# Details of Activities .

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The department conducted various activities for the academic year 2023 -2024.

## DEPARTMENTAL ACTIVITIES

Induction Programme for the Fresher's of B.Sc. 1<sup>st</sup> semester students was conducted on 04.08.2024.On 16<sup>th</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup> November, Wildlife Week-2023 –A tribute to the Elephant Man-Ajay Desai was organized by the Department of Zoology & Botany of G. S. S. College, Belagavi. The Inaugural was conducted on 16<sup>th</sup> November, 2023. Dr. Pronoy Baidya, Head of Research Division, Arannya Environmental Research Organization, Goa was invited as the Chief Guest and Guest Speaker. Inauguration was followed by the Guest Lecture by, Dr. Pronoy Baidya, who spoke about "The amazing world of ants". He stressed on the important yet undermined contributions of Ants towards the Ecosystem. About 96 students of 8<sup>th</sup> to 10<sup>th</sup> Standard from 7 schools in Belgaum participated in 5 Inter-School competitions and competed for the General Championship. Treasure Hunt, Diorama (Model Making), Speak for the Wild, Photography and Documentary Making were the Inter-School Competitions held on the occasion. The General Championship was awarded to Thalakwadi HighSchool. The Valedictory programme was organized on 17<sup>th</sup> November.

On 22<sup>nd</sup> March 2024, World Water day, Dr. Y. B. Dalvi along with the B.Sc. Botany students, GSS College, Belagavi volunteered in River Malaprabha Clean drive near Jamboti, khanapur, organized by 'Parisarakkagi Navu', Belgaum Unit.

The B.Sc. 5<sup>th</sup> semester students visited the Horticulture Dept, at Shedegali, Khanapur on 20/02/2024 to study the cultivation of exotic and indigenous fruit yielding plant, nursery structure, grafting techniques, green house structure, vermicompost structure etc.

Study tour was organized from 18/12/2023 to 20/12/2023 to B.Sc. 5<sup>th</sup> semester stationts to Shiroda, Maharashtra and nearby places to study plant taxonomy. Organised quiz competitions, Group discussions and culture activities during the stay.

ISRO live streaming for the students was arranged in the classrooms to feel proud about the Indias contribution in space research, 20/08/2023.

As the part of enrichment programme, Guest Lecture was organized on the topic Orchids of Western Ghats, 03/08/2024, speaker Dr. Dangat, Assistant professor, Vivekananda college, Kolhapur.

Tree plantation programme by Youth Red Cross and dept. of Botany and Zoology, students and staff at Agriculture Research Institute, Angol, Belagavi on 08/07/2023. The department organized the felicitation programme for the retiring staff under Rani Chenamma University during Exam

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PRINCIPAL G.S.Sc. College, Belagavi Dept. of Botany SSS College, Belangui valuation at GSS College, Belgaum 20/11/2023. Students celebrated Guru Pournima on 03/07/2023. Online screening of the award winning film '12th fail' movie for B.Sc. stude

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#### YOUTH RED CROSS

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Youth Red Cross wing, Programme officer, Dr. Y. B. Dalvi along with student's counsel Organized Plantation Programme and Clean Campus Drive in the campus. The Youth Red Cross wing of GSS College, Belgaum has organized the following activities for the year 2023-24. Independence Day celebration on 15 th August, 2023.

The student's council members of B.Sc and BCA course participated and celebrated Independence Day. Republic day celebration on 26 th January 2024, the students volunteers planted trees in RPD college garden and also participated in clean campus drive.

GSS college, Belagavi students volunteers, Vice chairman of SKE society Shri S.Y.Prabhu under the banner of "Parisarakkagi naavu " took up the initiative of cleaning river Malaprabha at Jamboti bridge in shankerpeth bridge, taluka khanapur. The cleaning started at 9.00am and ended at 1 pm. Plastic bottles, glass bottles, plastic waste were collected and disposed.

World friendship day was celebrated on 7 th August 2024, 24 students of B.Sc 4 th semester participated, Dr. Y.B.Dalvi spoke on the history of friendship day, the students presented their views on friendship, game activities, dance and singing activities were organised.

Independence Day celebration on August 15 2024, the student's council members of B.Sc and BCA course participated and celebrated Independence Day.

## N.S.S. - ANNUAL REPORT 2023-24

For the overall personality development of students, G.S.S. College plans various activities every year. In addition to sports, cultural activities, it has also N.S.S. UNITS. National Service Scheme (N.S.S.) is an Indian government sector public service programme conducted by the Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports of the Government of India. N.S.S. provides students an opportunity to participate in community services. NSS aims to develop student's personalities and characters through community service and to improve the quality of education. During 2023-24 N.S.S. UNIT organised various activities. Activities are of two types one is regular activities and other one is special camp activities. Regular activities included a verity of day's observations along with other N.S.S. Cell programme activities.

On NOV - Kannada Rajyothsava- Cheif guest of the function was State level award winning Prof.Dr. H.B. Kolkar sir from Kannada department RPD College addressed the gathering, He spoke

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On 26-11-2023. Constitution Day also known as "National Law Day' was celebrated along with staff and volunteers.

On 20-12-2023-Organised a guest lecture by Shri Rohit Kalra district youth officer Belagavi. Sir addressed on registration of the youth on My Bharat portal.

On 12-01-2024. National youth day was celebrated by arranging sports events. And also celebrated Swami Vivekananda Birth anniversary. And also attended online function of inauguration of 27th National Youth festival by P.M.of India Shri. Narendra Modiji. Live telecast from Nashik.

On 17-01-2024We trained our NSS volunteers regarding voting campaign. And also clean campus drive was organised by NSS Volunteers.

On 20-01-2024-we organised Yoga programme by National and international level Gold medal winner Guruji Shri Murlidhar Bhat and his team. Guruji trained our volunteers on yoga.

On 26-01-2024. Republic day celebration. N.S.S. volunteers participated at our college republic day parade.

On 26-04- 2024 organised Voters Awareness program rally.

N.S.S. Special camp was organised at adapted village Waghwade in the month of July from 10-05 2024 to 16-7-2024. It was 7 days camp in which more than 100 volunteers participated very actively participated. The camp comprised prayer, N.S.S. flag hoisting, Yoga along with discussions and cultural activities as regular activities. On the basis of the N.S.S. guidance a special guest lecture was organised on current topics. The camp was inaugurated by K.K.Kowadkar guest of the inauguration function and Smt. Lalita Kakade as the president of the function along with various dignitaries of the village. We organised a rally regarding drug abuse.

Prof Bharat Topinkatti sir spoke on effect of modern education system on student's carrier. And how N.S.S. activities help in building students career.

Dr. P.T. Hanamgond sir spoke on Rain water harvesting. Belgavi district youth officer Shri. Mallayya Karadi spoke on Role of NSS in personality formation of career.

Smt. Ambuja Chitnis madam from chemistry department G.S.S. College Belagavi spoke on women empowerment. Along with these different activities were also organised.

To name a few Soaps, detergent and candle making under self employment . For this we invited Dr. Vijaylakshmi A. Edalli Assistant professor from T P Science Institute Sankeshwar and Dr. Rajeshwari H.V. Assistant Prof. from J.S.S. College Gokak. We also planted a number of saplings in the school premises and surrounding area of Rawalnath temple at Waghwade. Along with this we did literacy survey of the village. Overall our college volunteers actively participated in all these activities. All this could happen due to great support of S.K.E. 'society's management and able guidance of Principal.B.L.Majukarsi

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### NCC GIRLS wing

Following are the major activities conducted during training year 2023-24.

- Awareness Rally-SAY NO TO PLASTIC -22.05.2023
- Tree Plantation Drive-08.07.2023
- Meri Mati Mera Desh 15.08.2023
- Independence Day celebration-15.08.2023
- Raksha Bandhan Celebration-31.08.2023
- Walkathon Drive-05.11.2023
- Workshop on Agni veer Entry-02.09.2023
- Nukkad on Pollution free environment-24.09.2023
- Guest Lecture on Rebuild our future by returning back to the roots.10.01.2024
- One Day Hands On training on Fire and safety. -22.11.2023
- Tree Plantation -25.11.2023
- Guest Lecture on Role of youth in Nation Building-16.12.2023
- Guest lecture on International Millets Year-14.12.2023
- World Pollution Day-06.12.2023
- Mega Cyclotron-Mahila Shakti ka Abhadya Safar-23.12.2023

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