GURU NANAK KHALSA COLLEGE FOR WOMEN GUJARKHAN CAMPUS, MODEL TOWN, LUDHIANA

ECO/ GREEN CLUB REPORT (2023-24 Odd Semester)







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About Club

Eco-club is a voluntary group of students and staff which promotes the environmental awareness, conservation of natural resources, control of pollution, reduction of plastic usage, planting of trees, water management etc. It also encourages the students in clean and green consciousness through various innovative methods. The Eco-club takes the support of Biodiversity Cell, NCC and NSS Unit for increasing the greenery of the campus and other eco-friendly activities.

Objectives

- To encourage the students to plant more number of trees in the college campus, their homes and villages for increasing the greenery.
- To conduct Clean and Green, Swachhta Mission activities in the college campus.
- To create awareness on various environmental issues like Climate Change, Global Warming, Greenhouse effect, Acid rains, Pollution, Environmental movements and laws.
- To promote culture of Conservation of natural resources, Water management, Rain water harvesting and Solid Waste management.
- of plastic, polythene bags and importance of 3Rs (Reduce, Reuse and Recycle).

Major Activities

- Organising seminars, workshops, guest lectures on various environmental issues.
- Conducting mass plantation programmes.
- Campaign against usage of plastic and polythene made articles and bags.
- Making Eco-friendly items with waste and used materials.
- Encouraging home gardens and departmental indoor gardens.
- Promoting Clean and Green, SwachhtaMission activities in the college.

World Environment Day

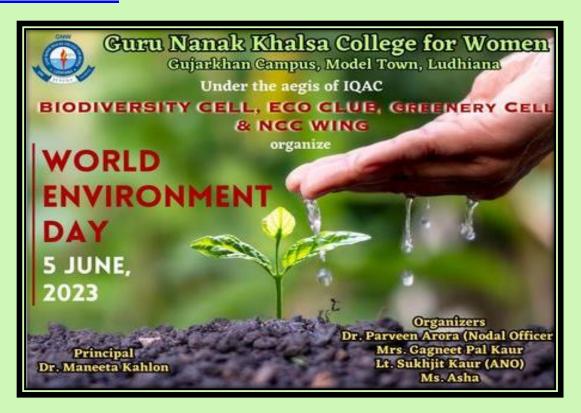
Under the aegis of IQAC, the NCC wing of Guru Nanak Khalsa College for Women, Ludhiana celebrated 'World environment day'. On this day, students pledged to collectively work towards protecting Mother Nature. With the aim that multiple small steps can bring in a major change, students also planted a plant, to contribute in making our planet greener and healthier.

More than 25 cadets took part in this activity.

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World Nature conservation Day

Under the aegis of IQAC, the Eco Club in collaboration with SES REC, Guru Nanak Khalsa College for Women, Gujarkhan Campus, celebrated World Nature Conservation Day on July 28, 2023.

Under this activity, students were told about the significance of Nature and how human beings should act more responsibly to conserve our Nature. A number of students from various classes participated in the activity and shared their views on conservation of nature. On this occasion, a pledge was also taken where the students vowed to plant trees for their future generations.

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Swachhta Pakhwada Program - Oath taking ceremony

Under the aegis of IQAC, Guru Nanak Khalsa College for Women initiated the Swachhta Pakhwada Program. The program is a part of Swachhta Abhiyaan which started with the objective of bringing a fortnight of intense focus on the issues and practices of Swachhata. Under this program, an oath taking ceremony was held on September 1, 2022 in the college premises. The students took the pledge to keep their surroundings and themselves clean.

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Swachhta Pakhwada Program – Sensitization and Awareness

The theme of the program is sensitization and awareness in the rural areas.

Various activities are organized by IQAC and NSS, Unit of the college in collaboration with Department of Home Science and Swachta Pakhwada.

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Swachhta Pakhwada Program Role of Fruit Plant in Environmental conservation

Under the aegis of Internal Quality Assurance Cell, Guru Nanak Khalsa College for Women, organized a lecture on September 11, 2023 as part of the Swachhta Pakhwada Celebrations. The topic of the lecture was, "The Role of Fruit Plants in Environmental conservation."

The resource person on the occasion was Dr. Gagandeep Kaur, Senior Horticulturalist, PAU, Ludhiana. She talked about the nutritional value of fruits and vegetables and motivated the audience about growing their own fruits and vegetables so that they can avoid the harm created by fruits and vegetables purchased from the markets.

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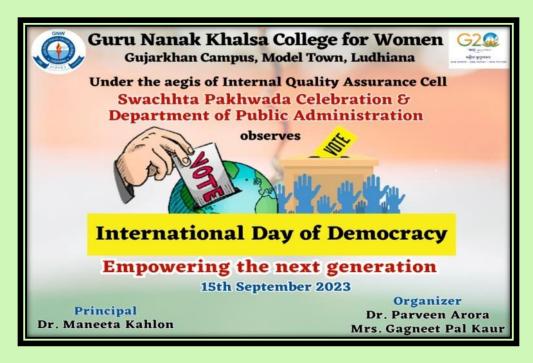


Swachhta Pakhwada Program International Democracy Day

Under the aegis of IQAC, the Department of Public Administration celebrated International Democracy Day on the theme of 'Empowering the next generation' Explained by Dr. Parveen Arora as Resource Person that each year on September 15, the world observes International Day of Democracy as it reflects the current global Situation of democracy and the necessity of effectively promoting the features of democratic societies. It is a thorough process that involves the active participation of local government and individuals, civil society, organizations and other groups. Democracy may prosper with the help of global cop-ration. Many students participated in elocution session and expressed their views about right to vote, role of youth, democracy and casting of votes.

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Swachhta Pakhwada Program Millet Competition

Millet Competition was organized by IQAC and NSS, Unit of the college in collaboration with Department of Home Science as directed by DoHE, UGC to celebrate 2023 as International Year of millets. The activity was also associated with Swachta Pakhwada under Poshan abhiyaan to use millets as 'shree anna' and UBA Link-

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International Day for the Preservation of Ozone Layer

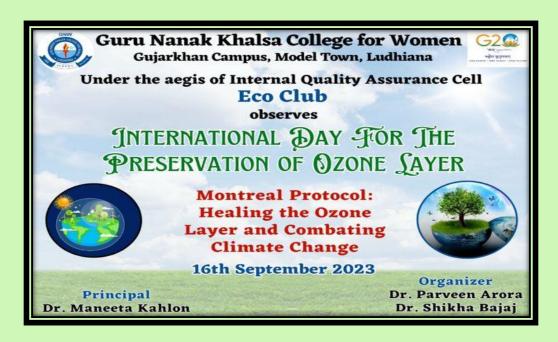
International Day for the Preservation of Ozone Layer observed at GNKCW

Under the aegis of IQAC, the Social Entrepreneurship, Swachhta and Rural Engagement Cell and Eco club of Guru Nanak Khalsa College for Women, Model Town, Ludhiana, screened a documentary film related to ozone layer depletion on occasion of International Day for the Preservation of Ozone Layer on September 16, 2023.

The day is celebrated commemorating the date when the Montreal Protocol on substances that deplete the Ozone Layer was signed in 1987. The purpose of this activity was to raise awareness among students to save the depletion of ozone layer. Dr. Parveen Arora explained the students about various reasons of ozone depletion and encouraged them to limit the use of air conditioners for its prevention.

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Swachhta Pakhwada Program Poster Making Competition

Under the auspices of IQAC, Guru Nanak Khalsa College celebrated Swachhta Pakhwada from Sept 1 to Sept 15, 2023 under the guidance of Dr. Parveen Arora and Mrs. Gagneet Pal Kaur (Asst. Prof. English). A poster making and slogan writing Competition was held to mark the theme of cleanliness. Students from various streams participated enthusiastically in this competition and the judgement was conducted by Mrs. Harpreet (Head, Deptt. of Fine Arts) and Mrs. Balwinder Kaur. The results of the competition are as follows:

Poster Making

First Prize - Sehajpreet Kaur B.Com:-1Sem, Roll no:-23-1154

Second Prize -Kawaljot Kaur B.A:-1Sem, Roll no:-23-137

Third Prize - Arshpreet Kaur B.A:-1Sem, Roll No:-23-108

Appreciation Prize

Gaganpreet kaur - B.A:-1Sem, Roll no:-23-222

Navpreet Kaur - B.A:-3rd Sem, Roll no:-22-209

Slogan Writing Competition

First Prize:-Parampreet Kaur.B.A-5th Sem, Rollno:-21-168

Second Prize:-Stuti - B.A:-5th Sem, Roll no:-21-198

Third Prize:-Drishti B.A:-5th Sem, Roll no:-21-207

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Swachhta In-Campus

Under the aegis of IQAC, Department of Journalism and Mass Communication of Guru Nanak Khalsa College for Women organised Swachhata Walk, a walk around the campus on September 27, 2023. This activity was organised under Swachhata Pakhwada Celebrations.

Students of the department recorded videos and clicked pictures of most clean and green areas of the college premises. The main idea of this activity was to highlight the commitment of the college to sustainable surroundings and to sensitize the students to uphold the same.

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Cleanliness Drive

Under the aegis of IQAC, Eco club of Guru Nanak Khalsa College for Women observed Ek Tariq, Ek Ghanta under Swachhta Pakhwada Cleanliness Drive Program on October 1, 2023. The program is a part of Swachhta Abhiyaan which started with the objective of bringing a fortnight of intense focus on the issues and practices of Swachhata. Under this drive, volunteers, Faculty members and supporting staff participated in the cleanliness activities in the college premises.

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World Soil Day

Under the aegis of Internal Quality Assurance Cell of Guru Nanak Khalsa College for Women, Gujarkhan Campus, Model Town, Ludhiana, in collaboration with Department of Public Administration and Bio Diversity Cell observed World Soil Day on December 5, 2023. This day is observed on December 5 to raise awareness about the importance of soil, healthy ecosystems and human well-being. The theme for this year is 'Soil and Water, A Source of Life'.

A lecture was organized and delivered by the Head of the Department of Public administration, Dr. Parveen Arora, in which she apprised the students about the importance of soil for growing healthy fruits and vegetables.

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