## Modern College, Ganeshkhind, Pune

History Department
Akansha Report
2018-19

Departmental Activities

## **Departmental activities:**

## 1. Modi Script Certificate Course:

Since last 10 years, the department is consistently organizing the Modi Script certificate Course. This year it was organized from 4<sup>th</sup> August to 26<sup>th</sup> August 2018. Mr. Girish Mandke, Modi Expert conducted the course. 36 participants of various age groups and professions enrolled for this course.

#### 2. `Modi Dashpadi publication ceremony

Department of History organizing 'Modi script certificate course' Since 2008-2009, in Pune. This is 10<sup>th</sup> year of this course. To celebrate this initiative, department organized publication ceremony of a booklet named 'Modi Dashpadi' on 25th August 2018. Dr Nandakishore Ekbote, Indologist and Member of P.E Society was present as the chief guest in the ceremony. While, Well known historian and Modi script expert Mr. Pandurang Balkawde in the chair.

# 3. Programmes on birth anniversary, death anniversary of freedom fighters, social reformers of India

Department of history organized various programmes on birth anniversary, death anniversary of freedom fighters, social reformers of India and also about important days of India. The main goal for organizing this program was to develop the student's knowledge and understanding about great freedom fighters and their contributions towards the nation and freedom movement.

❖ Department organized programmes on birth anniversary of Lokmanya Tilak ( 23rd July 2018), Historian D.D. Kosambi & Social reformer Nana Shankarsheth (31<sup>st</sup> July 2018) Annabhau Sathe (1<sup>st</sup> August 2018), Birthday of Irfan Habib (13 August), Moderate leader Dadabhai Nouroji and Historian Setu Madhavrao Pagadi (4<sup>th</sup> September 2018), Sardar Vallabh bhai Patel (31<sup>st</sup> October 2018) Death anniversary of Indira Gandhi (31<sup>st</sup> October 2018), Netaji Subhashchandra Bose and

- ❖ Our department also organized programme on `Kranti Din' (9<sup>th</sup> August 2018). The main objective of this program was to educate and create awareness about the importance of this day in freedom fighting movement.
- ❖ Faculties and Students expressed their views about these freedom fighters.

### 4. Study tour

A Study tour on 3<sup>rd</sup> October 2018 was organized for the undergraduate students of history (special) 80 Students accompanied by three teachers participated in the tour. The tour was arranged at three Buddhist caves of Bedsa, Bhaje and Karla in Pune district.

## 5. 'Kaun banega, History Scholar!' inter college competition

Department of History and Student Development Board, Savitribai Phule Pune University jointly organized competition `Kaun banega, History Scholar!' An inter college competition which held on 18<sup>th</sup> January 2019. A total of 182 students participated from various colleges.

## 6. Historical Documentary Film club:

- ❖ A documentary titled `Lokmanya Tilak' and `Suez Crisis' was shown to the students on 23<sup>rd</sup> July 2018 and 15<sup>th</sup> December 2018 respectively. Total number of 27 students participated in this activity.
- Three films on 'Slaying of Afzalkhan' was shown to the FYBA students.
  37 students participated in this activity.

**7. Heritage Walk :** Department of History organized Heritage Walk in Pune University on 1<sup>st</sup> September 2019. 16 Students participated in Heritage walk.

#### **Staff achievements:**

#### **Shruti Bhatkhande:**

- Delivered a lecture on `Health and Diet' on 4th July 2018 in Induction programme conducted by Modern College for FYBA students.
- Worked as a subject expert arranged by H.V. Desai college on 26<sup>th</sup> June 2018
- Attended one day workshop on 26<sup>th</sup> February 2018, organized by SPPU &
   Dept. of History on `` Pandit Madan Mohan Malviya National Mission of Teaching
- Submitted a research paper titled `रामकृष्ण विश्वनाथ यांचे अर्थविषयक विचारांचे आर्थिक राष्ट्रवाद निर्मितीतील योगदान' in the seminar on ``Studying Indian freedom movement through economic perspective (1757-1947) '' organized by ICHR, New Delhi & Arts, commerce and Science college, Narayangaon on 29<sup>th</sup> Jan 2019.

#### Dr. Meenakshi Tiwari

- Presented Paper titled 'The Works of Dadabhai Naoroji on Economic Nationalis' in National Seminar on 'Studying Indian Freedom Movement Through Economic Perspective (1757-1947) organized by Post Graduate Research Centre in History, Arts, Commerce and Science College, Naraingaon and Indian Council of Historical Research, New Delhi.
- Presented and Published Paper titled 'Analysis of Nineteenth Century Ideologies of Nationalist Leaders on Economic Nationalism in Maharashtra'

in National Seminar on 'Modernization of Maharashtra in Nineteenth Century' organized by Department of History at Arts, Commerce and Science College, Sonai and Savitribai Phule Pune University Pune. (Book – Peer Reviewed referred and UGC Listed Journal having Journal no. 40776, ISSN No: 2277-5730)

 Published Paper titled 'The Dabhol port Trades in 17th Century' in journal published as part of state level seminar on 'Sthanik Itihas lekhan' organized by B.D Kale Mahavidyalaya, Goregaon (January 2019 Special Issue Journal, ISSN No: 23199318).

#### Vivek Jadhavar:

#### **❖** Invite As Resource Person / Guest in other institution

#### Vivek Jadhvar-

- Conducted Sessions on Right to Information Act, 2005 and Right to Service Act, 2013 in 20 Training and orientation Programmes organised by different Training Institutes for following Participants:-
- ➤ Ministerial staff and Personal Asst. of Maharashtra Motor vehicle Department, Account officer of MSRTC, Personnel and labor officers of MSRTC, Divisional Controllers of MSRTC at CIRT
- > Staff of MSRTC under state project at MSRTC Training Center, Bhosari
- ➤ Staff of commissioner for persons with disabilities, Social Welfare Inspectors, Steno and Office superintendents of Social welfare Department, BARTI Staff, at BARTI

- ➤ Training Programme on Office administration for ULB's, Students of Certificate course on RTI at YASHADA,
- ➤ Committee member and Examiner of `RTI Week Programme' sponsored by DoPT, Government of India and Organized by YASHADA
- ❖ Delivered lecture on 'गांधीहत्या आणि सावरकरांची बदनामी' in Sahitya Sammelan Vyakhyanmala, Nanded on 4<sup>th</sup> March 2019
- ❖ Participated in State level conference (22-23<sup>rd</sup> February 2019) on 'Innovative Teaching Pedagogy' Organized by Department of Zoology, Modern college Ganeshkhind, Pune.
- ❖ Participated in the 'Swayam & MOOCs' awareness training program organized by Library Department on 29<sup>th</sup> December 2018
- ❖ Worked as a Judge to evaluate elocution held on 30<sup>th</sup> January 2019 in Geo Carnival organized by Department of Geography in association with Prof B.
   C. Vaidya Founadation.

#### **Sushant Thorawade:**

Joined Department of History on 26<sup>th</sup> December 2019. He Participated in the 'Swayam & MOOCs' awareness training program organized by Library Department on 29<sup>th</sup> December 2018.