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# SHRI SHIVAJI SCIENCE AND ARTS COLLEGE

Chikhli, Dist. Buldana-443201.

This institution was established in the year 1967. The sole inspiration behind this institution is Dr. Panjabrao alias Bhausaheb Deshmukh. The local founder Late Pandharinathji Patil with the help with some socially motivated natives initiated education for masses in this institution. Later the institution was merged into Shri Shivaji Education Society, established by Late Dr. Panjabrao alias Bhausaheb Deshmukh, the first agri minister of independent India.

Following the motto of the parent educational institution, 'Tamso Ma Jyotirgamay', lead me darkness to light, the work of enlightening the lives of the deprived started in this institution. Many courses and the three disciplines viz. Science, Humanities and Commerce have been introduced to keep pace with the changing educational trends in modern times.

In addition to education, various curricular and cocurricular activities are being implemented continuously for the overall development of the students. At the same time, efforts are taken to develop the sport, cultural and social responsibility among students. Numerous attempts are constantly made to develop a scientific approach to break the harmful and superstitious traditions. All the employees of the college strive to give quality education to the students.

The report of the activities undertaken during the academic year is as follows:

## 1. Changes in the Local Management Committee

The Local Management Committee has been reshuffled. The earlier members replaced with new members were selected. The replacement is as follows:

- Late Atmaram Arjun Bahekar was replaced by Shri. Madhukar Sitaram Patil.
- Prof. Dr. Ganesh Malte was replaced by Dr. G. T. Ambhore.
- Mr. P. D. Jadhav was replaced by Shri. T. N. Solanki.
   The newly selected members were felicitated.

### 2. Academic progress

- It is found that there is good response from the side of the students of undergraduate and postgraduate students to the efforts taken by the teachers. Research facility is also provided in certain subjects. The students having high percentage prefer to take admission in our institution. As a result the success rate in the university examination has been improved. Consequently the drop out ratio of students decreased.
- Skill development and employment opportunities are provided through newly introduced six career oriented courses.
- The human rights education class is getting a positive response. UGC sponsored
   7 Days Workshop has been organized.

### 3. Y.C.M.U. University of Nashik

From this year M.Sc. (Mathematics) and M. A. (English) courses has been introduced and 31 students have been enrolled for M. Sc. Mathematics and 106 students have been admitted in M. A. English class. In all 906 students were enrolled in YCMOU centre of the college. The YCMOU College centre has recognized as the best study centre in just three years period.

#### 4. Research:-

- Prof. Dr. J. J. Jadhav (Political Science), Prof. Dr. Ganesh Malte (Marathi), Prof. Dr. G. T. Ambhore (English) are awarded Ph. D. Degree and Prof. V. R. Padwal has submitted his thesis for the award of Ph.D. Degree.
- Prof. Dr. A. M. Garode's 01 research student was awarded Ph.D. Degree and another student has submitted his thesis.
- One of the scholars working under the supervision of Principal Dr. N. B. Bhusari has submitted his thesis.

• A Major Research Project submitted by Prof. Dr. Vanita Pochhi has been sanctioned by UGC.

#### 5. Appointment / Promotion

- Dr. A. M. Garode and Prof. Dr. Madhukar Sonune have been promoted as Professor under CAS scheme.
- Prof. Dr. Ganesh Malte has been deputed as Director, Student Welfare and Coordinator, NSS Sant Gadge Baba, Amravati University, Amravati.
- Prof. Dr. A. M. Garode have been appointed District Coordinator of the University's Innovation Research Program (Avishkar).
- Prof. Dr. Vanita Pochhi has been appointed as NSS Regional Coordinator.
- Prof. M. A. Pawar has been given the charge of NSS Program Officer.

#### 6. Physical development and resource generation

Shri Shivaji Krida Sankul with 400 meter running track was constructed. In addition to indigenous sports play ground like Kabaddi, Kho-Kho, Volleyball, Dodge Ball, Badminton, Ball Badminton, Cricket, Football etc. Playgrounds are also made available. Special facilities have been set up for senior citizens and women who visit the play ground for morning and evening walk.

## 7. Sport and physical education

- An agreement has been signed with Eklavya Krida and a multi-purpose organization.
- The progress of the students is remarkable in sports is remarkable.
- This year, the college has hosted the University Level Cricket Zone B competition and won the B Zone trophy.

- Under Shivaji Olympiad, District level sports competitions of Kho-Kho,
   Kabaddi and Volleyball were organized.
- The college Kabaddi team has secured second position in Shivaji Olympiad.

#### 8. Library

- The process of computerization of the library is close to completion, a few things remained to be completed.
- Started using barcode system.
- Total number of books available in library: 37,937.
- Provide a variety of library services
- 'Best Reader' award from this year introduced.
- 'Book Review Competition' has been organised.

#### 9. National Service Scheme (NSS)

- 1) **Special Camps:** Regular and *Vishes Shram Sauskar* Camp was organised at the village *Shirpur*.
- **2) Participation in Social Activities:** Participation in the voter awareness campaign and reaching out to 45,000 voters through various means.
- 3) Organization of Jijau Rath Yatra and tree plantation, blood donation, hygiene, eradication of superstition, AIDS awareness etc.

## 10. National Cadet Corps (NCC)

## a) Camp

- **Trekking Camp:** Three (03) NCC Cadets participated in Trekking Camp at *Kangra, Himachal Pradesh.*
- **Mountaineering Training Camp**: One NCC Cadet of our college from Amravati Division was selected to participate in the Mountaineering Training Camp organised at *Pahalgam*, *Jammu and Kashmir*.

- Annual Training Camp, Khamgaon: In this training camp 20 NCC cadets participated and 03 NCC cadets were awarded with Gold medals.
- Thal Sainik Camp, New Delhi: As a result of participation in this camp 03 colour coats were awarded to the NCC cadets of our college.
- **Joint Training Camp Khamgaon**: Twentyone (21) students participated in this camp, and ten (10) students were selected **for inter battalion competition**.
- Army Attached Camp, Nashik Road Ten (10) student- soldiers participated in this camp.
- Social Activities: The NCC unit took Efforts to reach out to the community through social activities like Road Safety Week, Pulse Polio Campaign, Blood Donation, Tree Planting Awareness, Sanitation Campaign etc.

#### 11. NAAC Accreditation

NAAC Committee Bangalore Visited and inspected the college from 21<sup>st</sup> to 23<sup>rd</sup> August 2014. Some good initiatives have been praised and constructive suggestions were given. The college has got B Grade with CGPA 2.82.

## 12. Special Activities

- Cultural festivals: To Promote the artistic talents of the students, cultural
  festivals were organised such as Dr. Punjabrao Deshmukh Jayanti Utsav,
  Mahatma Gandhi Lecture Series, Youth Festival, District Level Music
  Competition. The winners were given prises.
- **Food Festival:** Food Festival was organized through *Anand Melawa* and an initiative was launched to give impetus to the artistic and financial skills of the students.
- Environment: Programmes such as Water Management Council, Jal Yatra, Vrikshadindi, Swachh Bharat Swasth Bharat (Cleanliness Campaign) were organised to create awareness among students as well as society.

- Swachhta MitraVakrutwa Spardha (Elocution Competition on Cleanliness):
  In this district level competition, organised to create awareness on cleanliness, one of our students got first prize.
- Initiatives were taken to establish student consumer store.
- *Kalpataru* (Competitive Exam Guidance Centre): This year eighteen (18) students have been selected for government jobs.

Also, various departments organized successful and innovative events. e.g. 20 Days Workshop on Communication Skills in English, Robotics Workshops, *Matra Bhasha Divas* (Mother Tongue Day), Student Parliament etc.

#### 13. Future plans

- Creation of *Nakshatravan*: as per the suggestion of NAAC and SAAC team butterfly garden will established.
- Special efforts will be taken for protection and conservation of local mango species.
- Maintenance of Mother Tree: steps will be taken to establish Cactus Garden, and Polyhouse.
- Strengthening IQAC: IQAC will be strengthened to develop Academic facilities, Library, Administraton, Games & Cultural Audit.
- Subject wise development programs will be implemented. It will focus on education, research, ideas, skills development and job creation.
- Creation of *guppy fish* breeding centre.
- To generate the required physical resources from UGC and RUSA grants.
- Students will be given employment through schemes like *Earn while Learn*. Building a multiplex.

- Various public resources, quality, standard etc. will be created through public
  participation and internal fund raising scheme. Solar Street lights will be to be
  made available through public participation.
- Participation of alumni in college activities will be enhanced for college development.

#### Conclusion

The demand for admissions in our college is steadily increasing due to discipline, excellent results, innovative activities, academic environment. Along with the educational environment, the image of the college is strengthening due to the growing educational awareness in the society. We have adopted transparent and inclusive system which makes administration effective. And for that, the management, staff, students, parents and the society as a whole are extending their cooperation. For the last five years we have been working with the slogan in mind- *Hard work, Smart work, Team work*. From this year onwards, we will be exploring innovative directions, intricate and difficult turns, including New Thinking, New Possibilities, and will make our mark on the education scene of Maharashtra, and that will be our goal.

Principal