



HERITAGE CLUB ACTIVITIES 2022-23

HIROSHIMA DAY

On August 6, 2022, Miraasa, the heritage club of the Department of History at St. Bede's College, commemorated the 77th anniversary of Hiroshima Day.

Objective: The club organized an educational program with the objective of promoting peace politics against war and raising awareness among students about the tragic events that occurred in Hiroshima.

The program began with a PowerPoint presentation that provided historical context and detailed information about the bombings of Hiroshima. It highlighted the devastating impact of nuclear weapons and the need to work towards a world free of such destructive capabilities. The presentation also emphasized the responsibility held by nations possessing nuclear weapons in promoting peace and disarmament.

Following the presentation, a documentary was screened that further shed light on the aftermath of the bombings and the efforts made by survivors to advocate for peace. The documentary served as a powerful reminder of the human cost of war and the urgent need for peace-building initiatives.

Outcome: The program was designed to sensitize students and create awareness about the significance of promoting peaceful policies. It aimed to instil in them a sense of responsibility towards advocating for peace and working towards the prevention of similar tragedies in the future.





INTERNATIONAL YOUTH DAY

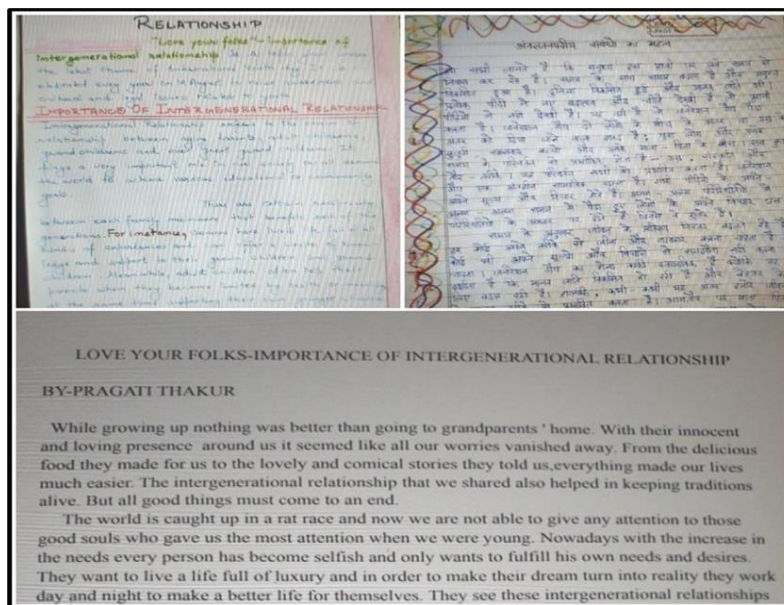
On August 12, 2022, in celebration of International Youth Day, Miraasa, the heritage club of St. Bede's College, organized an online Inter-College essay writing competition. The theme for the competition was "Love your folks - Importance of Intergenerational relationships."

Objective: The event aimed to highlight the significance of fostering strong bonds and mutual understanding between different generations.

Students from various colleges participated in the competition, showcasing their writing skills and perspectives on intergenerational relationships. The essays provided insights into the importance of respecting and cherishing the wisdom, experiences, and values passed down by older generations. The participants reflected upon the role that intergenerational relationships play in personal growth, cultural preservation, and social harmony.

Anjali Verma and Pragati Thakur from St. Bede's College secured the first position, showcasing their exceptional understanding and articulation of the theme. The second position was jointly awarded to Sunakshi from Govt. Degree College, Theog, and Nanshi Gupta from Govt. Degree College, Kandaghat, for their insightful and thought-provoking essays.

Outcome: The competition provided a platform for young minds to express their thoughts and engage in meaningful discussions about the significance of intergenerational relationships. It encouraged participants to reflect on the wisdom and guidance passed down by older generations and emphasized the value of maintaining strong connections between different age groups.





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Poster Making Competition (Theme-National Unity)



Run for Unity



HERITAGE WEEK

Miraasa, the heritage club of St. Bede's College, enthusiastically celebrated World Heritage Week from November 19 to 25, 2022.

Objective: The week-long celebration aimed to honor and promote the rich cultural heritage of our nation through a series of engaging activities.

The celebration began with the Heritage Pledge, where students and faculty members reaffirmed their commitment to preserving and promoting India's cultural heritage. This pledge served as a reminder of the importance of safeguarding our heritage for future generations.

A Heritage Walk was organized, taking participants on a journey through the college campus and nearby areas to explore and appreciate the architectural and historical aspects of the surroundings. This walk allowed participants to learn more about the heritage sites and their significance in the local context.

To showcase their artistic talents, students participated in a Painting Competition on the theme of Indian Folk Art. They created stunning artworks that celebrated the diversity and beauty of our traditional art forms. Tanuja Swain from BA III Psychology Hons. secured the first position, while Anjali Verma from BA III secured the second position in the competition.

A Heritage Quiz was conducted to test the participants' knowledge about various aspects of Indian heritage, including history, art, and architecture. This quiz served as an interactive and educational



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activity, allowing students to learn more about the heritage of their country.

In the Inter-College Photography Competition, participants were invited to capture the essence of either Natural Heritage or Built Heritage through their photographs. Mehak Khakta from BA III Economics Hons. emerged as the winner, showcasing her talent in capturing the beauty and significance of heritage sites through her photography.

Additionally, an Inter-College Essay Writing Competition was held, providing students with an opportunity to express their thoughts and insights on the importance of preserving and promoting our cultural heritage. Himanshi Sahini from BA III Psychology Hons. secured the first position, while Amrita Sharma from Govt. Degree College, Kandaghat secured the second position in the competition.

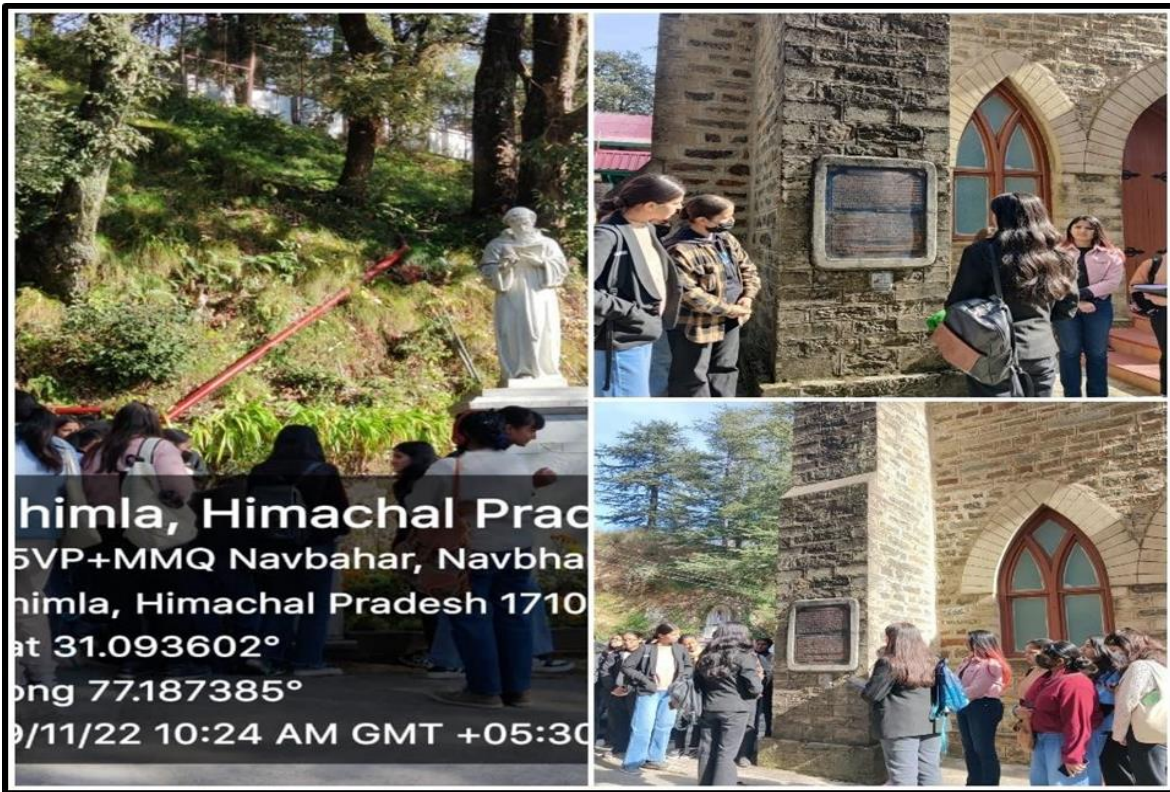
Outcome: The World Heritage Week celebration by Miraasa aimed to raise awareness about the importance of preserving our heritage and instill a sense of pride and appreciation for our cultural legacy. Through activities like the Heritage Walk, Painting Competition, Quiz, Photography Competition, and Essay Writing Competition, students actively engaged in learning and promoting our rich heritage.



Heritage Pledge



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Heritage Walk



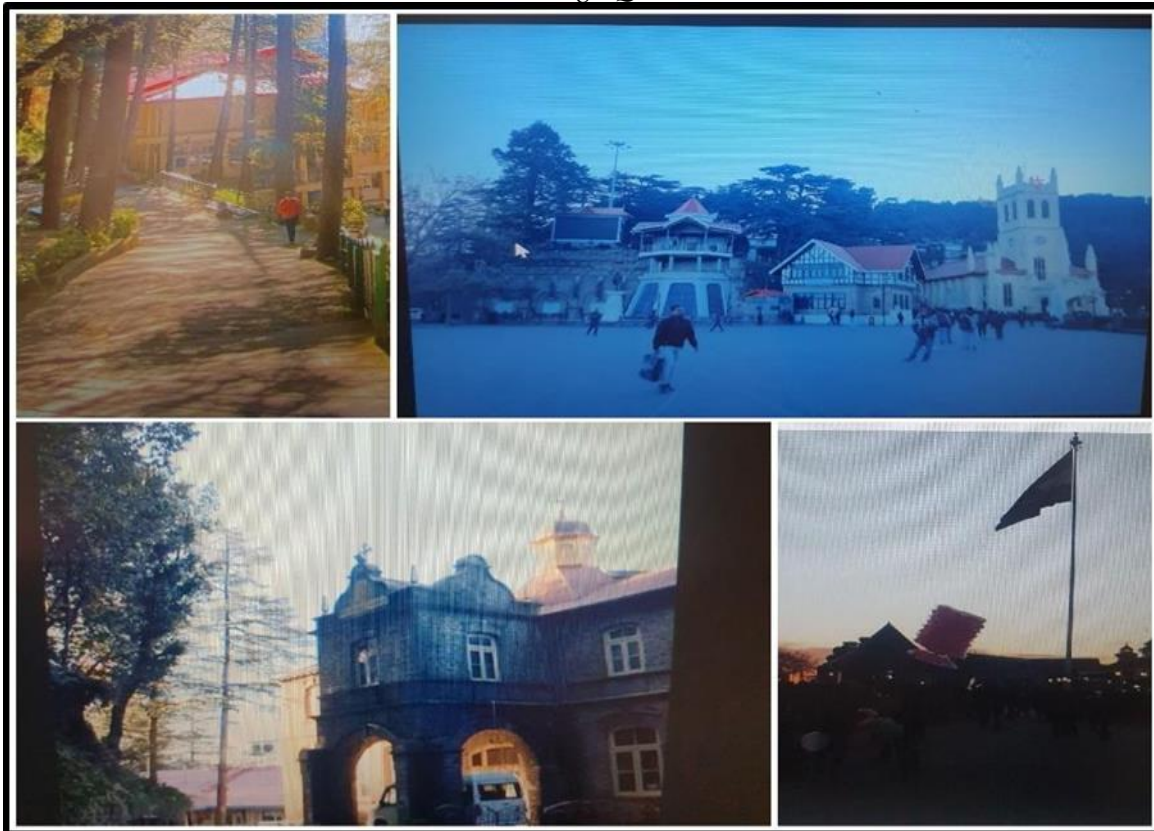
Painting Competition (Theme: Indian Folk Art)



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Heritage Quiz



Inter College Photography Competition (Theme: Natural Heritage or Built Heritage)