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CELEBRATION OF NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL COMMEMORATIVE DAYS, EVENTS AND FESTIVALS



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World Environment Day

On June 5 2021, the NCC unit (Army and Navy wing) of St. Bede's College Shimla, organized various competitions on the occasion of World Environment day. The theme for the day was 'Khaki and Prakriti'.



World Environment Day celebration on June 5, 2021

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A poster-making competition was organized by the department of biotechnology on the occasion of World Environment Day i.e., June 5, 2021.



Poster making Competition on Environment Day on June 5, 2021

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On the occasion of the World environment day following activities were organized by the department of Botany:

- I. Online Lecture: An online guest lecture (on MS Teams) was organized in which the resource person was Dr. Vaneet Jishtu, Scientist, Himalayan Forest Research Institute, Shimla who shared his views through presentation entitled “Ecosystem and Their Restoration: A frantic Push to Reverse the Decline of Our Natural World”. A total of 130 participants, including students and faculty members, attended the lecture.
- II. Students Activities on World Environment Day: Students of 2nd and 4th Semester M.Sc. Botany celebrated World Environment Day through various activities. The students sowed several species of fruit & timber yielding plants and ornamental flowers plants at their homes. Students also carried out tree plantation, garbage collection, and disposal and utilization of waste material at their homes.
- III. Participation in Online Quiz: Students of B.Sc. II, B.Sc. III (Medical) and M.Sc. IInd semester. participated in online Inter-College Environment Quiz competition on World Environment Day organized by Department of Botany, RKMV, Shimla. The students won various prizes in the quiz competition.

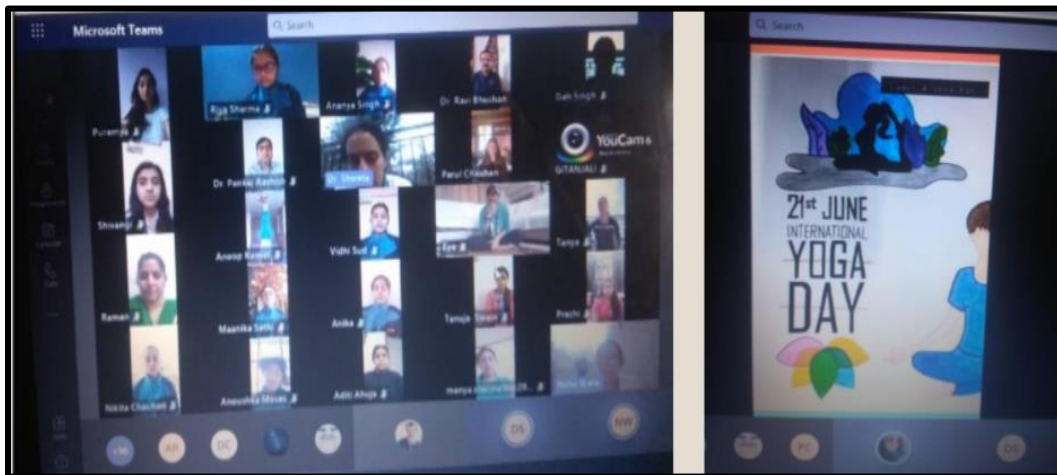


Environment Day Celebration on June 5, 2021



International Yoga Day Celebration:

On June 21, 2021 International Yoga Day was celebrated by the volunteers of NSS Unit of St. Bede's College through online mode on MS Teams platform under the theme "Be with Yoga, Be at Home".



International Yoga Day Celebration through online mode on June 21, 2021

A series of activities for the International Day of Yoga, 2021 was conducted by the cadets under 7HP (I) Coy, NCC Shimla to mark the International Yoga week



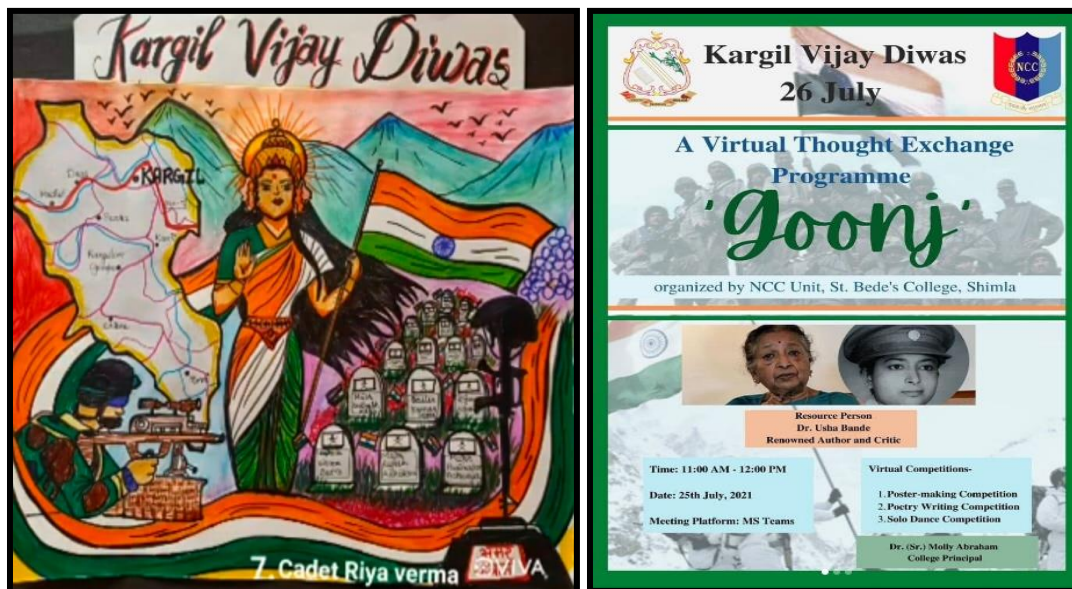
NCC Cadets performing Yoga Asanas on International Yoga Day on June 21, 2021

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Kargil Vijay Diwas

On July 25, 2021 a webinar was organized by the NCC unit, of St. Bede's College Shimla, on the occasion of the 22nd Kargil Vijay Diwas. To pay homage to our brave warriors, a virtual thought exchange programme was organised wherein Dr. Usha Bande, a renowned author and critic, was the resource person.



Celebration of Kargil Vijay Diwas on July 25, 2021

On July 26, 2021, a webinar was organised by the PHHP&C directorate under the chairmanship of ADG Maj Gen JS Sandhu. Cadet Maanika Sethi represented the Shimla group in the poetry recitation competition and stood first at the directorate level thereby winning a cash prize of Rs 3000.



News regarding student participation in Poetry Competition July 26 , 2021

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Hiroshima Day

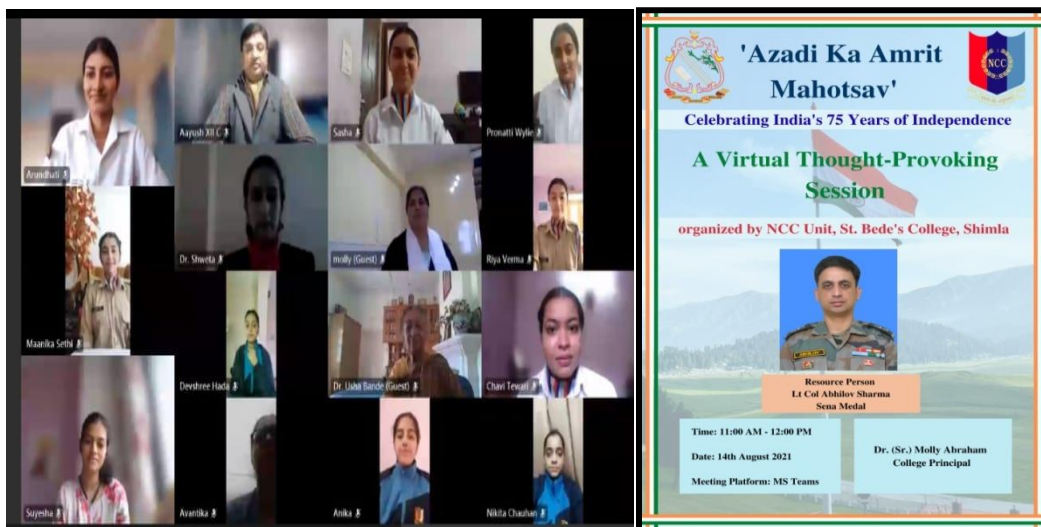
On August 6, 2021 "Miraasa", the heritage club of the history department organised online poster making and slogan writing competition to commemorate the 76th Hiroshima Day.



Poster Competition on the occasion of Hiroshima Day August 6, 2021

Independence Day Celebration

On August 14, 2021, a session was organized by the NCC unit of St. Bede's College, Shimla to celebrate 75 glorious years of India's Independence. It was a thought-provoking session under the theme, 'Azaadi ka Amrit Mahotsav', wherein the true meaning of Independence was highlighted. The resource person for the day was Lt Col Abhilov Sharma (SM).



Virtual Thought-Provoking Session to celebrate 75 glorious years of India's Independence on August 14, 2021

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On August 15, 2021 on the occasion of 75th Independence day a flag hoisting ceremony was held in the college premises.



Independence Day Celebration on August 15, 2021

Independence Day Celebration at Govt. Middle School, Theog in collaboration with St. Bede's College.

A few students of the Govt. Middle School Bagaghat, Theog were encouraged to have a small celebration on August 15, 2021, despite the school being closed due to the pandemic.

Two girls of the school performed a Natti and recited self-composed poems about India.



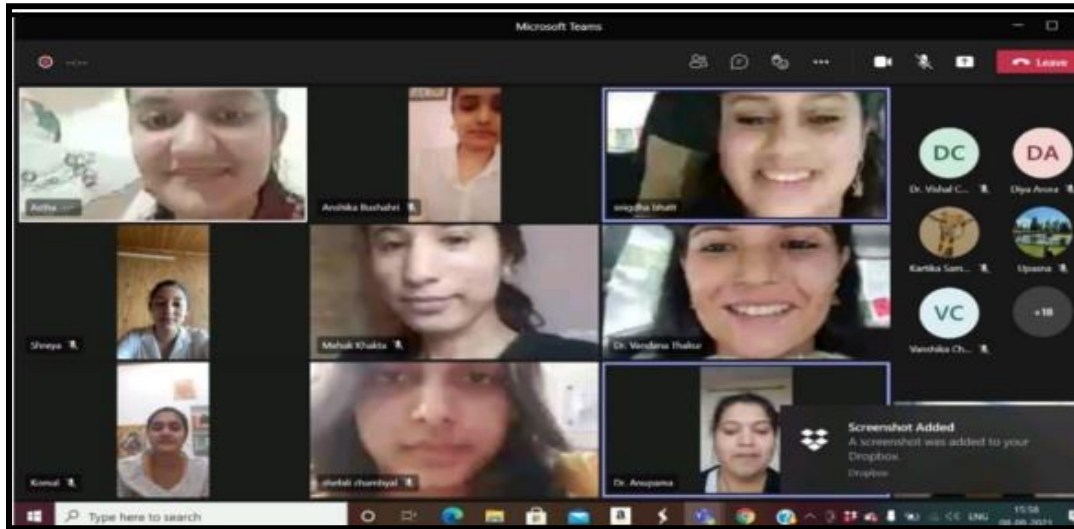
Independence Day Celebration at Govt. Middle School, Theog on August 15, 2021

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World Literacy Day

The Economics Department organized a Book Review Competition, on September 8, 2021 to celebrate the 'World Literacy Day', wherein the participants reviewed books of their liking.



Virtual Book Review Competition on September 8, 2021

Hindi Diwas

The Hindi department of ST. Bede's College celebrated Hindi Diwas on 14th of September, 2021. Several competitions such as story writing, slogan writing, and self-composed poem recitation were conducted in order to celebrate Hindi Diwas.



Celebration of Hindi Diwas on September 14, 2021

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Ozone Day

The department of geography celebrated World Ozone Day, which was held on September 16, 2021 under the theme, “Keep Cool and Carry On”. An inter-departmental quiz competition was also organized in the seminar hall in which students of the Geography and Botany departments participated.



Quiz Competition on the occasion of Ozone Day on September 16, 2021

World Rabies Day

Painting competition on World Rabies Day was organized by the Department of Microbiology on the theme “Colors of Virology” on September 28, 2021.



Poster Competition on World Rabies Day on September 28, 2021

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Gandhi Jayanti

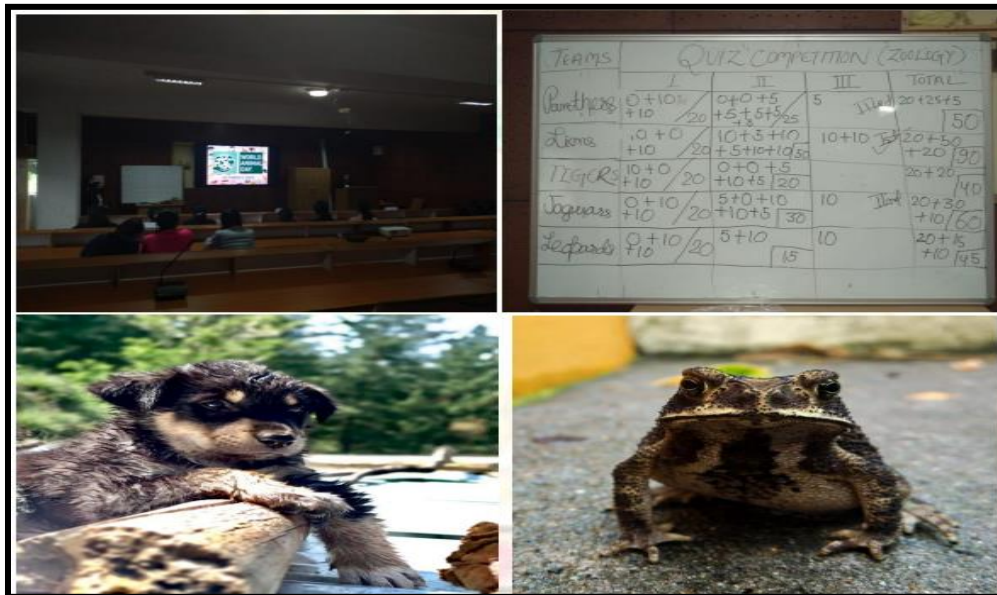
On 2nd October 2021 Gandhi Jayanti was celebrated to commemorate the birth anniversary of “Father of the Nation” Sri Mohandas Karamchand Gandhi. So, the NSS unit of St. Bede’s college celebrated the auspicious occasion of Gandhi Jayanti with splendour. A presentation was also given by Tanvi and Sneha on “Mahatma Gandhi’s life & achievements and his struggle for Indian Independence.



Gandhi Jayanti Celebration on October 2, 2021

World Animal Welfare Day 2021

On 4th October, 2021, the Department of Zoology organized inter-class photography and quiz competitions for the students of the Zoology Department.



Quiz and Photography Competition on World Animal Welfare Day on October 4, 2021

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World Mental Health Day Celebration

A short Nukkad Natak was organised to generate awareness and to sensitise students about mental health disorders on World Mental Health Day i.e., 10th October, 2022.



Nukkad Natak on Mental Health Disorders on October 10, 2021

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International Day of the Girl Child

The International Girl Child Day was celebrated by the NCC Cadets on 11th October, 2021 which was collaborated with the enrollment of fresh cadets from the batch of 2021 under the theme 'Women Empowerment' under the banner of 'Azaadi ka Amrut Mahotsav'.



International Day of Girl Child Celebration on October 11, 2021

To celebrate the 'International Day of the Girl Child', an Extempore Competition was organised on October 11, 2021, in collaboration with the Political Science Department, where students had to speak for nearly a minute, on the topics, that were released on the spot.



Celebration of International Day of Girl Child on October 11, 2021

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World Music Day

On October 12, 2021 the Department of Music, collaborated with the History Department to organize a singing competition as a part of “Azadi Ka Amrut Mahotsav” to celebrate World Music Day. The theme for the event was “Patriotic Songs”.



World Music Day Celebration on October 12, 2021

International Disaster Risk Reduction Day

On 13th October, 2021 the disaster management committee organized a “nukad nattak” and poster making competition on the theme “Disaster Risk Governance” in order to celebrate the International Disaster Risk Reduction Day.



International Disaster Risk Reduction Day on October 13, 2021

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World Food Day

The department of biotechnology in collaboration with department of botany and microbiology celebrated World Food Day on 21st October, 2021 with the theme 'Safe Food now for a healthy tomorrow. The guest speaker for the event was Prof. Nivedita Sharma from Dr. YS Parmar University of Horticulture & Forestry Nauni,



Celebration of World Food Day on October 21, 2021

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National Unity Day

On October 28, 2021 Miraasa: The Heritage club & the Cultural Society of St. Bede's College celebrated the National Unity Day with great zeal in the college auditorium to commemorate the birth anniversary of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel.



National Unity Day celebration on October 28, 2021

To commemorate the 146th birth anniversary of the great leader Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel, the NSS volunteers gathered in the auditorium for the celebrations where a presentation on “Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel” was given in which we were made aware about his role after liberating India and his achievements.



National Unity Day celebration on October 28, 2021

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The Department of History of St. Bede's College organised various activities in the college seminar room on October 29, 2021 to acknowledge Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel's invaluable contribution in the freedom struggle and unification of India. The event started with the students and teachers taking National Unity Day Pledge followed by the screening of the movie "Sardar".



National Unity Day celebration on October 28, 2021

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World Fisheries Day

Departmental Club of Zoology, ZOO QUEST, commemorated World Fisheries Day by holding three mass awareness programmes i.e a rally on the theme: “The Importance of Shimla's Rivers and Water Reservoirs and the Sustainable Development of the Fish Industry”, a discussion on the importance and the conservation of Shimla's river streams, namely Ashwani Khad Solan, Pabbar River Rohru, and the Tattapani water reservoir and an online awareness campaign in the form of a video representation. It was uploaded on Zoology Department YouTube channel “Everybody’s Zooing it” on November 21, 2021. The link for the video is <https://youtu.be/6MNU3jv7FUc>



Celebration of World Fisheries Day on November 21, 2021

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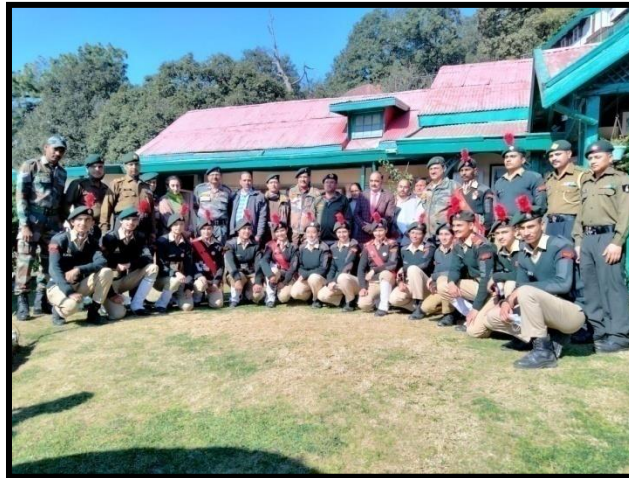


Celebration of World Fisheries Day on November 21, 2021



NCC Day Celebration

On 29th November, the NCC Day was celebrated at the Shimla group headquarters wherein a guard of honour was performed for the Group Commander, Brig Manoj Khandurie. Sgt Maanika Sethi, Sgt Ananya Singh and Cpt. Anoushka Moses got a chance to be a part of the celebration.



NCC Day Celebration on November 29, 2021

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World AIDS Day

On the occasion of the World Aids Day 2021, the Red Ribbon Club of St. Bede's College organized an awareness program. Peer educators of club Muskaan Sood, Anchal Singh and Aastha Raizada expanded awareness regarding HIV/AIDS. The theme for World AIDS Day 2021 was "End Inequalities, End AIDS". Club organized poster making and slogan writing competition



World AIDS Day Celebration on December 1, 2021

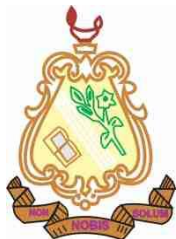
Indian Navy Day

On December 2, 2021 NCC Day and Indian Navy Day was celebrated at St. Bede's College, Shimla. A talk session was organized under the theme "Pollution: A hazard" on the National Pollution Prevention Day under the banner of Azadi ka Amrut Mahotsav. A poem was recited by Cpl Gati Singh and a Nukkad natak was performed by the cadets. The guest speaker for the same was Dr. Pawan Rana, Scientist-E at Himalayan Forest Research Institute, Shimla.



NCC Day Celebration on December 2, 2021

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National Pollution Prevention Day

National Pollution Prevention Day was commemorated by the Department of Zoology in collaboration with the NCC Unit at St. Bede's College on December 2, 2021. Dr. Pawan Rana (Himalayan Forest Research Institute Scientist - E), spoke on this occasion on the topic 'Insecticide Pollution'. This was followed by a presentation given by the Zoology students. Cpt, Gati Singh recited a self-composed poem. The NCC cadets presented a Nukkad Natak on the relevant theme.



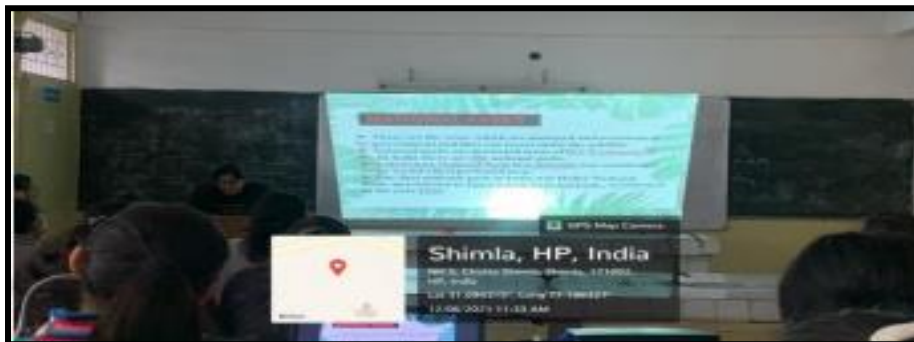
National Pollution Prevention day Celebration on December 2, 2021

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Wildlife Biodiversity Conservation Day Celebration

Wildlife Biodiversity Conservation Day was celebrated by the department of Botany on December 6, 2021. Student of M.Sc. Botany Semester I and III celebrated the day by showing their presentations on the Conservation of Biodiversity.



Wildlife Biodiversity Conservation Day Celebration on December 6, 2022

International Mountain Day (Antarrashtriya Paravat Divas)

On December 11, 2021; International Mountain Day was celebrated at Potter hills, Shimla (Western Himalayan Arboretum). The teachers and students of M.Sc. Botany, St. Bede’s College participated on the theme “Sustainable Mountain Tourism”. The students from the department of Biosciences Himachal Pradesh University also participated in the event. The main speaker was IAS Shrinivas Joshi who explicitly talked about the beautiful mountain ranges like Dhauladhar range, Shali peak, Chansal peak and Hatu peak.



Celebration of International Mountain Day; December 11, 2021

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Christmas Celebration in Adopted Village

On 22nd December, 2021 the NSS Unit celebrated Christmas at Dhanan village of Dhalli Panchayat. This village has been adopted by the college. The volunteers did a small Christmas skit through which, they conveyed the message of love, hope and peace. Gifts of blankets and ration packets were also distributed to 23 families of the village.



Christmas Day Celebration in Adopted Villages; December 22, 2021

National Mathematics Day

On the birth anniversary of Srinivasa Ramanujan Iyengar on December 22, 2021 the Department of Mathematics organized an online event to celebrate the National Mathematics Day. The event started with the AN introduction to Srinavasa Ramanujan followed by a presentation on HIS life history and 10 discoveries and achievements of Ramanujan.



Celebration of National Mathematics Day; December 22, 2021

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Indian Army Day

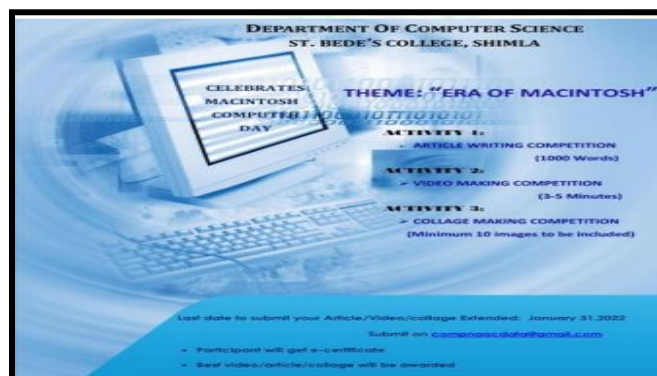
The NCC cadets from St. Bede's College, Shimla displayed an online show to spread their message on Indian Army Day. The Indian Army Day was celebrated on 15th January, 2022 under 'Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav.'



Indian Army Day Celebration; January 15, 2022

National Macintosh Day

National Macintosh Day was celebrated on January 23, 2022 by the department of computer science by organising various competitions like article writing, video making and collage making on the theme "Era of Macintosh".



National Macintosh Day Celebration; January 23, 2022

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Republic Day

B UO Rutuja Kulkarni attended the RDC 2022 at Delhi where she represented PHHP&C Directorate in the Best Cadet (SW Army) Competition. She was a part of PM Rally and briefed the defence minister and the DGNCC at the Hall of Fame.

LCpl Ayushi Panwar was a part of the State Republic Day Parade and was a part of the contingent that marched on the Mall Road, Shimla on the Republic Day.



Republic Day Celebration; January 26, 2022

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International Day of Women and Girls in Science

February 11 is celebrated every year as the **International Day of Women and Girls in Science**. To celebrate this occasion a team of three: two teachers and a student from St. Bede's College visited the **Himachal Doordarshan Studio** to host a talk show titled '**MANZIL - Employment Opportunities for Women in the Field of Science**'. The host of the show was Dr. Vandana Thakur, Assistant Professor from the department of English and the guest speakers were Dr. Sapna Sharma, Associate Professor, Department of Physics and Ms. Archana Malik, student of BSc. Honours Biotechnology.



Celebration of International Day of Women and Girls in Science; February 11, 2022

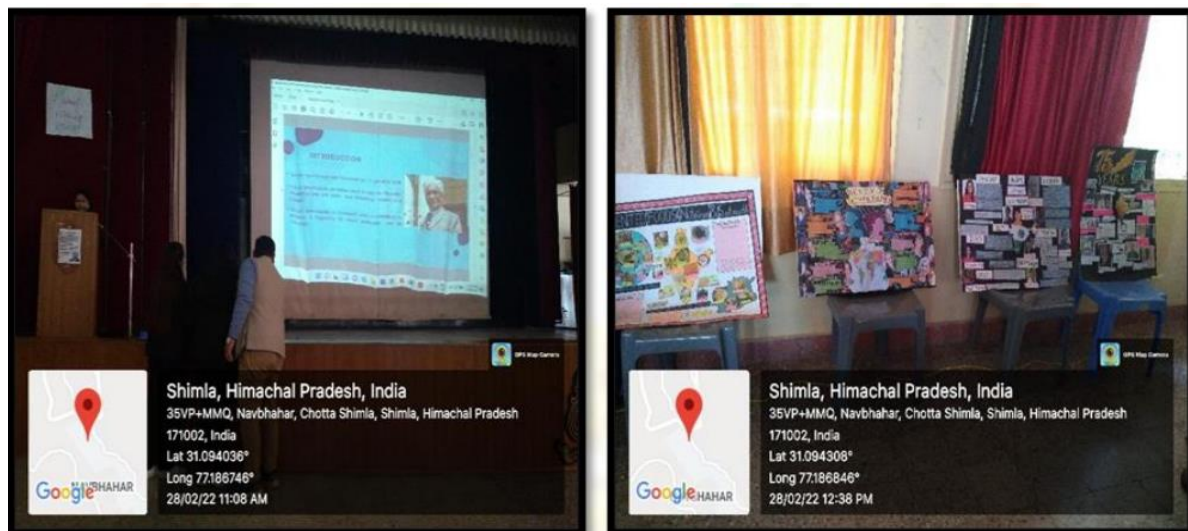
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National Science Day

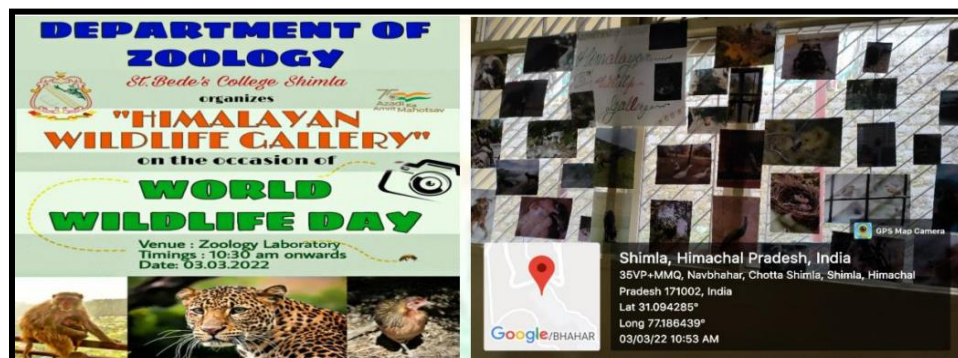
National Science Day was celebrated by the entire Science Department of St. Bede's College on February 28, 2022. The theme for the day was 'Integrated Approach in Science and Technology for a Sustainable Future'.



Celebration of National Science Day; February 28, 2022

World Wildlife Day

Department of Zoology commemorated World Wildlife Day by organising a wildlife photography competition and hosting a Himalayan Wildlife Gallery on March 3, 2022, to emphasize the importance of biodiversity and saving endangered species.



World Wildlife Day, Celebration; March 3, 2022

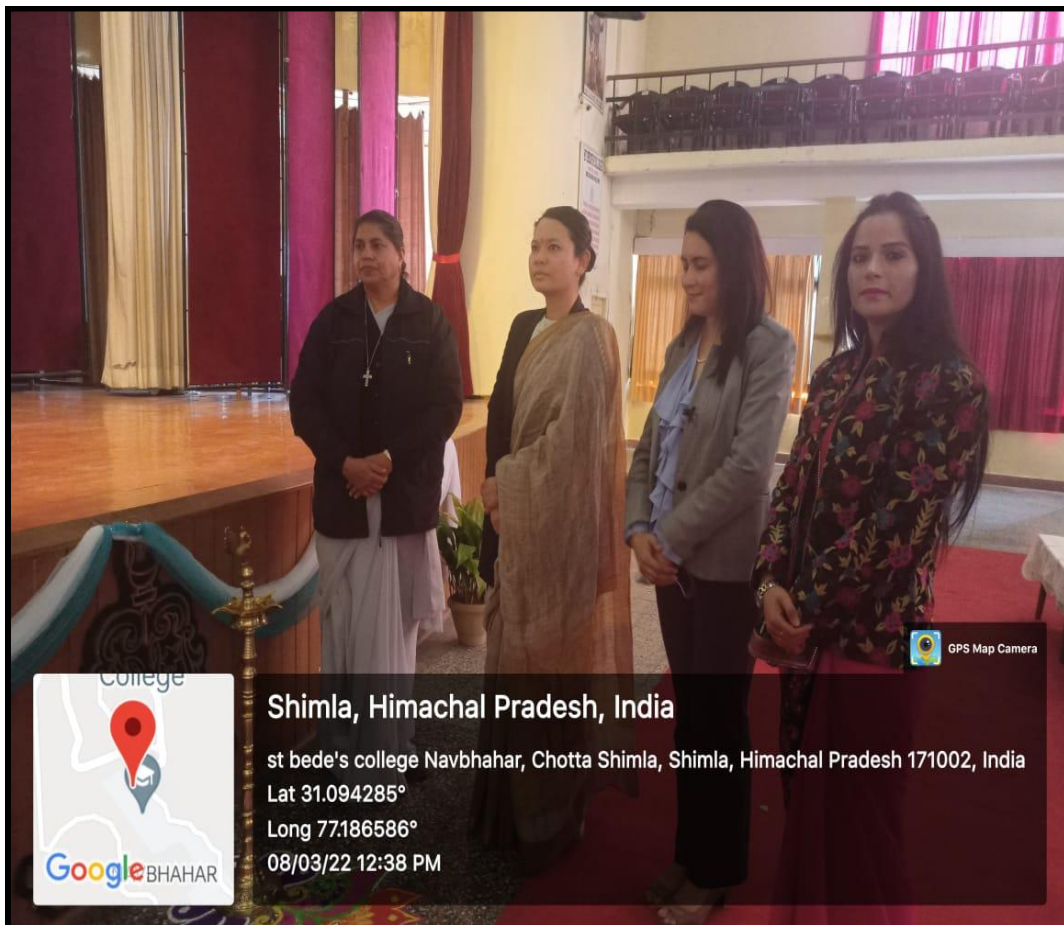
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International Women's Day

March 8, celebrated as **International Women's Day** is a global day celebrating the social, economic, cultural, and political achievements of women. To commemorate this special occasion, the Women Cell of St. Bede's College organized an event in accordance with the theme: 'Gender Equality Today for a Sustainable Tomorrow'.

Three eminent speakers had been invited to make the students aware of various topics that revolve in and around women: Dr. Monika Bhutunguru, S. P. Shimla, Dr. Puja Negi Rajta, Associate Professor, Department of Medical Physiology, IGMC, Shimla and Ms. Vandana Misra, Advocate, High Court Shimla.



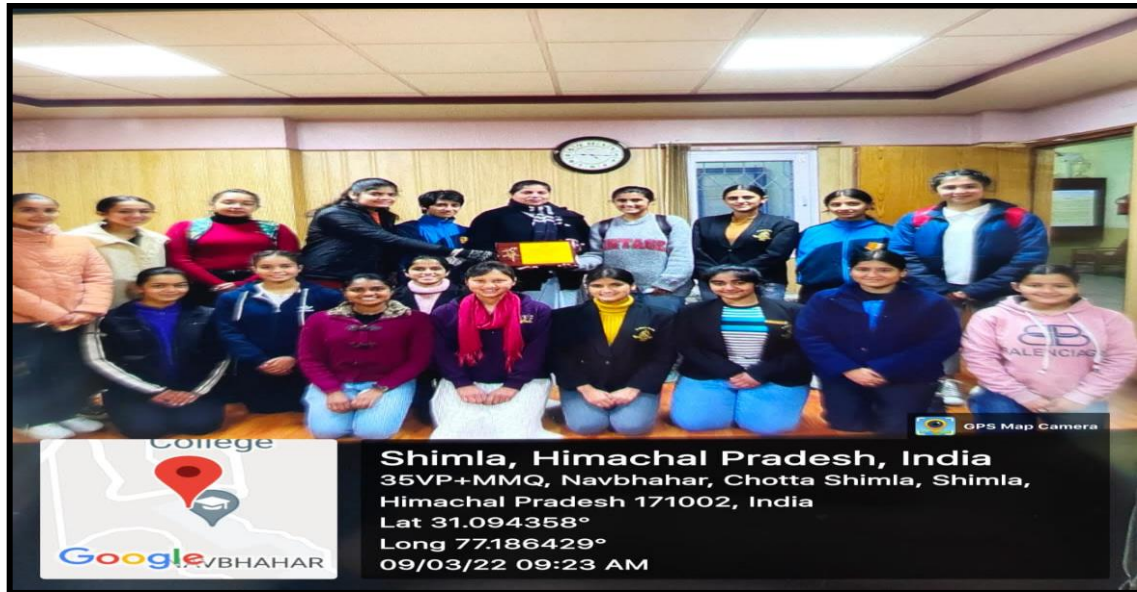
Celebration of International Women's Day; March 8, 2022

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On March 8, 2022, the 1st and 2nd year cadets were invited to perform a Nukkad Natak on the event of International Women's Day at GDC, Kotshera.

The cadets presented a Nukkad Natak under the title "Blood donation- DOs and DON'Ts" and were presented with a "Memento of Honour for Stage Performance".



International Women's Day, March 8, 2022

On the occasion of International Women's Day (March 8, 2022), red ribbon club of St. Bede's College participated in the state level function organized at Rajiv Gandhi Government Degree College Chaura Maidan (Kotshera) by the Department of Health and Family Welfare, District Shimla.



Celebration of International Women's Day; March 8, 2021

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NCC Unit Raising Day

The 2nd NCC Raising Day was celebrated on March 10, 2022 by the cadets. The chief guest for the same was Col DR Gargi, Commanding Officer 7HP (I) Coy, NCC Shimla.



NCC Unit Raising Day Celebration; March 10, 2022

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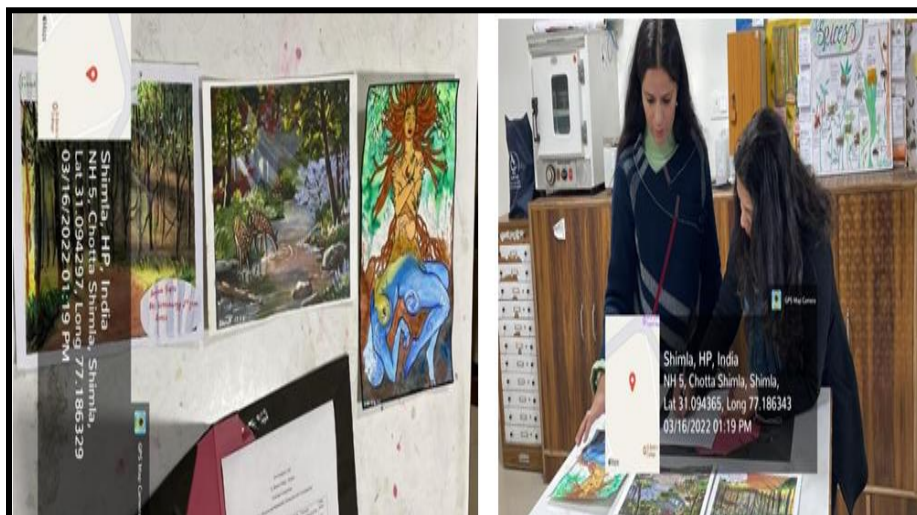
World Sparrow Day Celebration, 2022

Environment cell celebrated **World Sparrow Day** on 16th March by conducting a Photography Competition on the **Theme: “I Love Birds”**.



World Forestry Day Celebration

On the occasion of World Forestry Day, Environment Cell conducted a Painting Competition. Theme for the competition was **“Forests and Sustainable Production And Consumption”**. First position was bagged by Shreya Dubey (B.sc Med. 3rd Year) and Shruti Chauhan (B.sc Med. 3rd Year) was on second position.



World Forestry Day Celebration; March 16, 2022

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World Water Day Celebration

Environment Cell organized Slogan Writing Competition on the occasion of World Water Day. The theme of World Water Day, 2022, was “Groundwater: Making The Invisible Visible”.



Celebration of World Water Day; March 16, 2022

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