



Streams

Newsletter

ST. VINCENT COLLEGE

June – July 2023

New Divisions

The college received letter from Government of Maharashtra permitting college to have one more division in B Com and B A section. This will allow the college to give admission to many more students. We would like to appreciate the efforts taken by the Principal **Dr. Anil Adsule** and **Dr. Sunil Shete** under the guidance of **Dr. Fr. Kenneth Misquitta S.J.** our Director.

Workshop at Mumbai



Four of our faculty members attended a workshop on “Empower Yourself with Ignatian Spirituality” at Bandra Retreat House in Mumbai. **Dr. Sr. Mareena Brahmane, Dr. Vishal Bhaware, Dr. Junaid Shaikh** and **Mrs. Salma Shaikh** attended the workshop. They were enriched by the Ignatian Pedagogy in teaching and mentoring students as well as various hands-on training to enhance the life of students. The program was organized by the Jesuit Higher Education Association of South Asia (JHEASA) West Zone from **7 July to 9 July 2023**.

International Yoga Day

International Yoga Day was celebrated in the college on **21 June 2023**. Students had a short session on yoga conducted on the occasion of International Yoga Day for the Junior College students. STD XII actively participated in the program.



Be An Eco-Warrior



Prof. Yogesh Mate along with three students attended a workshop on “Becoming Discerning Organizations for Quality Service and Transformation” organized by **Jesuit Higher Education Association of South Asia (JHEASA)** in **Desur, Karnataka** from **12 to 14 July 2023**. Sessions on

Eco-Spirituality, Youth Guardian of Ecology, and other aspects of taking care of mother earth. There were field visits, interaction with villagers, group discussions and other group activities.



Threshold Examination and Training



The College conducted a threshold test for those who have taken admission to the college. The test focused on the ability and level of students on understanding and communication skills in English. After the test the students were divided into three groups depending on their skills and capabilities. A month-long training was given to the students in English reading, writing, speaking and listening skills. The training also concentrated on soft skills such as public speaking, confidence building, group discussion, etc. At the end of the training students put up a short cultural program



Orientation Program



A separate orientation program for STD XI and STD XII was organized as they started classes. STD XII orientation focused on the importance of serious studies and excelling in their board examination. The subject teachers explained the curriculum in detail and also discussed the pattern of evaluation for the Board Examination to be held at the end of the academic year.

Orientation ended for the STD XII with the selection and election process of Class representatives and other office bearers for the academic year.

Class XI orientation was started with the introductory talk by **Dr. Fr. Kenneth Misquitta S.J.** our Director emphasizing various aspects of a disciplined life and the importance of quality education and life enhancement. **Fr. Jesus Raja S.J.** explained the rules and regulations on the campus and how students need to take care of the campus while using its facilities. **Dr. Gilbi John** gave a session on career opportunities in commerce and how one can start his/her career planning while studying in junior college. He also directed students to various types of online free tests to help them understand their aptitude and interest area.



Shahu Maharaj Jayanti

The college celebrated **Shahu Maharaj Jayanti on 26 June**. Shahu Maharaj was one of the revolutionaries who introduced free education and fought against discrimination. He promoted equality and allowed all students irrespective of castes and class to learn the scriptures and Sanskrit. The College displayed books, photographs and other writings promoting equality among people. **Dr. Anil Adsule and Prof. Yogesh Mate** took the lead in arranging the celebration in a meaningful way. On this occasion Dr. Anil Adsule spoke on the contribution of Shahu Maharaj to society and his relevance for our current society. He urged everyone to treat everyone equally in all walks of life

Member of Board of Studies



It was a proud moment for the college to know that one of our faculty members **Dr. Franklin Salvi** has been appointed as the Member of Board of Studies in SPPU. He was felicitated by **Dr. Fr. Kenneth Misquitta S.J.** in the presence of Dr. Anil Adsule, the principal, Dr. Ashok Kamble, Dr. Mulla Shaikh, Dr Y Mithare and other staff members. Dr. Franklin will be in the board of studies of Business Law in the University.

Professional Examination and Career Progression

It was a proud moment for the college to hear the results of Chattered Accountancy Final. A few of our B Com and M Com students have successfully completed CA Finals. Some other students who are pursuing Professional Courses like Chattered Accountancy (ICAI), Company Secretary (ICSI), Cost Management Accounting (CMA), Association of Chattered Certified Accountants (ACCA) etc. have moved to the next level of professional career. These students are pursuing these professional courses along with their graduation and post-graduation studies. A few students came back to college and shared their joy of success with principal and staff. Management, Principal and staff are happy to hear of your success. Congratulations and best wishes for your future endeavors.



Relics of St. John Paul II



Relics of St. John Paul II was brought to college on **17 July 2023**. A short prayer, veneration and exposition of the Relics were organized at the Jesuit Residence Chapel. On this occasion, **Dr. Fr. Kenneth Misquitta S.J.** gave a brief history on canonization

process in the catholic church for saints. Dr. Gilbi John gave a short account on the life of St. John Paul II and told that Pope John Paul II visited Pune in the year 1986. He also reminded the students that the International Youth Day was started by him and two of our students are attending the International Youth Day in Portugal. **Sr. Della MMSS** in charge of Jesus Youth in Pune lead the prayer along with a few students. It was a great prayerful experience to see the part of cross St. John Paul II was holding during his life time. Sr. Della invited students to join for the youth program in Bangalore this year.

Research Publications

Our teachers are publishing their research works in various journals. **Dr. Anil Adsule** along with **Dr. Vishal Bhaware** published a research paper on "The Contribution of Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar to India's Federal Finance System." In Shodhak: A Journal of Historical Research, ISSN: 0302-9832.

Prof. Yogesh Mate has been in a team of research scholars for the library process. The team has applied for a Patent for their work. He will be soon adding to patented works in the field of Library Science

Jubilee Core Committee

Under the guidance of Director **Dr.Fr. Kenneth Misquitta S.J.** and Principal **Dr.Anil Adsule** the college has set up a committee for the Golden Jubilee Celebrations of the college. The committee consisted of **Dr. Gilbi John, Mr.Ignatius Peter, Mrs.Shaheen Sayed** a few ex-students, parents and current students. The committee decided to have the first meeting of ex-students and staff on 5 August 2023. The committee met on various occasion to plan for this meeting.

Young Researcher Award 2023



Dr. Vishal Bhaware our Economics teacher, has been awarded as the **Young Researcher 2023** by the **Ministry of MSME and the Corporate Affairs, Government of India New Delhi**. The award was given to him for his work on "Financing Elementary Education in Pre and Post Right to Education Period in India". He was felicitated by the Principal and staff for his great achievement. The work has been published by Indian Journal of Economic by University of Allahabad. Ref. (<http://www.indianjournalofeconomics.com/index.htm>)

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