

Remembering Prof. B S Pandit

On the 15th death anniversary of Prof. B S Pandit on the 3rd of November 2022, the staff and students of GSSS SSFGC observed a two minute silence in honour of his memory.

Competitive Exam and Career Guidance Programme



On the 7th of November 2022, GSSS SSFGC conducted a Competitive Exam and Career Guidance Programme in collaboration with the University of Mysore. The programme was aimed at helping students to achieve great things in their careers.

The Chief guest of the event was Ms. M G Jayashree, Advisor, Career Hub, University of Mysore, and the guests of honour were Mr. C S Sudarshan, Assistant Director, District Skill Development Department, Mysore, and Mr. D Ravikumara, Advisor, Career Hub, University of Mysore. Also in attendance was the founder of Learners PU College, Mr. Muralimohan. The session was inaugurated by the administrative officer of GSSS(R) - Ms. Anupama B Pandit.



language, especially its grammar, so that they could achieve well in the competitive examinations in their futures.

The guests of honour, Mr. C S Sudarshan, and Mr. D Ravikumara talked about how a competitive spirit, confidence and preparation was vital for competitive examinations like the IAS, KSET, JEE and others and explained how this preparation would help them achieve great things in their careers. This programme was followed by an interactive session which helped the students gain a sense of perspective.



Hotel Management Talk by Mr. Naresh Kumar Tuteja - General Manager - Southern Star Hotel

GSSS SSFGC hosted a special event on the 9th of November. A hotelier by the name of Naresh Kumar Tuteja, the General Manager of Southern Star Hotel in Mysuru, gave a talk describing the prospects and job opportunities in the hotel industry. The BBA and BCom students of all batches were in attendance. This session was an interactive session. Mr. Naresh Kumar clarified the doubts of the students and explained the salary packages, the benefits, and the workplace experience, which the students would acquire in the industry as well as the qualifications required, training beforehand and the possibility of internships and part time work. He said that the hotel industry provided a lot of opportunities for growth and that the industry allows people to ascend in the industry very quickly. The session proved to be informative and was given a warm reception by the students.



Talk on Company Secretaryship

GSSS SSFGC hosted a talk by C S Harsha A, Chairperson, ICSI, Mysuru Chapter gave a talk on the job opportunities present in the market, specifically regarding the position of the company secretary on the 10th of November 2022. She educated the students about the roles, functions and responsibilities of a company secretary, the qualifications required, and the examinations and processes involved in the selection process, the income to be expected and the positions available. The session was interactive, informative, and fun, and the students showed a positive response to it.



SAP – Bangalore - BCA Dept. Industry Visit



Second year and Third year students of the BCA department accompanied by their HoD, Shruthi D as well as the other professors went for their semesterly industrial visit on the 10th of November. They visited SAP – Bangalore, gaining valuable insight and immense knowledge about the IT sector and the working environment. The visit was illuminating for the students, and hopefully, it helps them to climb up in the IT corporate world rapidly.



Prof. B S Pandit Memorial Concert – 18th and 19th November

The annual classical music concert held in honour and remembrance of Prof. B S Pandit was held at GSSSIETW, on 18th and 19th November 2022. It featured both a Carnatic virtuoso and a Hindustani genius.



On 18th November, the veena artiste – Smt. Jayanthi Kumaresh performed several wonderful Carnatic compositions. She was accompanied by Sri. Anil Srinivasan on piano, Sri. Trichy Krishna on the Ghatam, and Sri. Pramath Kiran on the table. Several songs were a fusion of both Indian and western styles of music, which made for a delightful listening experience.



On Saturday, 19th November, the Hindustani vocalist – Sri. Siddharth Belmannu gave a rousing performance, which included several Hindi, Bhojpuri and Urdu compositions, and some Kannada compositions at the end as well. He was accompanied by Pandit Ravindra Yavagal on table and Pandit Vyasmurti Katti on Harmonium. His versatile range and powerful voice filled the arena. His speed and control left all the audience in awe and gave him a standing ovation. It was a remarkable performance which well deserved the acclaim that was accorded to it.



Press Release - Kannada Rajyotsava celebrations in GSSS SSFGC

On the 21st of November, GSSS SSFGC held celebrations in honour of the 67th Kannada Rajyotsava to commemorate the founding of the state on the 1st of November 1956. The Chief Guest of the Programme was Mysore Anand, a noted Kannada comedian. The Administrative Officer Anupama B Pandit and the CEO of GSSS(R)- Mr. R K Bharat as well as the Principal of GSSS SSFGC - Dr. Rakesh T S, were in attendance as well.



Mr. Anand entertained the students with a wonderful stand-up comedy act which saw an enthusiastic reaction from the audience. Everyone was left with a smile on their faces thanks to his performance which combined everyday situations with general societal observations and personal exaggerated experiences. The act was a hit for everyone involved.

This was followed by a dance performance by some of the students of GSSS SSFGC to Kannada songs, honouring the culture of



Karnataka. A quiz on Karnataka conducted by the students for the professors of GSSS SSFGC followed. It was an excellent competition with a close result between the top two teams. It was a truly memorable programme and one which raised the pride of Karnataka statehood in the students.

ICSI Mysuru Chapter – 23rd November

On the 23rd of November, the second year and final year students of BCom and BBA



were taken on an industrial visit to the Mysore Chapter of The Institute of the Company Secretaries of India. The session was an interactive one that saw enthusiastic participation from the



students, as they sought to make eager use of this possible future job opportunity. This event was a follow up from the interaction session that was held at GSSS SSFGC on the 10th of November.

Press Report - GSSS Annual Sports Day - 2022-23

GSSS conducted the Annual Sports Day for all their educational institutions on the 25th of November 2022. The events were held at Chamundi Vihar Stadium, Nazarbad, Mysuru. The Chief Guest of the event was Dr. C Venkatesh, Professor, International basketball player, DOS



in PE and SS, UoM, Mysuru. All the Principals of the educational institutions of GSSS were in attendance.

The event began at 9.30 am and concluded at 5.00 pm. The events included sprint races of 100,200, 400, 800 and 1500 m lengths as well as 4 X 100m relays; shot put, javelin, and discus throw and long jump events too. Participation was enthusiastic and vociferous, and the event was a huge success among the students. The winner of the Intra departmental trophy among the

participants from GSSS SSFGC was the BCA department, with Pannaga YP and N M Dhruvika taking home the Individual championship trophies for their efforts in winning 3 gold medals each.



Blood Donation Awareness Programme

GSSS SSFGC conducted a Blood Donation Awareness Programme on the 28th of November 2022. The Chief Guests of the programme were Dr. Kruthika, an Ayurvedic doctor, and Ms. Rashmi N Raj, Jeeva Wellness Centre. The two of them talked at length about the health benefits of blood donation - including keeping the bone marrow healthier, refreshing the body's blood supply, decreasing cholesterol levels and so on. She encouraged the students to donate blood as often as possible to save lives. She also clarified any misconceptions that the students might have had about blood donations, saying that if the proper health check-up, blood check-ups, and non-consumption of alcohol or cigarettes (immediately prior to the blood donation) were followed, then there was nothing to worry about. The session was an informative one and one hopes - inspired the students to selflessly donate blood to save lives.



“When Swadeshism associates itself with politics, it becomes boycott; and this boycott is a form of passive resistance.”

- Bipin Chandra Pal



Bipin Chandra Pal – Indian revolutionary and freedom fighter