

Week-long activities by NSS Unit GDC Dharmari

Under the aegis of

Meri Mati Mera Desh/Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav/Independence Day 2023

The following series of Activities was undertaken by the NSS Unit of the college under the aegis of Meri Mati Mera Desh/Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotvas w.e.f 9th August 2023 under the patronage of the Principal GDC Dharmari Dr. Preetpal Kour.

1. Panch Pran Pledge and Discussion on 09-08-2023.

The volunteers under guidance of the Programme Officer Prof. Baldev Singh designed a poster on Panch Pran appealing and spreading the message of pledge, which was distributed among the students and the general public. Then the ideals of the pledge were delivered upon by the Principal Dr. Preetpal Kour therein explaining the message to the







- students. The pledge was taken by the whole staff and all students of the college.
- 2. Plantation Drive/creation of amrit vatika on 10-08-2023: the NSS Unit conducted a plantation drive wherein the task plantation of 80 saplings was completed (starting with the Van Mahotsav 2023). This resulted in the creation of the plant patch/amrit vatika in the premises of the new College. The event was coordinated and conducted by Prof Baldev Singh-NSS PO and Prof Anoj Kumar under overall patronage of the Principal Dr. Preetpal Kour.





3. Quiz competition on Heroes of Freedom Struggle on 10-08-2023

The NSS Unit in collaboration with the Departments of Political Science and History organized two activities on 10th August 2023. First the quiz competition was conducted on heroes of freedom struggle. The 4 teams of students contested and team C Comprising of Deepak Singh, Kavita won the competition. The event was coordinated by the Prof Baldev Singh (NSS PO) and other faculty members who managed the event were Prof. Anoj Kumar and Mr. Ashok Kumar. The event concluded with the motivating address by the Principal Dr. Preetpal Kour who threw light on the various shades of freedom and sacrifices of the freedom fighters.









4. Screening of short film and a Speech and lecture on freedom struggle on 11-08-2023: the extracurricular session of the day started with screening of the short film on India's Freedom struggle. this short story telling sensitized the students on the great efforts and stages of the struggle for independence. Then the



great speech by the first Prime Minister Pt. Nehru, named "Tryst with Destiny" was played. It was followed by a special discourse on freedom struggle by Prof. Khalid Sajad Bohra from department of History who deliberated upon the unsung heroes of the movement.

5. Symposium on international Youth Day 12-08-2023

NSS Unit and The Red Ribbon Club of Government Degree College Dharmari, took a proactive step in fostering intellectual discourse and encouraging the youth to reflect on their potential impact on a global scale. To achieve this, an extempore competition was organized on the theme "Role of Youth in Shaping the Globe." The event commenced at 11:00 am with an enthusiastic participation of 50 students. The competition saw a diverse range of perspectives and ideas on how young individuals can contribute to shaping the globe. Participants were given five minutes each to speak on the theme. Their speeches were judged based on content, clarity, creativity, and overall presentation. Speaking on the occasion Dr. Preetpal Kour Principal GDC Dharmari emphasized the crucial role of youth in promoting sustainable development practices, addressing climate change, and ensuring environmental preservation for future generations.

The event concluded with a vote of thanks extended by Mr. Ashok Kumar Nodal Officer of the Red Ribbon Club, expressing gratitude to the participants, judges, and audience for their active involvement in making the competition a success. The event was coordinated by Prof. Anoj Kumar Nodal Officer AKAM





6 Quiz competition on 12th August 2023

NSS Unit and Legal Cell of The Government Degree College Dharmari, in Collaboration with the Tehsil Legal Service Committee Mahore, organized an engaging and thought-provoking event that aimed to celebrate the theme of "Azadi" (Freedom). The event consisted of two main activities i.e. Quiz Competition and Poster Making competition. Both activities were designed to encourage students to reflect upon the concept of freedom and express their perspectives creatively.

The quiz competition comprised of four teams i.e. Team A. Team B, Team C and Team D and there were multiple rounds of questions, each focusing on different aspects of freedom, historical events, leaders, and struggles that have shaped the nation's path towards independence. Each team demonstrated their knowledge, critical thinking, and quick reflexes as they answered questions ranging from the pre-independence era to contemporary challenges. After the unbiased decision of the judges Team A secured first position followed by Team D, Team C and Team B.

Simultaneously, a Poster-Making competition was also held in the college to provide students with an artistic platform to visually represent their interpretation of freedom. In this competition, Sapna Devi student of B.A. Semester 3rd secured first position followed by Musabra Ashaq Lone and Mr. Muzaffar Ahmed students of BA. Semester 5th.

Speaking on the occasion Dr. Preetpal Kour Principal GDC Dharmari stressed that the main motive of the event is to inspire critical thinking and foster a deeper understanding of the struggles and sacrifices that have paved the way for the nation's freedom. The event was coordinated by Prof. Anoj Kumar, Prof(Dr) Mohd Akhtar and Mr. Ashok Kumar (PTI).



Tiranga Rally as part of "har ghar tiranga" on 14th August 2023: the National was distributed among the NSS Volunteers by the College administration. The Tiranga rally was organized in order to spread the message of "har ghar tiranga, ghar ghar tiranga" so that a free, frank and value based political orientations can be internalized in every individual of the country. The rally was flagged off by the Principal Dr. Preetpal Kour with a patriotic message to the students. The faculty members who coordinated and managed the event were Prof. Baldev Singh (NSS PO), Prof. Anoj Kumar (Nodal Azadi



Ka Amrit Mahotsav), Prof Khalid Sajad Bohra, Dr. Mohd Akhtar, Mr. Ashok kumar (PTI). After the rally, the flags were handed over to the

Flag Hoisting and Veeron ka Vandan and cultural activities on Independence Day 2023

The Government Degree College Dharmari celebrated 77th Independence Day of India with a vibrant and culturally rich celebration that ignited the spirit of patriotism and unity. The

campus was adorned with the tricolour as students, faculty, and staff joined hands to commemorate this significant national event.

The ceremony commenced with welcome address by Prof. Anoj Kumar followed by a heartfelt flag hoisting ceremony, where the tricolor was hoisted by Dr. Preetpal Kour, the esteemed Principal of GDC Dharmari. Following the flag hoisting, the traditional Kud dance was performed with its rhythmic footwork and vibrant costumes by students (Rashim and his team). The cultural extravaganza continued with a captivating solo song performance that echoed the sentiments of freedom and patriotism by Priya Thakur and Anjuman Arra. Adding a dynamic touch to the festivities, a group dance performance showcased the unity in diversity that India proudly embodies by Muneem Sudan and his team. Followed by these events Veeron Ka Vandan programme was organised wherein Soldiers of Indian Army Unit Dharmari were felicitated and honoured for their defence services for the country. The event reached its crescendo with a prize distribution ceremony, where exceptional students were lauded for their achievements in academics and extracurricular activities. The Principal of the college Dr. Preetpal Kour presented the awards, inspiring the students to strive for excellence in all their endeavours.

While speaking on the occasion, Dr. Preetpal Kour, Principal of GDC Dharmari, expressed her pride in the enthusiastic participation and outstanding performances that graced the occasion. She emphasized the importance of remembering and honouring the sacrifices of the freedom fighters while striving for a progressive and inclusive future. The overall event was Coordinated by Prof. Baldev Singh, (PO NSS), Mr. Ashok Kumar, (Nodal Officer RRC) Prof. Khalid Sajad Bohra and Dr. Mohd Akhtar. The function ended with the vote of thanks by Dr. Javed Iqbal Tramboo.





