A.C Margao was the speaker of the session. The activity was co-ordinated by Asst. Professor Ms Manira Fernandes NSS PO and Nodal Officer of Electoral Literacy Club



DECEMBER

1st December, 2021



◆ The Women's Cell and Gender Champion Club organized a *guest lecture on 'Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace* (Prevention, Prohibition and Redressal Act, 2013)'. The guest speaker was Ms. Maria Goretti Simoes Morais, faculty of VVM's Govind Ramnath Kare College of Law, Margao. The objective was to create awareness among the employees about the prevention of sexual harassment at workplace.

Ms Goretti Simoes addressing the gathering

◆ The Directorate of Higher Education (DHE) in association the CES College initiated a *Youth Employment program (YEP)* for the college students under their CSR initiatives through Tata Consultancy Services from December 2021 to January 2022.

1st and 2nd December, 2021



An Oath taking and 'Tree of Life Campaign' for HIV and AIDS Prevention; a Face Painting Competition and rally for awareness on HIV and AIDS was organised by NSS Unit in association with Red Ribbon Club on the occasion of 'World Aids Day'.

Students participating at a Rally on HIV and Aids awareness

4th December, 2021



Dr Prakash Parienkar, interacting with students

◆ The Department of Konkani organised a talk on *'Career Guidance'* for Konkani Students to understand the different prospects of Konkani language as a career. Dr. Prakash Parienkar, Associate Professor, Dept of Konkani, Goa University was the guest speaker.



Ms. Nirmala Rebello addressing staff members

◆ The Mentoring Committee and Counselling Cell organized a session on *'Stress Management and Mentoring'* for the teaching and nonteaching staff of the college. Ms. Nirmala Rebello, Counsellor was invited as the resource person.

7th December, 2021

◆ The Department of Physical Education and sports organized an **Interclass Men's and Women's Badminton Tournament**. The 1st place was secured by Mr Soham Dessai- Fybcom, 2nd place Devang Ballikar- Fybcom, and 3rd place by Myran De Souza-TYBA in the men's tournament. In the women's tournament the 1st Place was secured by Venessa D'sa – Fyba, 2nd Place by Sneha Vithal Pawar -Tybcom and 3rd place by Josima D Costa-Syba

◆ The Department of Sociology organised a Role-Play competition for SYBA students on *'Importance of Manners'* to make students understand the importance of Manners and Etiquettes in our daily life.

8th December, 2021

The department of sociology organized a webinar for B.A Sociology students on: *"Careers in Sociology"* The resource person Dr. Gopi Nimbarte (Head, Department of Humanities and SS VNIT, Nagpur) highlighted the various career opportunities available for a student of Sociology.

8th December- 9th December, 2021

An Inter class **Table Tennis Tournament** was organised by the department of physical education. Mr Dixit Dessai- Tybcom emerged as the winner. Mr Myran De Souza-Tyba and Raj Prabhudessai- Tyba, secured 2nd and 3rd place respectively.

8th December to 10th December,2021

Prime TV- Goa in association with NSS unit of the college conducted a pre - election polling survey in 5 constituencies namely Navelim, Velim, Fatorda, Quepem, and Canacona. 25 NSS Volunteers were involved in the conduct of the survey.

9th December, 2021

The Department of English inaugurated a Literary Guild of the Department: 'Eloquence' and Speakers Club, 'Talking Titans'.

10th December, 2021



◆ Assistant Professor in Marathi Ms. Shubhlaxmi Naik Gaonkar, presented a paper on the topic 'Jeevanvyavaharateel Strivaad' at 17th Shekoti Marathi Sahitya Sammelan organised by Konkan Marathi Parishad at Mapusa, Goa.

Asst. Prof. Ms. Shubhlaxmi Gaonkar, presenting a paper on 'Jeevanvyavaharateel Strivaad'

◆ Students from the Department of Marathi participated in the 'Bharatkar Hegde Desai Essay Competition' organised by Govt. College Quepem in collaboration with Gomantak Marathi Academy.

◆ The Department of Konkani organised a '**Lecture on Research Methodology**' by Dr Prakash Parienkar, Associate Professor in Konkani, Goa University, for TYBA students in order to understand the formatting of research work and literature review.



◆ The Department of Geography organized a guest *lecture on “Research Methodology/ Project Report Writing”* by Dr. K. R. Badiger

Students and teachers along with resource person Dr K.R. Badiger

◆ The Department of Hindi conducted a ‘Visit to Government Library, Cuncolim’, to inculcate interest for reading among students.



◆ The Department of Political Science organised an ‘Online Quiz Competition’ and ‘Umbrella Painting Competition’ on 10th December to commemorate ‘**Human Rights Day**’.

Students display their umbrellas for umbrella painting competition



◆ The Department of Information Technology organised a ‘Certificate Designing Competition’ to develop interest of students in new software applications and creative designing.

Students participating in Certificate Design Competition

11th December, 2021

With the objective of maintaining a clean and green campus the NSS volunteers participated in cleaning of kitchen garden and garden area of the college, in which 27 students participated.

12th December,2021

6 Students from the Department of Commerce, SYBCOM participated in ‘Online Business Plan Contest’ organised by Government College of Arts and Commerce Borda- Margao Goa.



◆ On the occasion of International Mountain day, the Department of Geography organized a trek to Panzorconi Hill (Kaknamoddi)

Ms Radhika Pandey and students at the trek to Panzorkoni Hills

13th to 15th December, 2021



The department of Physical Education organised an Inter Class **Football Tournament**. Team FYBA emerged as the winners and Team FYBCOM were the runners-up.

Team FYBA- Winner's of inter class football tournament

14th December, 2021

The Consumer Welfare Cell invited Mr Roland Martins to speak on “**Awareness on Consumer Rights**” with the objective of creating Consumer Awareness among students.

Students and teachers with resource person, Roland Martins



15th December, 2021



◆ The Department of Marathi organised an ‘Inter class Essay writing’ competition to enhance thinking and writing skills of students

Students participating in Marathi Essay Writing Competition

◆ With the motto of creating awareness on cleanliness among the general public the NSS unit of the college initiated a cleanliness drive from the college campus to the Cuncolim market area. 23 volunteers participated in the drive.

15th to 18th December, 2021

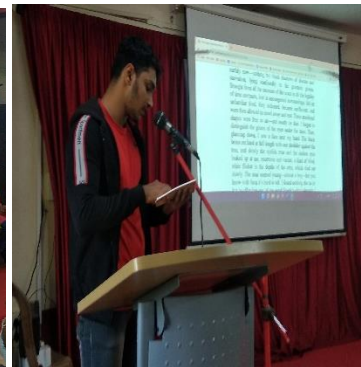
The department under its newly inaugurated guild “Eloquence”, organized *An Interclass English language event called ‘Phoenix’*, from 15th to 18th December, under which: Interclass Spell-Bee competition; Essay writing contest; Reading competition and Elocution competition, were organized with the objective of providing a platform for students to showcase their English language skills



Miss Reha Rego from FYBA participating in the Elocution competition



Ms Fatima Martins, instructing students during spelling competition



Mr Astel D’Souza from SYBA participating in reading competition

16th December, 2021



The Department of Information and Publicity and Directorate of Higher Education, Government of Goa organised a Guest Lecture on *Agriculture in Goa: Past, Present and Future (a series)*. Dr. Suresh Kunkolkar, Principal of Don Bosco College of Agriculture, was the resource person.

16th and 17th December, 2021

Students from the department of Geography participated at the Bird watching Festival organised by DSFWL North Goa

17th December, 2021



The Department of Sociology organized a guest lecture on '*Understanding Research Process*' for T.Y.B.A sociology students. The guest speaker was Dr. Arvind Haldankar, Associate professor, Department of sociology, Goa University

18th December, 2021

◆ Students from the Department of Hindi along with Asst. Prof. Salama Bojagar attended State Level Seminar organised by St. Xavier's College, Mapusa-Goa on 'Mannu Bhandari Ka Rachna Sansar' on 18th December.



◆ The Department of Konkani undertook a Collage poster making Competition on the topic ‘60 Varsachem Goy’ on 18th December, to commemorate the freedom struggle for Goa’s Liberation



◆ 30 Students of the language departments: English Hindi, Konkani and Marathi participated in an Essay writing Competition organised by District Electoral Officer, South Goa and Electoral Registration Officer, Cuncolim in collaboration with CES College of Arts and Commerce, Cuncolim on the theme: ‘Higher Participation: Stronger Democracy’.

19th December, 2021

◆ The Students’ Council organised *Goa Liberation Day Celebration* on 19th December to commemorate 60 years of Liberation.



Flag hoisting on the occasion of Goa Liberation Day



Ariel view of Goa liberation day celebrations



◆ Electoral Literacy Club organised a Street play on “Awareness on Voting” for creating awareness on voting among the masses

Students performing a street play at Cuncolim town market



◆ The Department of History organised a heritage walk to Old Goa which covered the monuments of Old Goa. St. Basilica Church, St. Cajetan Church, St. Cathedral Church and St. Augustine Church.

Asst Prof. Vinod Kankonkar and students at Old Goa

◆ NSS Students attended the Sail parade and Fly past at Miramar on the occasion of 60th Anniversary of Goa's Liberation as part of celebration of Goa@60 which was organized by the Government of Goa at Miramar Beach, Panaji. The chief guest on the occasion was Honourable Prime Minister of India, Shri Narendra Modi. 70 students attended the program accompanied by NSS PO Mr. Vinod Kankonkar, Ms. Manira Fernandes and Ms. Radhika Pandey also attended the program.

◆ Exhibition of Books on Goan History in CES Library on the occasion of Goa Liberation day



◆ NCC cadets of CES College of Arts and Commerce Cuncolim Goa Visited Chieftain memorial park Cuncolim (1583, Cuncolim Revolt) on the occasion of 60th Goa liberation day

NCC Cadets at Chieftain Memorial Park

20th December, 2021

◆ The department of Political Science organised an Essay writing Competition on 1. Fundamental Rights and my duties as a responsible Citizen of India, 2. Gandhiji- 'The Mahatma' was to commemorate 75 years of India's Independence.

◆ The Department of Commerce organised an Inter-class Essay competition for F.Y.B.COM, S.Y.B.COM and T.Y.B.COM students on “Offline Teaching Vs Online Teaching.”

◆ With the objective of promoting Goan Culture and Traditions the NSS unit organised a Poster competition on the theme ‘Goan Culture and Tradition’; and an Online Quiz on Goa. 64 students participated in the activities.

◆ CES College Football Men and Women teams participated at the Inter collegiate Futsal Championship 2021, organised by Goa Football Association in collaboration with M.ES, Dhempo and Nirmala College held in Ribander, Goa. The women’s team emerged as the semi finalists.



C.E.S.College Women’s Futsal Team 2021



C.E.S.College Men’s Futsal Team 2021

◆ The Department of Economics organised an ‘Inter-class Essay Writing Competition’ on 20th December,2021, to encourage critical thinking and writing skills of the students and inculcate awareness about current affairs.



◆ Dr Sanjay Sawant Dessai, Principal was awarded best teacher by the Government of Goa at the State Teachers Awards for Excellence in Higher Education.

Principal Dr Sanjay Dessai felicitated by CM Pramod Sawant at State teachers awards.

◆ The student’s council and cultural council organised a star making, candle decoration and T-Shirt Painting competition, to foster creativity among students.

22nd December, 2021

- ◆ The Department of Commerce organised a Creative Advertisement Video Making Competition for the B. Com. students for promoting creative skills and competencies among the students
- ◆ Christmas card making competition, was organised by Students council and cultural council.
- ◆ **Annual Prize Distribution** of the academic year 2020-21 was organised on 22nd December, to celebrate the achievements of students.



Mr Anand Kumar receiving 'The Student of the Year' award



Chief Guest, Rev. Fr. Edmund Barreto addressing the gathering



Assoc. Prof. Teja Gaunekar presenting a scholarship to Miss Sangeeta Swain

23rd December, 2021

The Cultural Council in collaboration with Students' Council organised, '**Winter Fiesta**' on 23rd December under which activities like Traditional Day & Red Carpet; Solo Singing and Group Dance Competition were held, for students to exhibit their talent.



Convenor of Cultural Council- Ms Pooja Prabhudessai along with Judges and Winners of Mr and Miss Traditional



Students participating in Group Dance Competition for *Winter Fiesta*.