

## GeethaShishuShikshanaSangha (R) GSSS SIMHA SUBBAMAHALAKSHMI FIRST GRADE COLLEGE KRS ROAD, MYSURU-570 016

# YASHASSSFGC Monthly Newsletter

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### Remembrance of Prof. B S Pandit – Founder of GSSS



The founder of GSSS, Prof. B S Pandit was honoured by the staff and students of GSSS SSFGC on his death anniversary – November 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2023, under the IQAC, with a period of silence for two minutes. The Principal of GSSS SSFGC, Dr. Rakesh T S, spoke of the influence and importance of Prof B S Pandit for the organisation of GSSS. This was followed by a floral tribute for Prof. B S Pandit.

### Judge of Folk Dance level Competition – Ankaraju N



On the 4<sup>th</sup> of November, Mr. Ankaraju N, Assistant Librarian, GSSS SSFGC, and a alumnus of Rangayana, adjudged a Taluk level folk dance competition held at the Sri Chamarajendra School for Excellence in Mysore.

### **NSS event – Temple Cleaning Programme**

Under the guidance and leadership of Mr. Puneeth Kumar, NSS Head, GSSS SSFGC, students of all streams and semesters of GSSS participated in a temple cleaning programme at Srirangapatnam on November 6<sup>th</sup>, 2023 under the IQAC. Their contribution to social service will surely serve them well in the future.





### Kannada Rajyotsava Celebrationsand Freshers Day Celebrations



GSSS SSFGC celebrated Kannada Rajyotsava, commemorating the formation of the state of Karnataka on the 17<sup>th</sup> of November 2023 under the IQAC. The Chief Guest of the event was Nithyananda Vivekavanshi, a social worker and motivational speaker of the organization, Vidya Viveka Vahini Trust, Mandya. He spoke to the students of the importance of the Kannada language and importance of the state of Karnataka, and of his social work and his motivational speeches, and invited the students to visit his organisation and take part in social service. He inspired the students with his positive words towards

altruistic actions.





Following this programme, the Freshers Day for the first-year students of GSSS SSFGC was held on the same day. Many dances, a fashion show, a skit, and a few other fun activities were held as part of the celebrations, entertaining the audience thoroughly. The audience gave a standing ovation for the



performances, which had students from all years and all semesters taking part with gusto.

### **Employability Skills Workshop**



Mr. Dayanand, HoD, Department of Computer Applications, GSSS SSFGC, and Mr. Shivakumar, Assistant Professor, Department of Commerce, attended a workshop on the 20<sup>th</sup> of November 2023, at Maharaja's College, Mysore, in the Centennial Hall. The workshop was about Employability skills for fifth semester students of the departments of B. Com, BBA, and BCA. They found the conference to be an illuminating experience, one which

would greatly help the students to pursue their future goals.

### MSME Industrial visit, Vidhyavardhaka Collegeof Engineering – B. Com and BBA students

On the 24<sup>th</sup> of November, under the leadership of the HoD of the Commerce and Management Departments, Dr. Shreekrishna K S, all student of all semesters of the departments of Commerce and management travelled to Vidhyavardhaka College of Engineering, to visit an exhibition highlighting the importance of MSME in India, and the future possibilities for that sector in our country. The exhibition highlighted handicrafts, small scale industries which manufactured various goods and services including food, clothing, and small machinery. The exhibition showcased the risks and rewards of getting into such an economic space, and highlighted the importance of innovation, and competition.



### B S Pandit Saraswathi Concert – Bharathanatyam and Carnatic Vocals

The Annual B S Pandit Saraswathi Memorial Concert was held at GSSSIETW on the 24<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup> of November 2023. The performance on the first evening was given by Smt. Priyadarshini Govind, a Bharatanatyam dancer, and a Kalaimani Awardee. Accompanying her were a group of musicians who sung Carnatic music compositions. Her performance was filled with vigour and belied her age. Her talent shone through like a beacon of light.



The second day saw a Carnatic Music performance by Spoorthi Rao, a young Carnatic vocalist. She gave a tremendous performance which moved the audience intensely.

### Intercollegiate Women's Volleyball Tournament – 3<sup>rd</sup> place



On the 24<sup>th</sup> of November 2023, the women's volleyball team of GSSS SSFGC, secured third place in the Intercollegiate Women's Volleyball tournament at the Maharani's Science College for Women. The team was led by Ms. Ranjitha, Physical Instructor, GSSS SSFGC.

### **GSSS Annual Sports Day**



On the 28<sup>th</sup> of November 2023, GSSS conducted its Annual Sports Day under the IQAC for all its educational institutions which included the GSSS First Degree College, Badriprasad PU College, Higher Primary School, and the Lower Primary School. The venue for the event was Chamundi Vihar Stadium in Mysore. The event's chief guest was Ms. Veena George, a state level athlete of





great repute. She inspired the students to compete fiercely but fairly and encouraged them to play more sports. Events conducted included – 100m, 200m, 400m, 4 X 100m relay, 800m and 1500m distances races, shotput, javelin throw, discus throw, and long jump events for both boys and girls. The overall championship for GSSS SSFGC was won by the BCA department, the individual championship for men was won by Akshay, a first year BCA student, and the individual championship for women was won by Dhruvika, a second year BCA student. This was Dhruvika's second successive win, as she won the individual championship last year as well.

"Freedom is a boon, which everyone has a right to receive".

- Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj

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Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj – The Founder of the Maratha Dynasty