

Pt. Mohan Lal SD College for Women, Gurdaspur

Annual Report 2017-18

Pt. Mohan Lal S.D College for Women, Gurdaspur is a name to reckon with in the arena of education in Punjab, especially in case of women education. The college is striving in every possible way to equip the daughters of the region to meet the highest level of proficiency. The college has steadily shown its potential in academics, curricular and co-curricular activities. The college is committed to the empowerment of women through learning beyond classroom education and also offers a large number of special opportunities to students.

The vision of the college is 'To emerge as a premier institution to empower women through holistic education'. The college has a magnificently and aesthetically framed building in 2.5 acres and is resplendent with arboreal surroundings providing ambience of serenity that is conducive to academics.

The college has beautiful lush green lawns. There are total 21 well-furnished classrooms. Besides this, the college has 12 well equipped laboratories, 1 seminar hall, 1 student Centre and cafeteria. The college has 2 playgrounds. The college has hostel accommodation for outstation students which provide modern amenities with an atmosphere conducive for studies. The college library carries tranquil of aura for the learner to dwell deep into the treasure of knowledge. In this academic session many books for different subjects and journals have been added to the already existing stock. The computerized library has been bestowed with free internet facility.

The college curriculum encompasses a variety of programmes, traditional, vocational and skill oriented to equip the students with adequate knowledge which would enable them to adapt themselves with the ever-changing milieu. The college is offering a wide range of curriculum programmes in Arts, Science, Computer, Fashion Designing and Commerce. The college is offering courses like B.A, BCA, B.Com, B.Sc.(Med/Non-Med., Computer Science, Economics, Fashion Designing) besides successfully running M.Sc.(Computer Science), M.Com & M.A (Punjabi). The skill based academic programmes like PG Diploma in Computer Application (PGDCA), UG Diploma in Stitching & Tailoring and UG Diploma in Cosmetology are also running successfully. Besides, the College runs 7 Add- On Courses, need based Short term Courses and also arranged bridge, remedial and advance learner classes.

Faculty News

• Principal Dr. (Mrs.) Neelam Sethi

She got Life Time Achievement Award from the World Congress of Arts, Science and Communications- A Worldwide organization for pinnacle of her achievements.

International Biographic Center Cambridge, England has given Dr. Sethi the title of 'Research Professor and gave Extraordinary title 'The Worldwide Laureate' for her accomplishments.

She was key speaker in Conclave organized by Army Head Quarters 86 Infantry Brigade.

• **Principal Dr.(Mrs.) Neeru Sharma**

Appointed as an External Paper Setter of autonomous college.

Got her Paper Published on 'Gandhian Economics and Trends of Present Market Economy' in Gurukul International Journal.

Presented paper in International Conference held at Punjabi University, Patiala.

• **Dr. (Mrs.) Rama Gandotra (HOD Sociology Dept.)**

Honored by Chinmaya Mission, Gurdaspur for Social Services.

Appointed as Paper Setter for university.

Published article in referred journal and presented two papers in national seminars.

• **Dr. (Mrs.) Sukhwinder Kaur (HOD Puniabi Dept.)**

Got her 4 papers published in various journals.

Got her 9 articles published in different books with ISBN

• **Dr. (Mrs.) Dinesh Sharma (HOD English Dept.)**

Completed her Ph.D. from NIMS University Jaipur. Her topic was 'Comparative Study of Women Condition in Selected Novels of Jean Sasson and Tehmina Durani.

Got published new edition of her book 'Communication Skills' for BCA/ B.Sc IT/ B.Sc FD IIInd sem as a co-author.

Got 3 papers published in International referred research journal.

Selected as an External Paper Setter for Arni University, Kathgarh (HP).

Got published new edition of her book General English of +1 class.

• **Ms. Kiran (Asst. Prof. in Fine Arts)**

Participated in All India Exhibition at Govt. Art Museum, Chandigarh in which she got Gold Medal and Appreciation Award.

• **Mrs. Punita Sehgal (Asst. Prof. in Hindi)**

Awarded and honored as 'Cultural Incharge' for efficient work in cultural activity by director Mr. Baldev Sachdeva.

Got her Article published in Newspaper on 'Girl Child Rape'.

Our 3 faculty members Dr. Dinesh Sharma, Mrs. Harsha Sharma, and Mrs. Punita Sehgal acted as judges for various events organized by different institutes. Mrs. Poonam Seth (HOD, Computer Science) acted as Resource Person in Seminar on "Cyber Crime" organized by SSM College, Dinanagar.

Our 14 faculty members have attended National Seminars, Quiz and 10 workshops.

College Activities: Internal Quality Assurance Cell of the college works towards Institutional planning for improving and maintaining the quality of education, identifying and suggesting new ways of using teaching aids, developing suitable infrastructure and offering suggestions for the new courses. This Cell meets quarterly to plan, direct, implement and evaluates the teaching, research and student oriented activities in the college.

During this session, convocation was held in college in which 630 degrees were conferred upon to the graduate and post graduate students. Mrs. Aruna Chaudhary (Education Minister of Punjab, MLA of Dinanagar) graced the occasion as Chief Guest.

On Birth Anniversary of our founder father revered Pt. Mohan Lal ji, various events were organized. NSS volunteers of the college made different types of educational and instructional charts for primary wing of slum area study centre. Commerce and Computer Science department of the college organized project Tech Fest: 'PRAYAS 2018'. During this fest, various competitions like Sell Well, Quiz, Mimicry, On Spot Poster making, Click It etc. were organized. Neki Ki Deewar' was also organized by Rotract Club and executive members in which eatables and stationery were distributed outside the college campus. Another project 'Each one Teach one' was organized by NSS Volunteers of the college in which they promoted awareness among the Women folk in Dress Designing, Hair Cutting, Cooking and Sketch Making

14 Workshops were organized in the college campus by different departments, clubs and committees. Commerce department organized 1 day workshop on 'Use of Tally'. Physical Education department organized 2 workshops on 'Self-Defense' and 'Adolescence Behavior'. Fashion Designing department organized workshop on 'Fabric Painting', 'Block Printing', 'Jewellery Making' and 'Best out of Waste'. Cosmetology department organized workshop on 'Nail Extension' and 'Acrylic Nails'. Fine Arts department organized workshop on 'Poster Making'. Computer Science department organized workshop on 'Network security'. Psychology department organized workshop on 'Memory Enhancing'.

6 Seminars were organized by various departments of the college. A seminar on 'Dental Hygiene' was organized by Science department. Commerce department organized seminar on 'Tally and GST'. Cosmetology department organized a seminar on 'Facial Demo and Oriflamme Products'. Philosophy department organized a seminar on 'Imbibing Moral Values; Need of Hour'. Commerce and Economics department organized seminar on 'Career Guidance' to facilitate and enlighten young girls.

4 Guest Lectures were organized in the college by various departments. Computer department organized a guest lecture on 'Graph Coloring' in which Dr. Sharanjeet Singh, from Regional Campus, Gurdaspur was the guest speaker. Maths department organized a guest lecture on 'Man who knew the infinity' in which Dr. Pallavi Mahajan from Beant State University, Gurdaspur was the resource person.

Political Science department organized a guest lecture on 'Budget Making Process in Indian Parliament' Hindi department organized a guest lecture on 'Hindi Divas'. Dr. Harminder Singh Bedi Ex- HOD of Hindi, GNDU, Amritsar was the keynote speaker.

Faculty Development Programme is a broad range of activities that an Institution evolves to assist faculty in teaching learning process. The FDP committee of the college organized FDP on 'Net Banking' in which Sh. Rajiv Vij Microsoft Certified System Engineer and Analyst from Toronto, Canada was the resource person.

In College premises Important International and National Days as well as religious festivals are commemorated to promote the values of vast and rich heritage of India and world among the students. To name a few: International Language Day, International Women Day, World Human Rights, World Poetry Day, World Literature Day, World Literacy Day, World Ozone Day, World Theatre Day, National Education Day, Republic Day, Teachers's Day, Diwali, National Integration Day, Lohri, National Youth Day, National Girl Child Day, National Science Day, Pi Day, No Tobacco Day, Yoga Day, Kargil Vijay Diwas, , Basant Panchami, Birth Anniversary of Bhagat Singh, Neta Subhash Chandra Boss, Lala Lajpat Rai, Guru Ravi Das Ji , Martyrs' Day of Shri Guru Arjan Dev Ji, S. Kartar Singh Sarabha and Mahatama Gandhi Ji.

Clubs and committees: Co- curricular activities plays a vital role to enhance the quality of education. The college has various Clubs & Committees such as NSS, Rotaract Club, Enactus Club, Science Club, Youth Welfare Club, Red Ribbon Club, Health Club, Women Cell, Electoral Literacy Club, Environment Association, Central Association, Alumni Association, Open Mike Club, BYAS (Books You & Silence), Competitive Cell, Red Cross Society, Anti Ragging Club, Sports Club, Patriotic Club, Examination Committee, Admission Committee, Advisory Committee and Cafeteria Committee etc.

The NSS wing of the college organized 7 days camp in the college campus. They organized Women Empowerment Programmes in the adopted village Babowal by giving training to women folk in dress designing, hair cutting, cooking and sketch making. In Old-Age Home our NSS team distributed clothes, fruits and biscuits among elders. NSS volunteers organized a programme of 'Each One Teach One. National Awardee Sh. Ramesh Mahajan was the chief Guest of the Valediction Function. Ms. Ria was awarded best camper and other volunteers were also honored.

Alumni Association is a reflection of the past, representation of the present and a link to the future. The Alumni Association of the college organized Alumni meet for the Alumnae. Students of session 2015, 2016 & 2017 attended this event with zeal and zest. Many of our alumni have got placed in reputed Institutions and organizations.

Sports are an integral part of holistic development. Skills like team work, leadership, patience, discipline, learning from failure are developed only when students play sports regularly and these skills are equally important when it comes to studies. During this session our students have participated in, 'Karate Competition' held at GNDU, Amritsar in which our team got 3 Gold Medals and 1 Silver Medal. Our college team made proud by participating in 'Taekwondo Championship' held at GNDU, Amritsar and got 2 Bronze Medals. Volleyball team of the college won Bronze Medal in 'District Volleyball Competition' held at college campus. Gatka competition was held at GNDU in which our students got 5 Bronze


Medals. Ms. Saloni and Ms. Pallavi got Gold Medal in 'National Karate Championship' held at Gol Bagh, Amritsar.

Co- Curricular activities help students in enhancing their skill. In Zonal Youth festival, Our students brought laurels for college by bagging 1st position in Poetical Symposium, 2nd position in Elocution, Rangoli, Geet Gazal, On Spot Painting, Cartooning and Giddha . Our student Ms. Arsh also got 'Best Giddha Dancer' award.

During this session total 10 Inter- College and Inter- Class Competitions were attended by our college students. Students of Science department participated in Aghaaz 'Teczone Science Fest' sponsored by DBT, Govt. of India, New Delhi. Our students bagged 1st prize in Speech, 2nd prize in Poster making and 3rd prize in Rangoli. Our student from IT department participated in Inter college Technovilla programme in which our students got 1st prize in Paper Presentation and Mimicry and 2nd prize in Quiz. In event Utsav-II 2018 held in Gurdaspur, Our students made us proud by bagging 1st position in Debate, and 2nd position in Collage Making. Apart from these competitions, our students bring laurels for the college by bagging positions in different events.

Educational trips & tours help the students to break the monotony of their regular life. It help students' mind to explore the unknown and provide them immense happiness. During this session, Science department organized a trip to Science City, Jalandhar to inculcate scientific temper among the students. Many Educational visits were organized by the different departments. Home Science department organized a visit to Australian Bakery, for providing the knowledge to students about how to make Cookies, cake and bread. Enactus Club of the college organized Educational visit at Coca-Cola Wave Beverages Industries Ltd. Amritsar.

In the past years, the institution has proved itself as a prolific exponent to shift felicitous opportunities for its students and has given students freedom to develop their talent in any avenue they desire. With energetic efforts and perseverance, we are proud to form such a great family which has justified the faith and trust of its stakeholders. With the constant, dedication and efforts, we are going to touch zenith of success and glory in times to come and fulfill the dreams of our worthy founder Pt. Mohan Lal Ji.


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