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**Details of activities conducted by the Committee for Academic Year 2023-24**

**Name of the Committee: -** Centre of Gandhian Studies and Action 2023-2024

**Name of the Committee Convener -** Dr. Ruchi Tandon

**Activities at College Level**

Sr. No.	Date/s of Event DD/MM/YYYY		Title / Theme of Event	Brief Detail of a activity	No. of Beneficiaries
	From	To			
1	21.6.2022	22.6.2023	Yoga day celebration	Centre of Gandhian Studies and Action in association with yoga and health club Resource person: Ambika Yog Kutir and Yoga teacher of BES English high school Mrs Shubhangi mhatre, on 22nd june, Centre of Gandhian Studies and Action in association with IQAC Time: 10 am Venue AuditoriumResource person BES School Yoga Teacher and Decathlon	32 Nss 66 Senior College 338 BES School
2	29.9.23	7.10.2023	Gandhi Week	Two week celebration was conducted in which several activities were conducted	

3	30.9.23	30.9.23	Workshops on skill development	<p>Ceramic total 24 participants Dr. Devaki Kutty Ms Tanuja LCR 10am - 12noon School</p> <p>2) Embroidery total 45 participants Ms Vandana C Ms Neeta Shirke School project room 10am -12noon School sr. College</p> <p>3) Best out of Waste total 8 participants Ms Kalpana B MS Gauri Patil School sr. College</p> <p>4) Crochet art 14 participants Ms Smriti Nair Ms Neeta Shirke School sr. College</p> <p>5) Painting (Madhubani) 8 participants Ms Kalpana B Ms Geeta Makwana (Honorarium to be given) School sr. College</p> <p>6) workshop on sexual harassment at work place (3.10.2023) 18 participants Dr. Sunita K.K Adv. Reshma Jagtap Seminar room 1pm Teaching and Non teaching staff</p> <p>7) Varli painting 11 participants Ms Smriti Nair/ Dr. Deepa N Mr. Sourav Chanda (Honorarium to be given) 102 12noon -2 pm School sr. College</p>	128
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4	2.10.23	2.10.23	Gandhi Jayanti Celebration Seminar on	<p>Time 9 am in auditorium</p> <p>Speakers</p> <p>Dr. Sebastian A</p> <p>Dr. Saloni Bhushan</p> <p>Ms Girija Nair</p> <p>Ms Isha Kulkarni</p> <p>Ms Sanyogita</p> <p>Dr. Sunita K.K</p> <p>All the speakers justified the topic of the seminar very well. Each one of them has given a different direction to the topic and has put forward the relevance of Mahatma Gandhi's principle in today's world.</p>	100
5	3.10.23	3.10.23	Intercollegiate Essay competitions:Way	<p>10 AM Room 101 School Jr College and Sr College Ms Deepa Nyayadhish, Ms Sali</p>	<p>No of participants -73</p> <p>No of out side college participants -11</p> <p>No of colleges - 05</p>
6	3.10.24	3.10.24	Intercollegite Bhajan Singing	<p>11 am Seminar room/auditorium School Jr College and Sr College Ms Satya S, Ms Ambujam</p>	<p>No of participants 18</p> <p>No of out side college participants - 16</p> <p>No of colleges - 05</p>
7	3.10.25	3.10.25	Intercollegite Skit/ Street Play	<p>9am Auditorium School Jr College and Sr College Ms Poonam Shetty, Mr. Nainesh Patel</p>	<p>6 teams</p> <p>No.of outside college participants 09</p> <p>No. of college 02</p>

8	4.10.23	4.10.23	Founders DAY Semina on Second P.A.Menon Lecture Series	Khadi Diwas Founders day celebration : 2nd P.A Menon Lecture series Founder's Day was celebrated on 4th October 2023 to commemorate the birth anniversary of the Founder - Chairman of Bhandup Educational Society, the late Advocate Shri P. A. Menon. The day is also celebrated as Khadi Divas.	40
9	5.10.23	5.10.23	Intercollegiate competitions: Elocution on Ways to practice nonviolence by courage, education and appreciation	10am Room 101 School Jr College and Sr College Ms Anjana and Ms Divya	No of participants -14 No of out side college participants - 8  No of colleges - 07
10	5.10.24	5.10.24	Intercollegiate competitions: poster making on Role of Gandhian Philosophy in Indian Development	11 am Library School Jr College and Sr College Mr. Ashish Chakravarty & Ms. Sheeba	No of participants -68 No of out side college participants 13  No of colleges - 05
11	6.10.23	6.10.23	V.K.K Menon's Death anniversary Video making competition	Speech theme V.K.K Menon a born Orator Speakers: Smt. Sarada Menon Mr. Ashish Chakravarty 9 am Auditorium School Jr College and Sr College	200 students participated
12	6.10.24	6.10.24	Gandhi Exam	In collaboration with Sarvodya mandal 10 am Room no 101 Sr College Mr. Ashish C	50
13	23.1.2024	31.1.2024	AHIMSA Week	A week In long program was organised under which several intercollegiate competitions were conducted	

14	23.1.24	23.1.24	<p>Intercollegiate poem writing competition</p> <p>Theme: Harmony in Nonviolence: A Poetic Tribute to Gandhi</p>	<p>offline</p> <p>Level : Intercollegiate</p> <p>1. Topic : "Gandhi's Legacy: Echoes of Ahimsa in Verse" Or Harmony in Nonviolence: A Poetic Tribute to Gandhi"</p> <p>Judges</p> <p>1. ISHA Kulkarni 2. Manda Kale 3.Ruby Fernandis</p>	14 College ,26 school students
15	23.1.25	23.1.25	<p>Intercollegiate Best out of waste competition</p> <p>Theme: "Ahimsa Through Upcycled Harmony"</p>	<p>LCR</p> <p>Time 10 am</p> <p>Ex Eco-Friendly Home Decor: Ahimsa Art Installations, Upcycled Technology(Transform electronic waste or old gadgets into functional or artistic pieces)</p> <p>Encourage participants to explore the theme of "Ahimsa Through Upcycled Harmony." This theme encourages creativity, environmental consciousness, and the embodiment of nonviolence through the transformation of discarded materials into meaningful and useful creations</p>	56

16	24.1.24	24.1.24	Intercollegiate yoga asana display competition	<p>Offline  Level: Intercollegiate  Venue : Auditorium  Time: 10 am  9 trophies  School, Junior College and Senior college  Judges  1. Ms Shubhangi  2. Mr. Jeevan Sawant (1000 es Honorarium)  Ms Sarita Ghorpade(1000 es Honorarium) Incharge Dr. Ruchi Tandon  Dr. Komal Ayare  Dr. Aparna R</p>	30
17	24.1.24	24.1.24	Video/ short film making competition	<p>online  Level: Intercollegiate  Theme: "Harmony Unveiled: Women, Nature, and Ahimsa"  Or Theme: "Gandhi's Legacy: Nurturing Ahimsa Through Education"</p>	only 2 teams no competition
18	25.1.24	25.1.24	<p>Student Seminar  Venue Auditorium  Time 10 am  Total 13 papers received</p>	<p>Offline  Level: Intercollegiate  Theme: Act of Peace making  1. Youth Empowerment Through Gandhian pedagogy Education  2. Ahimsa and Conflict Transformation: Case Studies  Junior College and Senior college</p>	141

19	27.1.24	27.1.24	Intercollegiate Photography competition Venue Room 102 Total 8 participants Time 10 am	Padlet wall display online Level : Intercollegiate Topic : Gandhian Values in School Life 2. Media and Peace Advocacy: Shaping Narratives	8
20	27.1.25	27.1.25	Intercollegiate Reel making competition Venue Seminar room Time 10 am	Padlet wall display Online Level : Intercollegiate Status of Women then and now or Youth as Catalysts for Change Junior College and Senior college Ms Vandana C, Ms Sonali Suthar	29
21	29.1.24	29.1.24	Gandhi Handicraft Mela cum competition Total 14 stalls 432 visitors	Offline Level: Inter College Theme: Only Hand-made items can be sold like Paintings, vases, lamps etc 9 trophies School, Junior College and Senior college	14
22	30.1.24	30.1.24	Peace March	125 participants NSS DLLE and School Students Offline 8 am College to Nahur Station to DAV College to College incharge- Ms Anjana Ms Divya Ms Vandana (DLLE representative) Dr. Sunitha K.K	125

23	30.1.25	30.1.25	<p>Martys day observation  Intercollegiate Poster and Slogan  Competition  Theme: Self Discipline, Peace and  harmony</p>	School, Junior College and Senior college	37
24	20.2.24	20.2.24	<p>Internatinal Seminar (Hybrid Mode)  International Conference  EMPOWERING WOMEN:The  Legacy of Gandhi and Kasturba.</p>	<p>Speakers:  Dr. Radhakrishnan  Dr. Neeta Khandpekar Mumbai  Dr. Vidya Jain  Jaipur Rajasthan India  Dr. Muthian Bernedette South Africa  <a href="https://drive.google.com/file/d/1rkXjST5DIisFc5ShatFNOP6tfU1wbqWy/view">https://drive.google.com/file/d/1rkXjST5DIisFc5ShatFNOP6tfU1wbqWy/view</a>  Total 9 paper presented 49 beneficieries</p>	49



25	20.4.24	20.4.24	National webinar on "Integrating Ancie	<p>Speakers</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Dr. V. Bapat IIT BOMBAY</li> <li>2. Dr. Amita Valmiki RJhunjhunwala college</li> <li>3 Dr Sangeeta Pande Principal I/C Adarsh College</li> <li>4. MR. Dominic A</li> <li>5. Dr. Rina Avinash Pitale Puradkar</li> </ol> <p>Paper presenter Mrs Isha Kulkarni Assistant Teacher Ms Poorti, Pune Total participants 48 <a href="https://drive.google.com/file/d/16IYuCO7-y1UTpnvtsbxLKJuB6kTjmoSi/view?usp=sharing">https://drive.google.com/file/d/16IYuCO7-y1UTpnvtsbxLKJuB6kTjmoSi/view?usp=sharing</a> Dr. Ruchi Tandon Coordinator Dr. Deepa Nyayadhish, Dr. SUnitha K.K and Mrs Shubha Nair</p>	125
26			Certificate courses on Skill development	Each course was of 30 hrs duration twice in a year All SYBCOM students and NSS students registered Separate report attached	

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12	20.4.24	20.4.24	<p>National webinar on  “Integrating Ancient Wisdom:  Exploring the Bhagavad Gita and  Multidisciplinary Indian Knowledge  System”  Date :20th April 2024, The time of  Conference 9:00am</p>	<p>Speakers  1. Dr. V. Bapat IIT BOMBAY  2. Dr. Amita Valmiki RJhunhunwala college  3 Dr Sangeeta Pande Principal I/C Adarsh College  4. MR. Dominic A  5. Dr. Rina Avinash Pitale Puradkar  Paper presenter  Mrs Isha Kulkarni Assistant  Teacher  Ms Poorti, Pune  Total participants 48  <a href="https://drive.google.com/file/d/16IYuCO7-y1UTpnvtsbxLKJuB6kTjmoSi/view?usp=sharing">https://drive.google.com/file/d/16IYuCO7-y1UTpnvtsbxLKJuB6kTjmoSi/view?usp=sharing</a>  Dr. Ruchi Tandon Coordinator  Dr. Deepa Nyayadhis,  Dr. SUnitha K.K and Mrs Shubha Nair</p>	125
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