

Gopalpur College Gopalpur, Balasore

ALPUR BALANNUAL REPORT OF CELEBRATIONS, MEMORABLE DAYS AND OTHER EVENTS.

Academic Session: 2016-17

1. College foundation day: 18th July is the foundation day of the college. On this day in 1978 college was founded by the native gentry of this area. Since then, the day is observed as the foundation day. As it is a special occasion for the college, the founders were invited to this function. On this day 2016, Dr. Bipin Bihari Bishwal was honoured. Mr. ParsuramDhada, hon'ble MLA soro, graced the occasion as chief Guest and Kalipada Panda, secretary, SubarnnaPrakashan attended as speaker. The best +3 students of different streams were also rewarded in this function. The invitees feel honoured being attended this function and the newcomers get the basic idea about the history of the college.

2. Independence Day: 70th Independence Day was observed on 15th August 2016. The National Flag was hoisted by Dr. Narendra Prasad Bugudai, the principal of the college. Addressing the staff and students the principal advised being united to fight against the disintegrating forces. After the flag hoisting, debate and quiz competition was organized to make the students aware of the Freedom Struggle of India.

- 3. Teachers' Day: 5th September 2016 was observed as Teacher's Day which was organized by the students of the college. On this occasion, the room was beautifully decorated where the meeting was held. The students offered bouquet to the teachers and the principal garlanded on the photo of Dr. SarvapalliRadhakrishnan. The principal presided the meeting and some senior staff delivered the lecture on the importance of the day. The students had organized a cultural show on the topic 'Guru Shishya Relationship'.
- 4. NSS Day: NSS volunteershad celebrated NSS day on 24th September 2016. The programme officers of NSS, wings of both male and female, had played key role in organizing the day. Principal and some staff were also invited to the meeting where the discussion was made on the 'The role of NSS volunteers in Emergency'. In the morning, the NSS volunteers were engaged in plantation work and rally.
- 5. Gandhi Jayanti: M. K. Gandhi is the father of the Nation and his Birthday is observed as Gandhi Jyanti i.e. on 2nd October. This year (2016) Gandhi Jayanti was celebrated in the college by both staff and students. On this day, a rally was organized and the students marched upto Gopalpur Market which was known as 'PrabhatPheri'. The rally was followed by a meeting to discuss the relevance of Gandhi in the 21st Century.
- 6. Children's Day: 14th November 2016 was celebrated as children's Day. This year children's Day was organized by the college and Mr. Shrustidhar Shaw, HOD history, had taken the lead in organizing this day. A notice was circulated among the students to be present in the college conference hall to attend the meeting. The importance of children in the life of Jawarharlal Nehru was discussed. After the meeting, the students were offered sweets.

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- Week of December 2016. This function was continued for a week because it includes week of December 2016. This function was continued for a week because it includes a like song, Dance, Art, Alpana, and Mono Action. This week is generally devoted to develop the Extra Curricular Activates among the students. After each competition, the name of the winners were announced and they were advised to receive their prizes in the college annual function of the said session.
- 8. Republic Day celebration: On 26th January 2017, 67th republic day was celebrated. The National Flag was hoisted by the Principal of the college who had addressed the students and staff present on the occasion regarding the importance of the day. After the flag hosting, students were engaged in parade. Finally, a tiffin packet was given to each student.
- 9. Annual Athletic Meet: Annual Athletic meet was held in the first week of January, 2017. It was organized for two days consecutively in the college playground. Both indoor and outdoor events were conducted by Padmalava Dash, PET of the college and a large number of students had participated in the different events. Maximum teaching and nonteaching staff assisted to make the Annual Athletic meet successful. The participants were given Bread, Banana and Orange for breakfast. The closing ceremony of the Annual Athletic Meet was held on the second day and prizes were given in the field to the winners.
- 10. Intercollege cultural Meet: It was organized by the cultural committee on 18.01.2017. On this occasion, participants from 28 colleges had participated. The purpose of this meet is to search the talent among the best participants of different colleges. The judges were invited to select the best. In the afternoon, the closing meeting was held to award the participants in cash. This is a special occasion for the college because the participants come from different colleges and our students get opportunity to mix-up with them.
- 11. Annual Dramatic Function: In the academic session 2016-17, the annual dramatic function was held on 19.01.2017. The college students performed the drama on this day. The students were given the opportunity before 15 days to rehearse the drama under the supervision of a drama director. The lecture in-charge of drama supervise it to make discipline among the students. The name of the drama was 'AthiKandibaManaa'. It was very heart touching and praise worthy. The best actor and actresses were adjudged and they were rewarded in the annual function.
- 12. Annual Day Celebration: Annual Function was held on 20.01.2017 this year. Dr. Gananath Dash, Registrar Fakir Mohan University, was the Chief Guest and Balaram Mishra, District level co-ordinator, was graced the occasion as Chief Speaker. The meeting was presided by Dr. Narendra Prasad Bugudai, the principal of the college, and Mr.. N. K. Parhi, the advisor college union, presented the Annual Report. Finally, the prize-giving ceremony was held and winners of the Athletic Meet and the Cultural Competition were rewarded. The meeting was followed by an Orchestra group who had come from Cuttack.



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ACADEMIC YEAR -2017-18

The college has observed a number of celebrations memorable days and events throughout the Academic Year as it have been scheduled in the Academic Calendar and guidelines Government. Some of such days and the events are mentioned here.

National Youth Day

The national youth Day was observed on January 12, 2017 at Conference Hall of the college. It is the birthday of swami Vivekananda, the apostle of youthful spirit. The function was opened with inaugural ceremony by the Principal. The Programme officer NSS, Mr. Basanta Kumar Mishra addressed the students explaining the role of the youth in nation—building and national integration. Prof. Rabindra Kumar Sahoo highlighted on the life of Vivekananda who made India famous abroad. The students expressed their feelings on the topic. The vote thanks was offered by Mr. Abhay Kumar Mohanty.

Republic Day Celebration

The 68th Republic Day Celebration was observed in the college on 26th January 2017. The employees, students & members of the Governing Body participated in the celebration. The national Flag was hoisted by the Principal of the College, Prof. Narendra Prasad Bugudei who addressed the participants regarding present situations of the country and suggested devotional service of all for her progression. The students of the college joined in the common debate "corruption and development" in which nine students delivered their views. The debate competition was ended with concluding speech by Prof. Biswanath Sahoo, the Reader in Political Science. The student volunteers took part in plantation programme.

Annual Day Celebration

The Annual Day of the College was celebrated on 5th Feb. 2018 in the college Open Pendal Mr. Parsuram Dhada, the M.A.L. was the Chief Guest and Mr. Laxmikanta Tripathy and ex-President of F.M. Sahitya Sansada was the Chief Speaker. The even was inaugurated by the honourable M.L.A. and presided by the Principal Prof. N.K. Padhi several other dignitaries were the honorable guest and speakers. A floral welcome to the guest was made by the secretary of the Students Union (selected). The guests were given a warm welcome by the Principal and Staff Members. After the Welcome address given by the Principal, Prof. B.N. Sahu, Reader in Political Science read out the Annual Report and the future expect of the college. The Chief Guest and Chief Speaker in their address inspired the students to be responsible citizen of the Country. After a memorable speech the Principal invited the Chief Guests to distribution Certificates and Prizes among the winning students. The Celebrations was ended with the vote of thanks by Prof. R.K. Sahoo, Reader in Sanskrit and the recitation of the National Anthem. All were enjoyed with the stage performance of some students and a Music Programme.

Apnnual Atheletic Meet

The 33rd Athletic meet started in a colorful festive manner. The Annual Athletic Meet of this Academic session was organized on 17.01.2018 to 18.01.2018 (2 days). After inaugural ceremony of the sports fair by Dr. Narendra Prasad Bugudei, the Principal of the athletic events took place college. The retired PET Mr. Padmalav Dash cooperated to conduct the programme boy Athletes girl athletes participated in the sports fair. The vice chairman of the sports club Mr. Prafulla Kumar Behera co-ordinated the athletic affairs. The students and teachers of the college actively cooperated the programme. The boy participants attended the games in ten items such as run, jump, throwing, swimming etc. The girl athletes participated in eleven events such as run and track, Jump, throwing and cycle race. The names of the winners of all twenty one events were declared instantly and they received their trophy in college annual day celebration. In the closing ceremony, the Principal of the college addressed the students to upkeep their sportive sprit for good health joining in police and defense services and to possess a healthy mind as well. The ceremony was closed with a vote of thanks to all concerned.

Annual Dramatic Function

The Annual Dramatic Function of the college was celebrated in the Open Pendal on 4th Feb. 2018. Mr. Sarat and Mandakani Opera Artist was the Chief Guest and Mr. Lokonatha Malik, Drama Director was the Chief Speaker of the function. The event was inaugurated by Mr. Sarat (Opera Artist) with the National Anthem Song by the students and presided by the Principal, Prof. N.K. Parhi several other revered dignitaries were participated. After a floral and warm welcomes the Principal gave the Welcome address. The annual report on dramatic function of the college was read out by Prof. A.K. Mohanty, Reader in Zoology. In their address the Chief Guest and the Chief Speak highlighted the importance of Drama in our real life. The Chief Guest explained how a drama on the King, "Harischandra" influenced greatly the life of the Father of the Nation of Mahatma Gandhi. The Principal in his concluding speech stressed that how the mankind learns many things from the drama to lead a righteous life. Vote of thanks extended by Prof. R.K. sahoo .The topic of the Drama was Social. The students gave a very good stage performance. Mr. chakradhar Jena was felicitated by the college for his splendid performance as a film artist. The Principal invited the Chief Guest to distribute the Prize to the best Artists. All were enjoyed very much with the lively performance of the students in the drama.

Inter College Cultural meet

The inter college cultural meet of the college was held in the open pandel on 3rd February 2018.Mr .Ramesh Chandra Mishra , -Dramatist was Chief Guest and Mr. Paramananda Sahu , Tel. Actor and Drama Director was the Chief Speaker of the Programme . A no of experts in different section of the music and Art were also invited to judge the real performance of the participants. At above sixty (60) numbers of participants with their guide teachers were participarted from the different colleges of the District. The celebration was ingurated by the Chief Guest with Bande Utkal Janani song by the students and by the Principal Prof. Naresh Kumar Parhi . The Chief Guest and Chief Speaker of the Programme , explained the importance of music and art on human life and also on others .They also remarked that here tis type of programme can proud to students to its chance to become a good artist in future. The

Principal too stressed citing with amazing examples, the impact of music expert on our life. Prof. R.K. Sahoo extended the vote of thanks to all. .The various section of the meet were, Song (classical and modern), Dance (Odishi-Classical & Modern) ,Art(Mono Action) etc. many students imparted a splendid performance in various sections. The Principal invited the Chief Guest to distribute the Prizes to the Winners. The programme was greatly enjoyed by all.

Mr. Amrutanshu Pattanaik was facilitated by the college for his splendid performance as an Opera Music Director.

NATIONAL VOTER'S DAY

The National Voters Day was observed in the college on January 25th, 2017. The students of the college participated in the programme. The Principal of the college inaugurated the celebration. Mr. Biswanath Sahoo, Reader in Political science and Dr. Nagendra Kumar Padhi, Reader in Political Science joined in the programme of Chief Speaker and Honorable speaker. They appraised up the students about right to vote and franchise power of the country. The Principal in his concluding speech also highlighted on the role of the voters in electing the right candidates and helping in nation building. The students expressed their feeling in discussion Mr. Prafulla Kumar Behera, Programme Officer NSS wings extended vote of thanks to all.

Martyrs Day

The Martyrs Day was observed on 23rd march 2017. The students of the college lighted candle for the martyrs' of the country. A meeting was organized to pay homage to the martyrs who sacrificed their life for the cause of nation .Prof. Ramakanta Sahu , the Head of the Department of History focused on Mahatma Gandhi the martyrs fought for the nation and their courage , fortitude and patriotism. The martyrs of the freedom struggle and the soldiers who sacrificed their life for sovereignty of the nation are paid homage. The students were inspired for extending devotion and service for the cause of Nation. Dr. Abhay Kumar Mohanty focused on selfless service. The meeting was ended with a vote of thanks to all by Mr. Umesh Chandra Panigrahi , Reader in Botany.

Utkal Divas

"Utkal Divas" was observed on 1st April-2017 in the Conference Hall. Most of the Students and Staff Participated in the Programme. The celebration was inaugurated by the Principal with the Bande Utkal Janani song by the students. Prof. B. N. Sahoo, Reader in Political Science and Prof. Ramakanta Sahu, Reader in History enlightened all with the formation of Separate Odisha State. They expressed their views on the extensive role of the king of Parala "Krushna Chandra Gajapati, Utkal Gourav Madhu Sudan Das, Vyasa Kabi Fakir Mohan Senapati, Pandit Nilakhantha Dash etc. in the formation of a Separate Odisha State on 01.04.1936. The Principal in this speech gave stress on all to make our State beautiful developed. Prof. N.R. Kar, Reader in Mathematics, extended vote of thanks to all.

International Yoga Day

The International Yoga Day was observed in the college on 21st June 2017. The students and employees of the college attended the Yoga exercise programme at 9A.M. in the Conference Hall. The famous Yoga Parishikhyaks. Mr. Brajeswar Panda and Mr Premananda Pir joined the function as Recourse Person. They demonstrated the various Yoga practices for the participants to follow. A discussion on the utility of Yoga and fitness of the body was taken up. The Function was concluded with a vote of thanks to all by Prof. Abhay Kumar Mohanty, Reader in Zoology.

College Foundation Day

The college foundation day was observed on 18.07.2017 in the Conference Hall. The founder members, retired principals, Staffs and some Prize winning Meritorious students were participated the Programme. The celebration was inaugurated with the hoisting of the "Foundation Day Flag" by the Principal Prof. N.K. Parhi, Mr. Laxmikanta Tripathy, Critic, ex- President and F.M. Sahitya Prof. Purna Chandra Nayak, Reader in Odia were joined as Chief Speaker and Honourable Speaker. The Chief and Honourable Speakers delivered their speech on the establishment of this College and it's contribution to the locality and society. The founder members and parent staff described that how this college was established at the hard times. They expressed their views that the institution should work load to render a better service to the locality and society. The Principal, in his concluding speech gave on over view on the foundation day. He expected in every respect from on the staff to retain the glory of the institution. The prize was distributed to meritorious student by the Chief Speaker Prof. R.K. Sahoo, Reader in Sanskrit extended the vote of thanks to all.

Independence Day Celebration

The 71st Independence Day of the nation was celebrated in the college campus on 15th august 2017. The national Flag was hosted by the Principal at 8.00 A.M. He has addressed the students to become duty bound that they would have program to progress the nation. A debate competition was held on the topic. "Reservation in India and its impact" in which 13 students delivered their speaches. Prize was distributed to the winners. The students volunteers also joined in the campus cleaning Programme.

TEACHER'S DAY

The Teacher's Day was observed on 5th sept-2017 in departments as well as in the college. The students invited the teachers to join the function. The student leaders expressed their gratitude to the teachers for the shaping their career and life. A seminar on the "Role of the teacher in 21st century" was organized for the occasion. In the seminar Prof.Abhaya Kumar Mohanty, Prof. Pravakar Mahajan, Prof. Gadadhar Barik, Prof. Biswanath Sahoo and Prof. R.K. Sahoo presented their observation on the role of teachers, their duties, sincerity and effectiveness in teaching in present scenario. The concluding speech was delivered by the principal Prof. Naresh kumar Parhi and the vote of thanks was offered by Binod Nayak a student of Chemestry.

NSS Day

The NSS Day was observed on 24th September, 2017. The function was observed in the Conference Hall of the College. The students were apprised of role of NSS in social Service and the duty of the NSS volunteers in promoting wellbeing neighborhood. They were told about aims and objectives of National Service Scheme. The NSS Programme Officers Mr. Prafulla Kumar Behera and Mr. Basanta Kumar Mishra joined the programme as the speakers of the function. The volunteers of N.S.S. had taken oath for national Service. The meeting ended with a vote of thanks to all by Miss Anita Jena, Lecturer in Odia.

Gandhi Jayanti

Gandhi Jayanti was celebrated on 2nd October 2017 under the Chairmanship of the Principal Prof. Naresh kumar Parhi. The NSS & YRC volunteers made rally from college Campus to Gopalpur market, reciting slogan our unity, non-violence and Love for wild life. A speech competition was held on Gandhian ideology in the conference Hall of the college

SWACHHATA DIVAS

The swachhata Divas was observed in the campus in which the members of swachha Bharat Mission, Gopalpur joined the programme. A campus cleaning programme was undertaken by the students with volunteers of the swachha Bharat Mission. The camp closing ceremony was held with a meeting of discussion on cleanliness .Prof. Naresh Kumar Parhi, Principal of the College provided over the meeting and Mr. Sudarshan , Mohapaptra , President , Swacha Bharat Abhiyan ,Gopalpur addressed the students as chief Speaker

Rastriya Ekta Diwas

The Rastriya Ekta Diwas or National Integration Day was observed in the college on 31 October, 2017 as per Government guidelines on the Birthday of Sardar Ballavbhai Patel, the Iron man of India. The students were taken on rally shouting slogan on unity and integrity of India. A seminar on "Unity of the Nation" was organized in the conference Hall. The Principal of the College Prof. Naresh kumar Parhi inaugurated the Seminar. The discussion on neighbors of India , Character and foreign Policies of India , outside threats , the friend of India etc .were taken off by the speakers of the Seminar. Prof. Biswanath sahoo, the Reader in Political Science and Dr. Nagendra Kumar Padhi , senior leader in Political Science discussed on the matter . A Quiz contest among the students was organized under the guidance of Dr. Abhay Kumar Mohanty. Mr Prafullas Kumar Behera , Reader in History offered vote of thanks to all.

Children's Day

The Children's day was observed on November 14, 2017 .The Departments like Hindi, Home Science, Political Science and Zoology jointly organized the programme. The students were reminded of the love of Pandit Jawaharlal Neheru for children. They were cautioned to lead the country in future. Prof. Abhay Kumar Mohanty , Prof.Ramakanta Sahu and Dr. Kalyani Dash addressed the students on the role and responsibilities of children to build future of the country. The Principal joining the concluding part

wished the students to be commitative, duty —bound and punctual in their studies and learning and should take vow to reach at their target. The vote of thanks was offered by Rupali Senapati, a student of Hindi Department.

Constitution Day

The constitution Day was observed on 26th November 2019. The students and employees of the college joined in the programme. The meeting started with angular ceremony by Principal Prof. Biswanath Sahoo, Reader in Political Science addressed students about formulation of Constitution Assembly handed by Dr. B.R. Ambedkar. He highlighted on important features of Indian constitution. Mr. Prafulla kumar Behera, Reader in History focused on historical aspect of constitution of India. The student's queries are replied. The meeting was over with a vote of thanks by Miss Anita Jena, Lecturer- in -Odia.

World AIDS Day

The World AIDS Day was observed by the NSS and Youth Red Cross Units of the College. Prof. Naresh Kumar Parhi, the principal of the College inaugurated the function. Mr. Prafulla Kumar Behera, NSS Programme Officer described the objectives of the observation of the Day. The students are informed of the dreadfulness AIDS and its precaution and safety measures. Dr Abhay Kumar Mohanty, Reader in Zoology highlighted the ailments of the disease. The student's questions were replied. The Principal in his concluding speech wished the participants to become alert of protecting healthy life. The meeting was over with a vote of thanks by Mr. Basanta Kumar Mishra, NSS programme Officer.

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Academic Session: 2018-19

1. International Yoga Day: The importance of Yoga has been recognized by the world Community. Hence, 21st June is being observed as International Yoga Day. In 2018, this day was celebrated in the college campus. Mr. Premanda Pir and Brajeswar Panda, the yoga teachers of Vivekananda Shikshya Kendra were invited to teach yoga to the staff and students. They presented their views on the values of Yoga and Pranayama. Two selected students were awarded Mayadhar Laxmi(Asthans) Yoga on this occasion for praise their best performance on yoga.

2. College foundation day: The college foundation day was celebrated on 18th July 2018. On this special occasion, the founders were invited to this function. Bishnumohan saw Retired Reader, Purna Chandra Mohapatra ex-Governing body member were in this function. The student toppers of Arts, science and commerce streams were also rewarded prizes founded by philanthropers in this function. The day is celebrated to remember the beeds of the founding fathers working hard for establishment of this college.

- 3. Independence Day: 72nd Independence Day was observed on 15th August 2018. The national flag was hoisted by Prof. Naresh kumar Parhi, the principal of the college. On this occasion, the principal ddressed the staff and students present highlighting activities of the terrorists and separatist groups who are the threat to unity of our country. He desired all to work for the unity and integrity of our Nation. The campus cleaning programme was done by N.S.S volunteers. A debate was organized on the topic 'Unity is Strength' in which both teachers and students presented their views.
- 4. Teachers' Day: Teachers' Day was celebrated on 5th September 2018 which was organized by the students. On this occasion, the students felicitated the teachers and expressed their observation on the role of teachers in moulding the life of the learners. The principal delivered his address on the importance of the day. A seminar was organized on this occasion on the topic 'Role of Teacher in Nation Building' in which Prof. Pravakara Mohajan, Prof. Gadadhara Barik, Dr. Nagendra Kumar Padhi and Dr. Avaya kumar Mohanty presented their observation. The meeting ended with a vote of thanks to all.
- 5. NSS Day: On 24th September 2018, NSS Day was celebrated by the N.S.S unit of the college, Prof. Naresh kumar parhi, the Principal inaugurated the meeting. The discussion was made on the 'Importance of social service'. The programme officer Prafulla kumar Beheraexpressed the objective of the day.the N.S.S volunteers joined in the rally from college campus to Gopalpur market place with slogan on social work.
- Gandhi Jayanti: On 2nd October 2018 Gandhi Jayanti was celebrated in the college.A rally was organized from the college campus to Gopalpurmarket place to create

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National solidarity. After the rally, a meeting was organized in which Prof. Naresh kumar padhi inaugurated the function and the discussion was made on Gandhian ideology by resource person Prof. Biswanath Sahu, Dr. Avaya kumar Mohanty. The vote of thanks was offered by Prof. Basanta kumar Mishra.

- 7. RashtrayaEkta Divas: This year RastriyaEkta Divas was celebrated on 31st October 2018. In the memory of Sardar Patel, the Iron man of India, this day is being celebrated. A seminar was held in the college conference hall on the topic 'India and National Unity'. This meeting was presided by the principal Prof. Naresh kumar Parhi and Prof. Biswanath Sahu, Reader in Political Science and Prof. Ramakanta sahu, Reader in History had presented their views on the Historical background of the unity and integrity of the Nation. The vote of thanks was offered by Prafulla kumar Behera.
- 8. Children's Day: On 14th November 2018 Children's Day was in the college and Mr. P.K. Behera had taken the lead in organizing this day. The students were present in the college Conference Hall tolisten the speakers about their observation on Children's prospect in life. A meeting was held for the purpose and discussion was made on the role and responsibilities of the youth. Finally,the refreshment were served to the students by the teachers as token of love.
- 9. Constitution Day: On 26th November 2018, Constitution Day was celebrated in the college. Prof. Naresh kumar Parhi, the principal of the college inaugurated the programme. A debate was organized among the students on the Indian Constitution. Dr. N.K. Padhi read out the oath on Preamble as per the instruction of the Govt. of India. Prof, Biswanath Sahu presented his observation on the importance of the Day. The meeting was presided by the principal. Prof. R. K. Sahoo offered the vote of thanks.
- 10. World's AIDS Day: A workshop on World AIDS Day was organised on 1st December 2018. It was organized to create awareness among the students about the dreadfulness of the disease. Dr. Avaya kumar Mohanty described the symptom and suffering of the patients. On this occasion, Dr. B. K Swain, the medical officer of C.H.C Gopalpur was invited to focus on AIDs disease. After student interaction, the workshop was concluded with a vote of thanks to all.
- 11. Annual Cultural Meet: Cultural competition among the students was held 29.10.2018 to 02.11.2018 . This function was continued for a week because it includes different cultural items like song, dance art, alpana, mono action debate and essay in Odia, English and Hindi. The winners were rewarded in the annual function of that year.
- 12. National Youth Day: National youth day is celebrated on 12th January 2019 to commemorate the birthday of Swami Vivekananda. On this day, a seminar was organized in the college regarding the role of youth in national integration. Apart from this students were advised to write an essay on the 'Role of Swami Vivekananda in organizing the youth in making Modern India'. A meeting on the occasion was organised by N.S.S unit. Prof. B. K Mishra and prof. Pravakara Mahajan narrated the role of Vivekananda making India glorious. His princioples, ideology and

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* thought was highlighted in the discussion. Mr. Prafulla kumar Behera offered vote of

- 13. National Voters Day: This day was observed on 25th January 2019 in the college. On this day a meeting was organized at the conference hall to make aware the students about their democratic rights. The speaker Mr. Biswanatha Sahu and Mr. Prafulla kumar Behera highlighted on Voting right. Importantance of voting for national reconstruction Prof. Purna chandra Datta, Reader in English advised the student to cast the vote in the election to the right person who can serve the country not for his benefit. The importance was given on right choice for right person. The awareness programme also focussed on good qualities of leader. Mr. Rabindra kumar Sahoo in concluding speech focussed on service mentality while offering vote of thanks.
- 14. Republic Day celebration: The 69 th Republic day was celebrated on 2^{6th} January 2019 in the college. The national flag was hoisted by the principal Prof. N.k Parhi who had addressed the students and staff present on the occasion. He highlighted on the problems of the country. After the flag hosting, students joined in parade programme to Panchayat celebration ground and a plantation work was done. A debate competition was organized among the students and prizes were distributed among the winners. Finally, packets of sweets were distributed to the students.
- 15. Annual Athletic Meet: Annual Athletic meet was held 24.01.2019 and 25.01.2019. Both indoor and outdoor events were conducted in which boys and girls students participated in the different events. It was conducted with the help of the retired PET of the college and employees of the college. Ten events of jump, run, throwing event and swimming for boys and the events of jump, run, throwing and slow cycle race etc are organised for girls students. The closing ceremony of the Annual Athletic Meet was held on the second day and prized were given in the field to the winners.
- 16. Martyrs Day: This day was observed on 3^{Oth} January 2019. On this day a seminar was organized in the college. Mr. Sarbeswar Das a compilor on freedom movement of the locality was invited to present his experience. Prof. Ramakanta sahu and Prof. Biswanath Sahu narrated on the role of freedom fighters including Gandhi. The principal, Prof. N.K Parhi was the president of the function who had highlighted how M. K. Gandhi was assassinated due to Fanatism. The seminar was closed with vote of thanks by Prafulla kumar Behera.
- 17. Intercollege cultural Meet: It was organized by the cultural committee on 31st January 2019. On this occasion, participants from 21 colleges had participated. The purpose of this meet is to search the talent among the best participants of different colleges. The judges were invited to select the best three of each segment. In the afternoon, the closing meeting was held to award the participants in cash and trophy. Mr. Chakradhara Jena, the famous fiolm star was felicited on this occasion. The celebration was closed with a vote of thanks by convenor Pravakara Mahajan.
- 18. Annual Dramatic Function: In the academic session 2018-19, the Annual Dramatic Function was staged on 01.02.2019. The college students performed the play. The students were given the opportunity before 15 days to rehearse the drama under

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Dr. Avaya kumar Mohanty and Mr. Rajib Lenka assisted in the programme. At the end of the stage show, the best actor and actresses were rewarded with case price and trophy.

- 19. Annual Day Celebration: Annual Function was held on 2nd February 2019. Mrs. Manjulata Mandal Hon'ble M.P Bhadrak was the chief guest and Dr. Sirish Chandra Jena, president of the Fakir Mohan Sahitya Parisad, was invited as the speakerof the function. The meeting was presided by the principal Prof. N.K Parhi and Dr. N. K. Padhi, the Advisor College Union, presented the Annual report. The college toppers in final examination were awarded, Laxmidevi Harihara Panda memorial award. Finally, the prize-giving ceremony was held and winners of the athletic meet and the cultural competitions were awarded. The vote of thanks was offered by the Prof. Biswanatha Sahu.
- 20. Utkal Divas: Generally Utkal Divas is a holiday. But this year, NSS unit celebrated this day i.e. on 1st April 2019. In the morning, a meeting was held in the Conference Hall which was organized by the programme officer Basanta kumar Mishra NSS and YRC councillor Prafulla kumar Behera. A quiz competition was organised among the students to make students aware of the formation of the separate state Odisha and the contributions of the son of the soils.

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The national youth Day was observed on January 12, 2020 at Conference Hall of the college. It is the birthday of swami Vivekananda, the apostle of youthful spirit. The function was opened with inaugural ceremony by the Principal. The Programme officer NSS, Mr. Basanta Kumar Mishra addressed the students explaining the role of the youth in nation —building and national integration. Prof. Rabindra Kumar Sahoo highlighted on the life of Vivekananda who made India famous abroad. The students expressed their feelings on the topic. The vote thanks was offered by Mr. Prafulla kumar Behera.

Republic Day Celebration

The 70th Republic Day Celebration was observed in the college on 26th January 2019. The employees, students & members of the Governing Body participated in the celebration. The national Flag was hoisted by the Principal of the College, Prof. Naresh Kumar Parhi who addressed the participants regarding present situations of the country and suggested devotional service of all for her progression. The students of the college joined in the common debate "Is India Free" in which nine students delivered their views. The debate competition was ended with concluding speech by Prof. Biswanath sahoo, the Reader in Political Science. The student volunteers took part in plantation programme.

Annual Day Celebration

The College Annual Day celebration was observed on 2.2.2020. The invited guests along with the Principal of the College, Prof. Naresh Kumar Parhi ingurated the meeting. Mr. Parsuram Dhada, Hon'ble MLA, Soro joined the function as Chief Guest. The famous Speaker on Social manner. Mr. Birendra Kumar Panda attended the programme as Chief Speaker. Mr. Nilu Mohapatra, President, Governig Body Cum -Sub-collector, Balasore joined the Function as Honb'le Guest. The speaker addressed the students on their duties, responsibilities, carefulness, devotion and sincerity. There continued a lively interaction between the students and the speakers. The Chief Guest welcomes the students to fight for right, duty for devotion, sincerity for service. He denied any sort negligence and indolence which acts adversely in life. The successful students of Arts, Science and Commerce stream were awarded Cash prizes of Laxmidevi Harihar Panda Memorial Award. The winner of the sports and cultural competition were awarded by the Guests. The vote of thanks was offered by Prof. Biswanath Sahoo. The students enjoyed recreation programme.

Annual Athletic Meet

The 35th Athletic meet started in a colorful festive manner. The Annual Athletic Meet of this Academic session was organized on 09.01.2020 to 10.01.2020 (2 days). After inaugural ceremony of the sports fair by Prof. Naresh Kumar Parhi, the Principal of the athletic events took place college. The retired PET Mr. Padmalav Dash cooperated to conduct the programme fifty four boy Athletes sixty nine girl athletes participated in the sports fair. The vice chairman of the sports club Mr. Prafulla Kumar Behera coordinated the athletic affairs. The students and teachers of the college actively cooperated the programme. The boy participants attended the games in ten items such as run, jump, throwing, swimming etc. The girl athletes participated in eleven events such as run and track, Jump, throwing and cycle race. The names of the winners of all twenty one events were declared instantly and they received their trophy in college annual day celebration. In the closing ceremony, the Principal of the college addressed the students to upkeep their sportive sprit for good health joining in police and defense services and to possess a healthy mind as well. The ceremony was closed with a vote of thanks to all concerned.

Annual Dramatic Function

The Annual Dramatic Function was observed on 03.02.2020. The students of this college staged the play 'Dukha Asithila Amari paiin' directed by Lambodara Sahu. Twenty students participated in the programme. Mr. Lokanath Malik attended the programme as Chief Guest. Maheswara Moharana, Manas kar, Umesh Ch. Panigrahi acted as the judges of the dramatic performance. Deepak Shial was awarded as the best actor and Manisha Sethi was selected as best actress. The winners were awarded prize on the stage. The guests provided tips on dramatic act. The successful artists on the stage were also offered chances in an amateur opera troupe.

Inter College Cultural meet

The inter college cultural meet is one of the best practices of the college. The meet was organized on 31-01-2020 with inaugural session by the principal and invited guest. The selected candidates of twenty different colleges joined in the youth fair competition in song, dance, acting and painting. The participants are provided fooding, transportation and all logistic amenities. The function becomes a grand success and it attracts the large gathering. In the academic session, famous actors Mr. Amritanshu Pattanayak, Mr. Lokanatha Malik, Mr.Satyanidhi Panda, Mrs. Jayashree Panda, Mr. Premananda Sahu,Mr. Ramesh Mishra are joined as guest cum judges of the function. Twelve winners of different colleges of Balasore, Bhadrak and Mayurbhanj Districts were awarded with case prize and trophy. The programme was organized by its convener Prof. Pravakar Mahajan.

NATIONAL VOTER'S DAY

The National Voters Day was observed in the college on January 25th, 2020. The students of the college participated in the programme. The Principal of the college inaugurated the celebration. Mr. Biswanath Sahoo, Reader in Political science and Dr. Nagendra Kumar Padhi, Reader in Political Science joined in the programme of Chief Speaker and Honorable speaker. They appraised up the students about right to

vote and franchise power of the country. The Principal in his concluding speech also highlighted on the role of the voters in electing the right candidates and helping in nation building. The students expressed their feeling in discussion Mr. Prafulla Kumar Behera, Programme Officer NSS wings extended vote of

Martyrs Day

The Martyrs Day was observed on 30th January, 2020. The students of the college lighted candle for the martyrs' of the country. A meeting was organized to pay homage to the martyrs who sacrificed their life for the cause of nation .Prof. Ramakanta Sahu , the Head of the Department of History focused on Mahatma Gandhi the martyrs fought for the nation and their courage, fortitude and patriotism. The martyrs of the freedom struggle and the soldiers who sacrificed their life for sovereignty of the nation are paid homage. The students were inspired for extending devotion and service for the cause of Nation. Dr. Abhay Kumar Mohanty focused on selfless service. The meeting was ended with a vote of thanks to all by Mr. Umesh Chandra Panigrahi , Reader in Botany.

Utkal Divas

Utkal Divas was celebrated in the college on 1st April, 2019 in the morning though it is a holiday, the students and teachers joined in the programme. They discussed on formation separate Orissa State in 1936. The Present status of Odisha is also discussed. Mr. Ramakanta Sahu, Reader in History and Mr. Prafulla kumar Behera , Reader in History took part in the discussion . The Vote of Thanks was offered by Janardan Patra, a student's of the Department of History.

International Yoga Day

The International Yoga Day was observed in the college on 21st June 2019. The students and employees of the college attended the Yoga exercise programme at 9A.M. in the Conference Hall. The famous Yoga Parishikhyaks. Mr. Brajeswar Panda and Mr. Premananda Pir joined the function as Recourse Person. They demonstrated the various Yoga practices for the participants to follow. A discussion on the utility of Yoga and fitness of the body was taken up. The Students participants had taken part in Yoga Competition Programme and the winners are awarded Laxmidevi Yogi Mayadhar (Astrology) Yoga Award 2019 . The Function was concluded with a vote of thanks to all by Mr. Manas Kumar Kar, the

College Foundation Day

The college foundation day was observed on 18.07.2019 Mr. Parsuram Dhada. Hon'ble MLA, Soro has joined the function as chief Guest and Dr. Ramesh Chandra Mishra , Economist attended the function as the Chief Speaker, Mr. Girish Chandra Dash Planning Board Member joined as the Hon'ble Guest. The welcome address was offered by Prof. Pravakar Mahajan. The EX-Governing Body Member Mr Bhaskar Chandra Behera was facilated on the occasion and Smt. Subasini Giri Ex- Principal -in-charge was honoured . The students who secured highest marks in the Final Degree Examination 2018 were awarded of Biswanath Mishra Topper Prize. The College Topper student in Economics Tunilata Behera

was awarded Gopinath Mohapatra memorial Award and the student who secured highest marks in Political Science and the one in Science Stream were awarded Kamalabala Laxminarayan Memorial Award. The speakers of the celebration highlighted on the role of the college in bring awareness and education in the area. They paid homage to the founding father of the Institution. The meeting was over with a vote of thanks to all by Prof. Rabindra Kumar Sahoo.

Independence Day Celebration

The 73rd Independence day of the nation was celebrated in the college campus on 15th august 2019. The national Flag was hosted by the Principal at 8.00 A.M. He has addressed the students to become duty bound that they would have program to progress the nation. A debate competition was held on the topic. "India and her Neighbors" in which 13 students delivered their speeches. Prize was distributed to the winners. The student's volunteers also joined in the campus cleaning Programme.

TEACHER'S DAY

The Teacher's Day was observed on 5th sept-2019 in departments as well as in the college. The students invited the teachers to join the function. The student leaders expressed their gratitude to the teachers for the shaping their career and life. A seminar on the "Role of the teacher in 21st century" was organized for the occasion. In the seminar Prof. Abhaya Kumar Mohanty, Prof. Pravakar Mahajan, Prof. Gadadhar Barik, Prof. Biswanath Sahoo and Prof. R.K. Sahoo presented their observation on the role of teachers, their duties, sincerity and effectiveness in teaching in present scenario. The concluding speech was delivered by the principal Prof. Naresh kumar Parhi and the vote of thanks was offered by Prasant kumar Behera a student of physics.

NSS Day

The NSS Day was observed on 24th September, 2019. The function was observed in the Conference Hall of the College. The students were apprised of role of NSS in social Service and the duty of the NSS volunteers in promoting wellbeing neighborhood. They were told about aims and objectives of National Service Scheme. The NSS Programme Officers Mr. Prafulla Kumar Behera and Mr. Basanta Kumar Mishra joined the programme as the speakers of the function. The volunteers of N.S.S. had taken oath for national Service. The meeting ended with a vote of thanks to all by Miss Anita Jena, Lecturer in Odia.

Gandhi Javanti

Gandhi Jayanti was celebrated on 2nd October 2019 under the Chairmanship of the Principal Prof. Naresh kumar Parhi. The NSS & YRC volunteers made rally from college Campus to Gopalpur market, reciting slogan our unity, non-violence and Love for wild life. A speech competition was held on Gandhian ideology in the conference Hall of the college

SWACHHATA DIVAS

The swachhata Divas was observed in the campus in which the members of swachha Bharat Mission , Gopalpur joined the programme. A campus cleaning programme was undertaken by the students with volunteers of the swachha Bharat Mission. The camp closing ceremony was held with a meeting of discussion on cleanliness.Prof. Naresh Kumar Parhi , Principal of the College provided over the meeting and Mr.Sudarshan, Mohapaptra, President, Swacha Bharat Abhiyan, Gopalpur addressed the students as chief Speaker

Rastriya Ekta Diwas

The Rastriya Ekta Diwas or National Integration Day was observed in the college on 31 October ,2019 as per Government guidelines on the Birthday of Sardar Ballavbhai Patel , the Iron man of India . The students were taken on rally shouting slogan on unity and integrity of India. A seminar on "Unity of the Nation" was organized in the conference Hall. The Principal of the College Prof. Naresh kumar Parhi ingurated the Seminar. The discussion on neighbors of India , Character and foreign Policies of India , outside threats , the friend of India etc .were taken of by the speakers of the Seminar. Prof. Biswanath sahoo, the Reader in Poltical Science and Dr. Nagendra Kumar Padhi , senior leader in Political Science discussed on the matter . A Quiz contest among the students was organized under the guidance of Dr. Abhay Kumar Mohanty. Mr Prafullas Kumar Behera , Reader in History offered vote of thanks to all.

Children's Day

The Children's day was observed on November 14, 2019. The Departments like Hindi , Home Science ,Political Science and Zoology jointly organized the programme. The students were reminded of the love of Pandit Jawaharlal Neheru for children. They were cautioned to lead the country in future . Prof. Abhay Kumar Mohanty , Dr. Nagendra Padhi and Dr. Kalyani Dash addressed the students on the role and responsibilities of children to build future of the country. The Principal joining the concluding part wished the students to be commitative, duty -bound and punctual in their studies and learning and should take vow to reach at their target. The vote of thanks was offered by Rupali Senapati , a student of

Constitution Day

The constitution Day was observed on 26th November 2019. The students and employees of the college joined in the programme. The meeting started with angular ceremony by Principal Prof. Biswanath Sahoo, Reader in Political Science addressed students about formulation of Constitution Assembly handed by Dr. B.R. Ambedkar. He highlighted on important features of Indian constitution. Mr. Prafulla kumar Behera, Reader in History focused on historical aspect of constitution of India. The student's queries are replied. The meeting was over with a vote of thanks by Miss Anita Jena, Lecturer- in -Odia.

World AIDS Day

The World AIDS Day was observed by the NSS and Youth Red Cross Units of the College. Prof. Naresh Kumar Parhi, the principal of the College inaugurated the function. Mr. Prafulla Kumar Behera , NSS Programme Officer described the objectives of the observation of the Day. The students are informed of the dreadfulness AIDS and its precaution and safety measures. Dr Abhay Kumar Mohanty , Reader in Zoology highlighted the ailments of the disease . The student's questions were replied. The Principal in his concluding speech wished the participants to become alert of protecting healthy life. The meeting was over with a vote of thanks by Mr. Basanta Kumar Mishra , NSS programme Officer.

Annual Cultural Meet

The college Annual Cultural Meet was observed between 03.01.2020 to 07.01.2020. The 113 students participated in this programme and 36 of them are declared as winners. The cultural talent hunt was inaugurated by the Principal of the college. The students participated in 11 cultural events such as song, dance, acting, Odia Debate, Odia Essay, English Debate, Hindi Debate, English Essay, Quiz, Recitation, Solka Aabruti and Alpana. The winners were awarded in the college Annual day celebration. The students were addressed about the successful tips for cultural performance. They were advised to upkeep their interest and establish themselves in future as successful artist. The programme was concluded with a compliment to all the participants.

International Woman Day

International Woman Day was observed in the college on 08.03.2020. 120 students and employees of the college joined in the programme. The Celebration was inaugurated by Prof. Naresh Kumar Parhi, the Principal of the college. Its objective was presented by Prafulla Kumar Behera, Programme Officer NSS Unit. Dr. Nagendra Kumar Padhi and Dr. Abhaya Kumar Mohanty presented their views as Resource Persons of the Celebration. They highlighted on the situations that victimizes the women of the world. They found on male-dominated society. The student's representatives also expressed their opinion. The vote of thanks was offered by Mr. Basanta Kumar Mishra, Programme Officer NSS Unit.

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