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	SEP-NOV 2019-20 Sky	v makes many thunders VJIAS makes many wondersVOL: 3: Newsletter-2		
	<u>Editorial Board</u>	In order to avoid the communication gap among the various stakeholders of the institute on all academic and administrative matters and also to facilitate the achievement of the intended student learning outcomes, the 'Faculty Council' of the college resolved to bring out a quarterly e-newsletter. The various activities organized from time to time, be it co-curricular or extracurricular will be a part of this newsletter. All important events planned will also be covered.		
	Editor Dr. N. Aruna, Principal	Besides mailing online to all the concerned, this will also be kept on our website. We earnestly seek suggestions for improvement. - Dr. D. Vijaya Prasad Director		
	Associate Editor Dr. T. Rama, Vice-Principal	MAHATMA GANDHI 150 <sup>TH</sup> BIRTH DAY CELEBRATIONS:		
		As part of the 150 <sup>th</sup> Birth Anniversary of Gandhiji, a Symposium on 'We can Learn from Mahatma Gandhi's Life and Mission' was organized in the college on 23 <sup>rd</sup> Sep. Prof. V.S. Prasad, former director UGC and former VC Ambedkar		
	Executive Editors Ms. T. Radhika, Lecturer Ms. K. Triveni, Lecturer	Open University, was the main speaker. He spoke about the Gandhian philosophy and how we should inculcate this in our generation. The Director Dr. Vijaya Prasad garu spoke about the greatness of Gandhiji. The Principal Dr. Aruna spoke about inculcating the teachings of Gandhiji and she introduced a new policy in the college that all the students and staff who live within one or		
	<b>Technical Editor</b> Ms. V. Padmavathi, Office Assistant Mr. P. Prithvi Yadav B.Sc III	two kilometre radius of the college should come walking to college as part of their contribution towards protecting the environment. Sri Y.J.Venkata Rao garu, chairman VJIAS, presided over the event. Sri Narne Prabhakar garu, former chairman, VJIAS, Sri Achyutha Rama Prasad garu, chairman, VJPS, principal of VJPS, Ms. Aruna garu and other guests graced the occasion. The winners of Essay writing and Elocution competitions conducted on the occasion of the 150 <sup>th</sup> birth anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi, were presented certificates by the chief guest.		
	Asst. Editors Ms. Srinidhi Naidu, BBA II Mr. Baruch Sharma, BBA II Mr. Vijaya Chandra BBA III Mr. G. Ganesh, B.Com Com II	Frof. V.S. Prasad delivering the speech and distributing Certificates		
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Symposium - 'we can Learn from Mahatma Gandhi's Life and Mission" -in progress

## **TEACHERS' DAY CELEBRATIONS:**

Teachers' day was celebrated in college by students. Sri Chukka Ramaiah garu, noted mathematician and eminent teacher was the guest for the day. He spoke about the importance of teachers and about bringing key changes at the level of primary school, which he felt was being neglected, to lay a strong foundation for the students. Some students and faculty spoke about the teachers who had influenced them and motivated them in their lives. The director, principal & faculty felicitated Sri Chukka Ramaiah garu. Dr. N. Aruna, principal, Dr. N. Shashidhar Sanskrit faculty and Dr. T. Rama vice principal, were also felicitated by the management on the occasion. Ms. Anuradha , Ms.Radhika and Ms. Lakshmi spoke about the key role played by teachers in students' lives. The director Vijaya Prasad garu spoke about the chief guest and how he dedicated his life to the student society. Our students showed enthusiasm in celebrating Teachers Day by organizing few events for teachers. All the faculty were given gifts by the management, as a token of appreciation.



Teachers' Day celebrations and Felicitation to Shri. Chukka Ramaiah Garu



Felicitation to Dr. Aruna, Dr.Rama and Dr.Shashidhar

# TELANGANA BHASHA DINOTSAVAM:

Telangana Bhasha Dinotsavam was celebrated in college on 9<sup>th</sup> Sep 2019. Prajakavi Sri Kaloji Narayana Rao's birthday is celebrated as Telanagana Bhashadinostavam. Ms. Divya Bharathi introduced and invited the chief guest Sri. V. Kondal Rao, former director of Telugu Academy, a renowned writer and poet. Shri.Kondal Rao garu told the students of the importance of learning one's mother tongue and the role it plays in learning and understanding other languages. He took his own example and said that his proficiency in his mother tongue, Telugu, helped him to master English. Faculty and students spoke about the importance of nurturing Telugu language and about the contribution of Sri Kaloji Narayan Rao. Dr.Venkateshwarulu Telugu Faculty, Mrs.Radhika Faculty of Computers, Mrs. Vijaya Lakshmi & Mrs.Anusha Faculty of Management spoke about the greatness of Telangana language. Dr. Aruna , Principal gave her valuable message on Telangana language. Our Director Dr.Vijayaprasad garu, spoke about the achievements of Kondal Rao garu in Telugu literature.



**Telangana Bhasha Dinotsavam celebrations** 

#### **GUEST LECTUER:**

A lecture on research projects related to the environment, that students can do, was given by Ms. Bhavitha Bhogaraju, who works as an academic excellence manager in an organization called 'Girls who Code', to all the II year students on 7<sup>th</sup> Sep 2019. She spoke about the sustainable development goals to transform the world. As part of Inter disciplinary projects, the committee concerned organized the lecture.

## **EKTA DIWAS:**

Ekta Diwas was observed on 31<sup>st</sup> Oct.2019 by taking the Unity Pledge. It was taken by all the faculty and staff.



Oath taking on Ekta Diwas STUDENT CO-CURRICULAR & EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES:

- The English Department conducted a quiz in English. 10 teams participated. Rajeev & Harshaw from BBA I year, Baruch BBA II year & Faizan B.Com Gen I year were pronounced the winners and Md. Affan & Karthik from B.Com I year were pronounced the runners up.
- An Essay writing competition on the topic "The Impact of Gandhiji's Teachings on the World and an Elocution competition on the topic "Gandhian Philosophy and Way of Life" were conducted on the occasion of the 150<sup>th</sup> birth anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi on 19<sup>th</sup> Sep.
- Md. Ayub Khan of B.Com General Final year showed excellent sportsmanship by getting seven wickets for 30 runs and helped his team Vijayapuri Willowmen record a 92 run win over Sagar Cricket Club in the A-3 Division one-day league Cricket Championship on Sunday 15 Sep 2019 in Hyderabad. The Management, staff and students of VJIAS congratulate Ayub Khan on his performance. His feat was publicised in the newspapers:"AYUB KHAN SHINES"



• As part of Haritha Haaram, Go Green and Save the Earth initiatives, NSS Committee organized a Vertical Gardening program, making Seed Balls and Paper Bags, for all classes in the college on 21<sup>st</sup> Sep. BBA III yr Eshwar and group, B.Sc II yr Chandana and group, B.Com General III yr Ayub and group and B.Com Comp II yr Deepika and group won prizes and a consolation prize was awarded to B.Com General I yr.



#### **SEMINARS/CONFERENCES:**

- Dr. T. Rama, vice principal, attended and presented a paper titled, 'Intelligibility and the Indian ESL Learners' at the National Conference, PhonConf-2019, conducted by the Dept. of Phonetics and Spoken English, EFL University, on 19<sup>th</sup> & 20<sup>th</sup> November.
- Dr. N. Shashidhar attended a National seminar on "Contribution of Telangana to Sanskrit Literature", at Govt.Degree College, Begumpet on 3&4 Sep 2019.
- Ms. Mary attended a Two-day Workshop on "Teaching R-Software", at Dept. of Statistics, OU, on 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> Sep 2019.
- Ms. Triveni attended a Website Committee Meeting at VNRVJIET on 6<sup>th</sup> Sep 2019.
- Mr. Swamy Malraju, Librarian, attended a workshop on "Transforming Libraries into Learning Resource Centres: Innovative solutions for Academic Libraries" at VJIM on 6<sup>th</sup> Nov.

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