REPORT ON VARIOUS COMMEMORATIVE DAYS

International Yoga Day:

International Yoga Day was celebrated by the students and the teachers of SMM College of Science, Nagpur on 21st June 2020 with great enthusiasm. The online yoga training program was conducted by chief instructor and yoga teacher Dr. Kajal Jaiswal and Vice-Principal Dr. Rina S. Saha from Mrs. Jaiswal's studio. She explained the importance of the practice of Yoga and suggested that it will help the student's fraternity to achieve better mental and physical health. She demonstrated about 15 postures of yoga which are of great importance in practiced daily. Dr S.S Bhonsle the Director of the Physical education dept. of SMM College of Science, Nagpur explained the importance of Yoga in the life of youngsters. The online yoga training program concluded with formal vote of thanks. Number of participants was about 60-65.

Independence Day:

Independence Day (15th August 2020) was celebrated in a very simple way in the college in the presence of limited people due to COVID-19 pandemic. Flag hoisting was done at the hands of Principal Dr. Jeevan Dontulwar. Vice Principal and other office staff attended this function.

Mahatma Gandhi and Lal Bahadur Shastri Jayanti:

Birth Anniversary celebration of Mahatma Gandhi and Lal Bahadur Shastri was celebrated in offline mode in S.M. Mohota College of Science on 2nd October 2020. Staff of S.M. Mohota College of Science of Nagpur and only heads of all institutes of Nagpur Shikshan Mandal attended this function due to COVID-19 restrictions. Dr. Aprup Adawatkar, a thinker on Gandhian thoughts was the chief guest. He had emphasised on the teachings of M. Gandhi including non-violence, truth, honesty, forgiveness, etc. The president of Nagpur Shikshan Mandal Shri Ashokji Gandhi had thrown light on various aspects of both the great leaders of India and also urged staff to follow the path of principals of Mahatma Gandhi.

Navshakti Durgotsav:

Navshakti Durgotsav program was celebrated from 17th October 2020 to 24th October 2020. Where-in girl students and women staff of the college participated. This online program was organised by IQAC co-ordinator Dr Rina Saha in collaboration with Nagpur Obstetrics Gynaecological Society (NOGS) on Zoom platform. Nine life skills of life were discussed on nine days. They are shown in the following table. About 55 - 65 participants took part in the activity. It was a very informative and useful lecture series for all the women folk and especially for the young girls.



Samvidhan Din:

Samvidhan Din was celebrated on 26th November 2020. Dr. Jeevan Dontulwar, principal discussed the importance of this day as on 26 November 1949, the Constituent Assembly of

India adopted to the Constitution of India, and it came into effect on 26 January 1950. He also elaborated how the constitution of India came into being.

Swami Vivekanand Jayanti - 12 January 2021

An online YouTube live streaming program on 'National Youth Day', 12th January 2021, on the theme "Vivekanand ka aadhyatm aur vigyaan aaj kitna prasangik" was organized by IQAC Cell of SMM College of Science, Nagpur. On this occasion, a lecture was delivered by Shri Brijishji Manas. Swami Vivekananda's role in the betterment of society and inspirational stories of his life were told to the students and listeners by Manasji. The Principal Dr. Jeevan R. Dontulwar in his introductory speech told everyone to become a good citizen of the nation, by giving the message about the way of life and ideas of Swamiji that will make India a better country in the future. Vice Principal Dr. Rina S. Saha explained the philosophies and principles of Swami Vivekananda. Vote of thanks proposed by Dr. V.V. Soman and online support for the conduction of the program provided by Dr. N.V. Palande. Number of participants about 205-215.

Parakram Din (Subhash Chandra Bose Jayanti)

On 23rd January 2021 SMM College of Science, Nagpur celebrated the 125th birth anniversary of Netaji Subhash Chandra Bose in the presence of faculty members. Mr. Kotangle had initiated the program. The speaker in the function Dr. Jeevan R. Dontulwar reminded the contributions of Netaji to independence and emphasized "Thoughts of Netaji for the Youth of 21st Century". The program was concluded with a formal vote of thanks.

Republic Day:

26th January 2021. It was celebrated in the presence of limited people in college premises. Flag hoisting was done at the hands of Principle Dr. Jeevan Dontulwar. Vice Principal and other office staff attended this function. However, Due to COVID-19 restrictions, the main function which is celebrated as a joint function of all the institutions of Nagpur Shikshan Mandal was conducted in an online mode. The original invitation card is as shown below and the translated one with important terms is also given below.





(Invitation card with English translation)

Ch. Shivaji Jayanti

Chatrapati Shivaji Maharaj Jayanti celebrated in the SMM College of Science, Nagpur on 19th Feb 2021. The celebration began with the welcome speech by Dr S.S. Bhosle Director of the Physical education dept. of SMM College of Science, Nagpur. Dr Bhosle gave some important facts of warrior life of Shivaji Maharaj. Chief guest of the Program Principal Dr J.R. Dontulwar said that Shivaji Maharaj did not have huge army in spite of it he founded Swarajya and defeated very powerful army's by using his intelligence. The celebration concluded with vote of thanks by Mr. Kotangle. Number of participants was 80.

International Women's Day program

To honor womanhood, SMM College of Science, Nagpur has celebrated International Women's Day on Monday, 8th March 2021 inside the college campus. For the event, Chief guest Dr. Dipti Khubalkar was invited. Women cell In-charge Dr. Archna Sawane said that it was the time to support women's achievements, identify challenges and focus greater attention on women's rights and gender equality. Dr. Khubalkar spoke on the topic "Cyber security" she emphasized the present situation of cybercrime, different technologies, processes, and controls to protect systems, networks, programs, devices, and data from cyberattacks, additionally she also explained precautions for female users. The event took place in the presence of Principal Dr. Jeevan R. Dontulwar and Vice-Principal Dr. Rina S. Saha. The celebration concluded with formal vote of thanks.

