

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

2017-18

In a recent write-up in a leading daily, it was reported that many parents in the country are now experimenting with “unschooling” or what would more conventionally be referred to as home-schooling. The need to do so clearly stemmed from an apprehension that the system would stifle the joy of learning. As major stakeholders in the educational process, one need not then shy away from the question that this begs: how can we put in place a model of education that is stimulating and not merely prescriptive? As a counterbalance to this report was another news item some days back, in the same newspaper, of a teacher who travels fifty kilometers through rather perilous terrain daily to teach a class of just one student in a remote village near Pune. I start with a reference to these two stories to stress the importance of introspection but also to reaffirm the potentially transformative and uplifting nature of the teaching-learning process. This spirit of positing complete faith in the meaningfulness of the exchange and yet renewing its relevance through constant improvisation and upgradation is our continuing attempt in Lakshmibai College. In envisioning a balance between adoption of new methodologies and the enrichment that follows from the empathic connectedness between student and teacher, the news story of the teacher and his lone student becomes a perfect exemplar. Interestingly, the story described the teacher’s battle against all odds but it also specifically highlighted his use of improvised gadgets in an area with no electricity to capture the attention of his sole charge. The benefits of technology are a resource that both learners and educators can and do tap. We have been working concertedly towards modernizing the library and in providing easy accessibility to students and teachers to the vast treasure - trove of online resources. It needs to be said however that what the students glean from there and how it enlivens their thinking process ultimately finds full fructification in classroom exchanges, discussions and presentations.

In the growth of the institution, the backbone is its infrastructure. This year college is on a run to enhance its infrastructural capacity for the students, faculty and non-faculty staffs. From the building of eight classrooms (Porta Cabins) with a spacious Toilet Block to the

development of Creche by renovating annex Block near Principal's Bungalow; executing electrical restructuring by laying new cables underground to constructing new sewer line in the campus; installing Solar Panel of 76.8W to the opening of Open Gym with MPLAD Fund along with the sanction for College Gate from MPLAD Fund are among the major developments. Apart from this, the foremost progresses for the year in infrastructure include fully furnished Waiting Shed near parking, construction of Admin Block (SPS), ground plus two Storey structure coming up behind Library, development of Outdoor Canteen Area with boundary and pavement, construction of boundary wall of the Sports Ground and a Toilet Block, construction of Open Stage and pavements for Cultural Programmes, aluminum partition in Courtyard area and at other places creating Medical Room, Girls Common Room and five other rooms to be used for different purposes, installation of RFID Entry Recording System at the Library Gate, whitewash of the College Building, aluminum Partition for the Library Acquisition Office Space, purchase of new furniture for the Classrooms, Girls Common Room and Library, construction work initiated to cover the Courtyard with transparent roof and installation of Rain Water Harvesting System.

Besides a model of education that is dynamic and self-renewing can only be possible through collaboration. In the past couple of years, this has materialized in the Departmental Festivals that have become a part of our academic calendar. And what is most unique about these events is that even as both teachers and students think out of the box to make these events a success, the lead in organizing them is taken by the students. The hands-on skilling that happens when students take the organizational reins in their hands is a goal we strive for, since these skills prepare our students for challenges ahead. In the way students not only fashion but also package and 'distribute' their products at the College Day or in efforts such as the 'Nutri Bite' events organized by the Food Technology Department, both the creative as well as entrepreneurial skills of the students are showcased. As an institution, we remain conscious that this ability to discern, to make independent choices and decisions and to lead from the front would prove invaluable to our girl-students in their future career trajectories. These micro-manifestations of a future decision-making ability are centrally related to our commitment to empowering our students. The name of the institution inspires

our efforts, encapsulating as it does the spirit of purpose and daring that we wish to instill in them.

The various societies in our college are another kind of performative platform for the students. Societies such as the Women's Development Cell play an important role in the idea of 'un-learning', that is, rejecting indoctrinated and regressive thought-patterns. This is achieved through seminars and panel discussions on gender politics but equally through creative and experimental forum such as plays put up by the students. What is also worth a mention is how the work of separate committees often finds a meeting point. 'Navrang', our Dramatics Society, reinforces the same idea of protest against social inequity through innovatively designed performances. Recently, in fact, sounds of robust and bold self-expression rang through the college as an inter-college Nukkad Natak competition was held in the lawns of the institution. This is in sync with our efforts to move the teaching-learning process out of the classroom and to tap to the full other critical and incisive forms of expression. The fact that the work of one society coalesces with and reinforces that of another promotes cohesive learning within the institution. With this motive, the student Union of the college made an attempt by inviting Varun Dhawan in the college premises to promote his film October in the month of April.

As I move into highlighting the major achievements of our institution over the past year, I would like to round off with a quote from an exceptional individual the world recently lost -Stephen Hawking : "I am just a child who has never grown up. I still keep asking these 'how' and 'why' questions. Occasionally, I find an answer." The genesis of education lies in that spirit of interrogation. It is in giving space and credence to the range of questions that course through young minds that we as educators avoid the pitfalls of systematization. These unquantifiables are as much a measure of our success as the milestones I am about to enumerate. Furthermore, the year was an eventful one. The arrival of Varun Dhawan in the college premises in the month of April to promote October organized by Student's Union (the event was covered by leading newspapers) was such an event.

ADMISSIONS AND RESULTS

The college has duly admitted a large number of students to various courses this year. The breakup is as follows:

Courses	Number of admissions
B.A. (Prog)	1466
B.B.E.	82
B.Com. (Prog)	518
B.Com. (Hons.)	238
B.A. (Hons)	1384
M.A.	97

The college has done consistently well and the results are more than satisfactory. Third year students did remarkably well. 100 percent of the students passed in Final Year B.Sc Maths (Hons); 98.1 percent students passed in B. Com (Hons) and 96.8 percent of the students passed B.A. English (Hons); 94.4 percent students passed B. Com (Prog) and 94.8 percent students passed B.A. (Prog); more than 90 percent of the students have passed in various courses. There have been 266 First Divisions in B.A. (Prog), 162 in B. Com (Prog), 98 in B.Sc. Math (Hons) and 93 in B.Com (Hons) in the final year.

Second Year students have also done exceptionally well in this academic year. There have been 212 First Divisions in Second year B.A. Prog., 100 First Divisions in Second year B. Com (Prog) and 90 First Divisions in Second year B. Com (Hons). 100 percent of the students passed in Maths (Hons), BBE, Sanskrit (Hons) and B.Com (Hons); more than 95 percent students passed in various courses. Students of different courses have done us proud by scoring high marks in their respective courses.

The first year results are promising as well and we can say that the future is bright. There have been 255 First Divisions in B.A. (Prog) and 103 First Divisions in B. Com (Prog). More than 85 percent of the students passed in B. Com (H), Hindi (H), Sanskrit (H), Economics (H), B. Sc Maths (H), Political Science (H), English (H), and Philosophy (H).

NON-ACADEMIC STAFF

Nearly all members of the Non-Academic Staff participated in a Two days Workshop on “Team Building and Building Trust in Relationships” organized by IQAC and AEPIC and conducted by Mr. Digvijay Rapoot, Master Skill Trainer, Centum Learning at Lakshmibai College, University of Delhi, March 26-27, 2018.

ACADEMIC STAFF

After years of dedicated service Dr. Sneha Arora from Hindi Department retired this year. We thank her for the services she provided to the college. Thirty members of the teaching faculty participated in a Two days Workshop on “Team Building” organized by IQAC and AEPIC and conducted by Mr. Digvijay Rajpoot, Master Skill Trainer, Centum Learning at Lakshmibai College, March 22-23, 2018.

Teachers who completed PhD

Name of the Teacher	Department
Dr. Anshu Singh Jharwal	Hindi (Submission Date : 30/01/2018)
Dr. Ruchi Mundeja	English
Dr. Noopur Sonee	Home Science (ADC)

Teachers who attended Orientation Programmes

Name of the Teacher	Department	From	To
Ms. Amita Malhotra	Commerce	23.05.2017	19.06.2017
Dr. Talat Sultana	Mathematics	23.05.2017	19.06.2017
Dr. Rammathot Khongelwo	History	31.05.2017	28.06.2017

Teachers who attended Refresher Courses

Name of the Teacher	Department	From	To
Dr. Anju Dahiya	English	28.11.2017	19.12.2017

Teachers who attended Faculty Development / Teaching Methods Workshops

Name of the Teacher	Department	From	To
Dr. Bhupendra Pratap Singh	Environmental Studies	12.03.2018	16.03.2018
Ms. Laxmi	Mathematics	02.07.2017	16.07.2017
Dr. Ranjit Kaur	Hindi	20.11.2017	21.11.2017
Ms. Neha Mathur	Economics	20.11.2017	21.11.2017
Dr. Ranjit Kaur	Hindi	14.03.2018	15.03.2018
Dr. Lata Sharma	Commerce	22.03.2018	23.03.2018

Dr. Alka Harneja	Commerce	22.03.2018	23.03.2018
Dr. Sangita Sharma	Political Science	22.03.2018	23.03.2018
Ms. Ritu Suri	Economics	22.03.2018	23.03.2018
Dr. Anju Dahiya	English	22.03.2018	23.03.2018
Dr. Sabrina Sareen	Home Science	22.03.2018	23.03.2018
Ms. Pramila	Hindi	22.03.2018	23.03.2018
Dr. Rekha Kaul	Political Science	22.03.2018	23.03.2018
Mr. Arun Kumar	Hindi	22.03.2018	23.03.2018
Mr. Ravinder Kumar	Hindi	22.03.2018	23.03.2018
Dr. Meera Sharma	Sanskrit	22.03.2018	23.03.2018
Dr. Divyarchana	Political Science	22.03.2018	23.03.2018
Dr. Sucheta Chaturvedi	English	22.03.2018	23.03.2018
Dr. Anita Malhotra	Home Science	22.03.2018	23.03.2018
Ms. Hemlata	Commerce	22.03.2018	23.03.2018
Dr. Shweta Singh	English	22.03.2018	23.03.2018

Mr. Manish Chandra Shukla	Hindi	22.03.2018	23.03.2018
Mr. Awdesk Kumar	Sanskrit	22.03.2018	23.03.2018
Ms. Meenu Shankar	Home Science	22.03.2018	23.03.2018
Ms. Neha Kashyap	Commerce	22.03.2018	23.03.2018
Dr. Mekhala Chakna	History	22.03.2018	23.03.2018
Dr. Amrita Shilpi	Political Science	22.03.2018	23.03.2018
Dr. T. K. Janki	Commerce	22.03.2018	23.03.2018
Ms. Neha Nainwal	Commerce	22.03.2018	23.03.2018
Ms. Neelu	Commerce	22.03.2018	23.03.2018
Dr. Sunita Arora	Physical Education	22.03.2018	23.03.2018
Dr. Seema Sharma	Physical Education	22.03.2018	23.03.2018
Dr. Amita Mishra	Hindi	22.03.2018	23.03.2018
Dr. Bharti Chibber	Political Science	22.03.2018	23.03.2018

Teachers who attended One Day Faculty Development / Teaching Methods Workshops

Name of the Teacher	Department	Date
Mr. Ratnakar Kumar	English	11.04.2017
Ms. Pracheta Bakshi	English	12.04.2017
Mr. Dharmendra Singh	English	12.04.2017
Ms. Gunjan Khanna	Commerce	04.10.2017
Mr. Ratnakar Kumar	English	16.10.2017
Mr. Krishan Kant	Commerce	04.10.2017
Mr. Mohammad Shamim Ahmad Ansari	Commerce	5.10.2017
Mr. Mohammad Shamim Ahmad Ansari	Commerce	6.10.2017
Ms. Gunjan Khanna	Commerce	21.01.2018
Ms. Gunjan Khanna	Commerce	17.03.2018

Teachers on Study/ Sabbatical Leave

Name of the Teacher	Department	From	To
Ms. W. Themmichon Ramson	Political Science	25.01.2018	24.01.2019

Ms. A Porchelvi	Commerce	25.01.2018	24.01.2019
Ms. Deeba Zafir	English	09.01.2018	08.01.2019

Teachers on Extra Ordinary Leave

Name of the Teacher	Department	From	To
Ms. Ankita Bhata	Commerce	05.01.2017	04.01.2018
Ms. Juhi Singh	Political Science	01.08.2017	31.07.2018

FACULTY ACHIEVEMENTS

<p>Dr. Pratyush Vatsala PRINCIPAL</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presented a paper ‘Security as Human Value: Issue of Human Security in Indian Subcontinental Operations’ at 19th International Conference on Human Rights and Human Security held at Paris, France, 25-26 June, 2017. • Received Best Managed Campus Award 2017, by International Association of Educators for World Peace (affiliated to UN), at 38th World Management Congress, held at India International Centre, New Delhi, December 21-22, 2017. • Nominated as Member Principal, Faculty of Social Sciences, University of Delhi. • Member of Core Committee for Central Screening of Principals and Assistant Professors, University of Delhi. • Member of Committee for Student Attendance Monitoring System, University of Delhi.
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Keynote Speaker, Conference on ‘Cashless and Mobile Higher Education’ powered by TCOE, Govt of India, 15 Sep, 2017. • Chief Guest and Speaker at a Seminar on ‘Bhartiya Sanskriti and Yuva Chintan’ organized by PGDAV College, 14 March 2018. • Presented a paper "Vidushi Maitreyi se Vishwasundari Manushi tak Stri: Adhunikta aur Chunauiyan" at a Seminar on ‘Stri Shakti- Bhartiya Thought and Practice’ organized by Group of Intellectuals and Academicians on 28th Jan 2018 • Delivered a talk on “Mahavidyalaya Vishvavidyalaya Mein Sanskrit Shikshan Ki Stithi’ at the National Sanskrit Convention organized by Delhi Sanskrit Academy. 26 Mar 2018. • Featured on TV in Tejasvini programme of DD with Padgirls of the college, 18 Feb 2018. • Convener for ‘Nav Swar- Rashtriya Yuva Kavi Sammelan’ organized at Lakshmibai College in collaboration with Hindi Academy, 27 Feb 2018. • Panelist at ‘Women for Science and Science for Women’ on International Women’s Day at JNU, 8 Mar 2018. • Coordinator for three online short-term courses for Lakshmibai College Students. Career Preparation and Networking, Communication and Personality Development and Soft Skills • Participated in CII – Niti Aayog Conference on Jobs & Livelihood Creation – Critical Growth Enablers on Feb 09, 2018.
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Participated in “The Economic Times Education Leadership Summit, 2017”, organized by ET Edge Economic Times, at New Delhi, December 13, 2017.
<p>Dr. Rekha Kaul</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • As CSR Convener, organized two free health check-up camps for students, teaching faculty, non-teaching staff as well as the neighborhood community women on November 1st and 2nd 2017 in collaboration with Rajiv Gandhi Cancer Institute, Artemis Hospital and Help 3, and on 8th March 2018 on International Women’s day in partnership with Vijnana Bharti and Max Super Specialty Hospital. • Organized a talk on Women Health and Hygiene by Padma Shree Mr. Santosh Yadav on 7th April, 2017 as CSR activity. • As convener of Peace Forum, organized a Peace Seminar in college on 26th April 2017 in collaboration with HWPL South Korea. • Chaired a session of the National Seminar on “Media, Mahila aur Nyay” on November 15 2017 organized by the Department of Hindi. • As convener of AEPIC, organized an orientation lecture in college on Add On Courses with eminent training partners on 20th July 2017. • Participated in the Review Committee Meetings for new Honors Courses in Psychology and Sociology. • Arranged the workshop on Entrepreneurship Awareness organized by NIESBUD (Ministry of Skill Development, Government of India) for our students from 16th to 19th March 2018.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Organized as AEPIC Coordinator (along with IQAC Coordinator) and Participated in Two Days Workshop for faculty members on “Team Building” organized by IQAC, Lakshmibai College, University of Delhi, March 22-23, 2018.
<p>Dr. Lata Sharma</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Co-authored a Paper on, “Design and Development of Solar Autoclave”, published in Indian Journal of Science and Technology, Vol 10, Issue 21, DOI:10.17485/ijst/2017/v10i21/114491, June 2017, ISSN (Print) : 0974-6846, ISSN (Online) : 0974-5645, pp. 1-6. • Co-authored a Paper on, “Solar Autoclave”, published in Global Multidisciplinary (International Refereed Research Journal), Vol 9, Issue 10 October, 2017, ISSN: 2249 – 2054, Impact Factor: 3.578, pp. 172-183. • Co-presented a Paper on, “Solar Autoclave” at 6th International Conference on Sustainable Development of the Society: Current Trends and Future Outlook, organized by Swami Shradhanand College, University of Delhi, in association with South Asia Management Association and Jabalpur Association, August 26-28, 2017. Abstract published in the conference proceedings. • Co-presented a Paper on, “Contribution of Indian Companies in Sports Promotion Through CSR” at International Conference on Issues & New Ideas in Sports Management, organized by Lakshmibai National Institute of Physical Education, Gwalior (M.P.), at Vigyan Bhawan, Delhi, March 8-10, 2018. • Co-presented a Paper on, “Corporate Social Responsibility: A New Perspective Towards Inclusive

	<p>Development” at 10th International Conference on Strategies for Promoting Inclusive Development (IC-SPID-2018) organized by Dr. Bhim Rao Ambedkar College University of Delhi, India in Association with South Asia Management Association March 17-18, 2018.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Participated in 1st National Achievers Conclave and Awards March 2017, at New Delhi. • Participated in UGC Sponsored National Seminar on Media, Mahila aur Nyay, organized by Lakshmibai College, University of Delhi, November 14-15, 2017. • Participated in “The Economic Times Education Leadership Summit, 2017”, organized by ET Edge Economic Times, at New Delhi, December 13, 2017. • Participated in 38th World Management Congress, organized by International Association of Educators for World Peace (affiliated to UN), December 21-22, 2017, New Delhi. • Worked as Member, Organizing Committee, for UGC Sponsored National Seminar on Media, Mahila aur Nyay, organized by Lakshmibai College, University of Delhi, November 14-15, 2017. • Organized as IQAC Coordinator (along with AEPIC Coordinator) and Participated in Two Days Workshop for faculty members on “Team Building” organized by IQAC, Lakshmibai College, University of Delhi, March 22-23, 2018. • Organized as IQAC Coordinator in Two Days Workshop for Non-Teaching Staff on “Team Building and Building Trust in Relationships” organized by
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	<p>IQAC, Lakshmibai College, University of Delhi, March 26-27, 2018.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Awarded Team LBC award 2017, from Lakshmibai College, University of Delhi. • Faculty nominee for Best Managed Campus Award 2017, by International Association of Educators for World Peace (affiliated to UN), at 38th World Management Congress, held at India International Centre, New Delhi, December 21-22, 2017.
<p>Dr. Alka Harneja</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Published a Paper titled Life Insurance Needs of Indian Women, in “FINANZA The Rupee Matters”, Finance Newsletter Volume:I;Issue:1(Jan18-June18) Published By Institute Of Management & Research, Bharati Vidyapeeth Deemed University, New Delhi. pp 13-14. • Published an e- research paper titled Online Life Insurance: Buyers’ Perception in UGC Approved International Journal of Research and Analytical Reviews [Volume 5 I Issue 1 I Jan. – March 2018] e ISSN 2348 –1269, Print ISSN 2349-5138 http://ijrar.com/ Cosmos Impact Factor 4.236 • Co-presented a Paper on ‘Upliftment Of Indian Sports Through Corporate Social Responsibility’, at International Conference on Issues & New Idea in Sports Management, Organized by Department of Sports Management and Coaching, LNIPE, Gwalior (M.P.) (08 – 10 March, 2018). • Co-presented a Paper on ‘Corporate Social Responsibility: A New Perspective Towards Inclusive Development’ in 10th International Conference On Strategies for Promoting Inclusive Development (IC-

	<p>SPID-2018) 17-18 March 2018 Organised by Dr. Bhim Rao Ambedkar College University of Delhi, India in Association with South Asia Management Association and Jabalpur Management Association. Abstract published in the conference proceedings.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Participated in 1st National Achievers Conclave and Awards March 2017 at New Delhi.• Organized as Co-convener CSR Initiative a talk on Women Hygiene and Health by Padmashree Ms.Santosh Yadav on 7th April 2017.• Organized as Co-convener Peace Forum a Peace seminar in India for the Implementation of International Law the Cessation of War and achievement of World Peace in collaboration with HWPL South Korea on 26th April 2017.• Organized as Co-convener CSR Initiative A Two Day Free Health Checkup Camp for college students, teachers, non-teaching staff and neighboring citizens, in the college premises. Artemis and Rajiv Gandhi Cancer Institute and Help 3. 1-2 November 2017.• Organized a special lecture on cancer awareness by oncologist from Rajiv Gandhi Cancer Institute and Research Center on 1st November 2017.• Participated in Two days UGC Sponsored National Seminar Media, Mahila and Nyay organised by Hindi Department, Lakshmibai College, University of Delhi, 14-15 November 2017.• Worked as Member, Organizing Committee, Two-day UGC Sponsored National Seminar Media, Mahila and
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<p>Dr. Anita Malhotra</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Co-authored a paper ‘Development and Validation of Health Education Tools and Evaluation Questionnaires for Improving Patient care in Lifestyle Related Diseases’. Journal of Clinical and Diagnostic Research 2017, 11(5): 6-9. (UGC Approved)

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Co-authored a paper ‘Non Alcoholic Fatty Liver Disease: Problems in Perception and Solution’. Journal of Clinical and Diagnostic Research 2018, 12(1): 1-5. • Co-presented a research paper ‘Intake of gluten in Indian patients with celiac disease and their first-degree relatives: a pilot study’. 17th International Celiac Disease Symposium. Delhi Sep 8-10, 2017. • Delivered a talk as invited faculty on ‘Packaged foods: decoding information for the patients’ for the ‘Workshop for Nutritionists’ at 17th International Celiac Disease Symposium. Delhi Sep 9-10, 2017. • Peer reviewed two research papers for a Wiley journal • Coordinator for Central Screening Committee for Philosophy, University of Delhi, July 2017. • As a reviewer, attended a Workshop to review the modules for MOOC on “Food and Nutrition for Healthy Living”, NCERT, 10-13 Feb 2018. • As co-convener of AEPIC, organized an orientation lecture in college on Add On Courses with eminent training partners on 20th July 2017. • Participated, as co-convener of AEPIC, in the Review Committee Meetings for introducing new Honors Courses in Psychology and Sociology in the college. • Arranged a two-day workshop on Entrepreneurship Awareness organized by NIESBUD (Ministry of Skill Development, Government of India) for our students from 16th to 19th March 2018. • Organized and Participated as AEPIC co-convener in Two Days Workshop for faculty members on “Team Building”, Lakshmibai College, March 22-23, 2018.
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Organized and participated in a one-day ‘Faculty Workshop on Teaching and Evaluation for BA (Prog) Food Technology (CBCS)’ 11 Sep 2017.• Coordinator (with Dr Gayatri) for Add-on course ‘Mutual Fund Agent’ in joint collaboration with National Skill Development Corporation (NSDC), 2017.• Organizing Secretary for a National Seminar ‘Change the future of Migration- Investment in Food Security and rural development’ organized by AFST(I) Delhi on World Food Day- 16th Oct, 2017.• Organizing Secretary for a National Conference on ‘Food Safety, Nutritional security and Sustainability’ organized by AFSTI Delhi chapter in association with Amity University, 12 September 2017.• Worked as Co-convener of Academic and Extra-curricular Planning and Implementation Committee (AEPIC), planned and rolled out new Add-on courses in the college• Worked as Editor-in-chief and published Diet Byte (Theme: Probiotics), the E-newsletter of Indian Dietetics Association, Delhi chapter as Editor in Chief, September 2017.• Participated in 12th CII Food Safety: Quality and Regulatory Summit held in New Delhi, 5th Dec 2017.• Participated in World Food India, organized by Ministry of Food Processing Industries Nov 4-5 2017.• Participated in a one-day ‘Faculty Workshop on Teaching and Evaluation for BA (Prog) Food Technology (CBCS)’ at SPM College Jan 2018.
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Participated in Stakeholder Consultation Session on “Integrated Food Safety Culture for the Health Supplements and Nutraceuticals Sector” organized by Confederation of Indian Industry and International Alliance of Dietary/Food Supplement Associations. 26 July, 2017. • Participated in a Public Lecture by Prof. Mark Tamplin (Centre Leader, Food Safety Centre, Australia) on ‘Integrated Predictive Models and Sensors in Food Supply Chains to Enhance Food Safety’ organized by FSSAI in partnership with CII-HUL Initiative on Food Safety Sciences (CHIFSS)_23rd June, 2017. • Participated in CII – Niti Aayog Conference on Jobs & Livelihood Creation – Critical Growth Enablers on Feb 09, 2018. • Participated in ‘The Economic Times Education Leadership Summit, 2017, organized by ET Edge Economic Times, at New Delhi, 13th Dec, 2017.
<p>Dr. Sucheta Chaturvedi</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Authored a book <i>Representing Violence Against Women in Post Colonial Indian Writing</i> published by LAP (ISBN 978-3-330-33140-2). • Coordinator for Central Screening Committee for Department of English, University of Delhi, July 2017.
<p>Dr. Ruchi Mundeja</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Member of Central Screening Committee for Department of English, University of Delhi, July 2017.
<p>Ms. Deeba Zafir</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Translated <i>My Childhood on Shoulders</i> published by Oxford, 2018.

<p>Dr. Isha Chawla</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Received Exim Bank International Economic Research Annual (IERA) Award 2016 at the Award Function held at India Habitat Centre, New Delhi, on August 02, 2017. An Occasional Paper, and a Research Brief on the Award winning Thesis were brought out by EXIM Bank. • Delivered a talk on “Outward FDI Flows” at the Mid-Career Training Programme for Indian Foreign Service officers, at the Foreign Service Institute, Ministry of External Affairs, New Delhi, on August 30, 2017. • Attended a paper presentation on “Trade Liberalisation and Productivity of Indian Manufacturing Firms“ (as co-author with Prof. Bishwanath Goldar), at the IARIW-ICRIER Conference, held at India Habitat Centre, New Delhi, on November 24, 2017. • Participated in a workshop on “India’s Recent Inward FDI Experience: Perceptions and Possibilities”, organized by Institute for Studies in Industrial Development, New Delhi, on January 12, 2018. • Presented a paper on “FDI and Exports”, (co-author, Prof. Bishwanath Goldar) at the seminar on ‘FDI: Issues and Policy’, organized by Forum for Global Knowledge Sharing, hosted by the Centre for Policy Studies, IIT Bombay, Mumbai on February 24, 2018.
<p>Dr. Ranjit Kaur</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Attended two Days FDP at Hansraj college from 20-21 nov 2017, title “CBCS Pathyakram me Hindi Shikshan ke Naveen Aayam aur Ahyayan-Adhyapan ki Chunautiyan”

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Attended two Days UGC Sponsored National Seminar organized at Lakshmibai college on 14-15 nov.2017,title “Media, Mahila aur Nyay” • Attended three days Workshop organized be CPDHE, UGC title “Language and Literature from date 13-15 March 2017.
<p>Lt. (Dr.) Seema Sharma (Kaushik)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Attended UGC Sponsored Refresher Course on e-learning and digital learning (id) held at CPDHE, Delhi from September 5 to 25, 2017. • Attended NCC-special national integration camp (snic) held at Peddapuram, Kakinada (a.p.) from Oct. 05 to 16, 2017. • Presented paper titled “Contribution of Indian companies in sports promotion through CSR” in the International Conference on issues & new ideas in sports management held at Vigyan Bhawan and Vishwa Yuvak Kendra, Delhi from 8th to 10th march, 2018. Also served as resource person (chaired a session in the same conference). • Secured gold (200m) and a silver (400m) medal in Delhi state Masters Athletics championships held at Thyagraj Stadium, Delhi on January 20, 2018. • Awarded Veerta Puraskar 2017 for best contribution in NCC. • Member of the Sub-Committee constituted by the University of Delhi for admissions on the basis of sports for the session 2017-18.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Member of the Committee constituted by Delhi University Sports Council for sports admissions in undergraduate courses 2017-18. • Served as Tournament Committee member of Delhi university inter college boxing, cross country, judo, kho-kho, taekwondo, power-lifting/weight-lifting championship 2017-18. • Served as subject expert/consultant for TATA trust-NCTE national curriculum framework for preparing physical education teachers; delivered a lecture on healthy lifestyle and physical fitness at Aurbindo College on 08th august, 2017
Dr. Jaya Ray	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Member of Central Screening Committee for Department of Philosophy, University of Delhi, July 2017.
Mrs. Sarika Bhatnagar	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presented a Paper Titled “Media Aur Mahila” in UGC sponsored two-day National Seminar on “Media, Mahila aur Nyaya” held in Lakshmibai College on 15th November 2017.
Ms. Rajshree Roy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Member of Central Screening Committee for Department of Philosophy, University of Delhi, July 2017.
Ms. A. Porchelvi	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Member of Central Screening Committee for Department of English, University of Delhi, July 2017.

Dr. Sucheta Gauba

- **Program Coordinator** for first ever “M. Com Pre-entrance Coaching Classes” organized in College during June 2017
- **Convener** for framing CBCS (Choice Based Credit System in Undergraduate Courses) Guidelines of subjects: “Management Principles and Applications” for B Com Honors and “Financial Reporting and Analysis” for B Com.
- **Published** a Research Article titled “Financing of Corporate Investment: Panel Data Evidence from Indian Manufacturing Firms” in Asian Journal of Management (print ISSN 0976-495X, online ISSN 2321-5771), July-September 2017, Vol. 8, Issue 3, Pages: 471-478 (UGC notified)
- **Published** a Research Article titled “U-shaped Relationship between Investment and Cash flows: Panel Data Evidence from Indian Manufacturing Firms” in International Journal of Business, Management and Allied Sciences (ISSN:2349-4638), Vol. 4 Issue No. 4, Pages: 135-142478 (UGC notified)
- **Published** a Chapter titled “ A Study on Impact of Demonetization on Pradhan Mantri Jan Dhan Yozana” in Edited Book Demonetisation, Digitisation and Financial Inclusion (ISBN 817026380-8), Page: 117-128
- **Authored a Book** titled “Entrepreneurship” published by Galgotia Publishing Company, Delhi (ISBN 978-93-86184-61-0)

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Co-authored a book titled “Financial Reporting and Analysis” published by Himalaya Publishing House, Mumbai (ISBN: 978-93-5273-912-7) • Co-Chaired a session of paper presentation in UGC sponsored two-day National Seminar on “Media, Mahila aur Nyaya” held in Lakshmibai College on 15th November 2017. • Selected for Meritorious College Lecturer Award, Directorate of Higher Education, GNCTD in March 2018.
<p>Dr. Dolamani Arya</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Published paper on “Ujjwalvedan uadharata kosgat sandharb” in International Journal of Sanskrit Research, 2017 • Published paper on “Sdhantkomudi me Kosika ke Katipay Aalochit Sandharb” in International Journal of Sanskrit Research, 2017. • Published paper on “Aadhunik Samay me Vedo ka Mahatav” in International Journal of Hindi Research, 2017. • Published paper on “Ujjawalvadtsy Usdadivato Vinidiste Grantha” in International Journal of Multidisciplinary Research and Development, 2017. • Published paper on “Ujjwaldatodadivvyto smrata granthkara” in International Journal of Advanced Education and Research, 2017. • Published paper on “Udandisutrana Pwakturvay vaykhatasac” in International Journal of Sanskrit Research. , 2017

<p>Ms. Laxmi</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Organized Science Academie’s Lecture Workshop on “Differential Equation and Mathematical Modelling” from September 27th -29th, 2017
<p>Ms. Pramila</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Convener UGC sponsored National Seminar on “Media, Mahila Aur Nyay” organized by Lakshmbai College, University of Delhi on 14-15 Nov, 2017.
<p>Dr. Anju Dahiya</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Attended refresher course at Centre for Professional Development in Higher Education, University of Delhi from 28.11.2017 to 19.12.2017.
<p>Ms. Uma</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presented paper on, “Modernization or Marginalization: By Choice or by Destiny” in a one day International Conference on,” Inclusive Tribal Congregation: Sharing Experiences of India and Africa”, organized by Department of African Studies, University of Delhi, Delhi and Forum of SC and ST Legislatures and Parliamentarians , on 22 February, 2018, at Vigyan Bhawan, Maulana Azad Road, New Delhi. • Presented a paper on “ Changing Patterns of Women’s Work Participation in the Labour Force :A Study of 21st Century India” in a Two – day ICSSR- Sponsored National Seminar on “ Drivers of Economic Growth: Innovations, Institutions and Policies” Organized by Department of Economics, Jamia Millia Islamia Central University, New Delhi, on March 13 and 14, 2018.

<p>Dr. Sangita Sharma</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Participated in a Special lecture on Cancer awareness by oncologist from Rajiv Gandhi cancer Institution and Help-3 Nov 1,2017. • Organized one day Blood donation Camp under Two days Free Health checkup Camp for College on 2Nov-2017. • Participated in Two days UGC sponsored National Seminar, Media, Mahila and Nyay organized by Hindi Department. L.B college university of Delhi,14-15 November 2017. • Coordinated (as Deputy co-coordinator) and participated in add-on course on Women and Legal Literacy (2017-18) in collaboration with Delhi State Legal Services Authority (DSLISA). • Participated on Voter’s Day Celebration in SDM office Alipur North District, Delhi January 25,2018. • Awarded Team LBC Award 2017 from Lakshmibai College University of Delhi.
<p>Mr. Ambuj Kr. Tripathi</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Paper Presented at International conference on “Values, Ethics and Culture: Past and Present”, Amity University, Delhi, 4-5 October 2017. • Paper Presented at National conference on “Sustainable Rural Livelihood: Emerging Dimensions”, Arunachal Pradesh Central University, 10-11 November 2017. • Paper Presented at International conference on “Gender Mainstreaming in Politics, Administration and Development in South Asia and Beyond”, North South

	<p>University, Dhaka in collaboration with University of Bergen, Norway, 18-19 November 2017.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Authored National Conference on Sustainable Rural Livelihood published by Excel India.
Dr. Rammathot Khongreiwo	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Attended UGC-Sponsored Orientation Programme on “Grooming of Indian Talent in Modern Perspectives”, CPDHE, University of Delhi from 31st May 2017- 28th June 2017.
Dr. Talat Sultana	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Attended 118th 4-Week Orientation Programme organized by UGC-HRDC, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi from 23rd May 2017 to 19th June 2017. • Presented a paper entitled “Spline function approximation for solution of fourth order parabolic partial differential equation” in an “International Conference on Recent Advances in Mathematics, ICRAM-2018” held at Aggarwal College Ballabgarh, Faribad (Haryana), India during February 17-18, 2018.
Dr. Nisha Gupta	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presented paper on “Banach Frames and Branch Frame System in Banach Spaces” in International Conference on Recent Advances in Mathematics (ICRAM-2018) On 17-18 February, 2018 organised by Department of Mathematics, Aggarwal College Ballabgarh, Faridabad (Haryana), India. • Presented paper on “Frames in Banach Spaces” in the International Conference on Applicable Mathematics on 19-20 February, 2018, New Delhi India organized by

	Department of Mathematics, Motilal Nehru College, University of Delhi.
Dr. Noopur Sonee	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Awarded cash prize for best poster presentation on the topic “A comparative study on the effect of finishing agents on stiffness and drape of Khadi fabric” at 13th International conference on Apparel & Home Textiles, organized by OGTC & supported by Ministry of Textiles.
Ms. Neha Mathur	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Attended Two Day Workshop on ‘Introduction to R’ organized by Satyawati College, University of Delhi from 20th November 2017 to 21st November 2017.
Mr. Ratnakar Kumar	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Attended FDP on “Gender Roles and Challenges: The Changing Paradigm” at Amity University, Uttar Pradesh on 11th April, 2017 • Attended FDP on “Teaching Crime Fiction: Texts and Methodologies” organized by Department of English, ARSD college in collaboration with IQAC on 16th October, 2017. • Participated as a faculty member in pre-entrance summer school – 2017 organized by Lakshmibai College (Department of English), University of Delhi
Dr. Gunjan Khanna	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Attended National Workshop entitled “Stress Management and Emotional Intelligence in Teaching-Learning Environment” organized by Guru Angad Dev Teaching Learning Centre of MHRD at SGTB Khalsa College (University of Delhi) on March 17, 2018.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Attended Workshop on “Time Series Analysis” organized by Rukmini Devi Institute of Advanced Studies, held on January 21, 2018. • Attended Faculty development Program on “e-Filing of Income Tax Return-2 on Excel Utility” by Shyam Lal College, University of Delhi, held on October 4, 2017. • Participated as a faculty member in pre-entrance summer school – 2017 organized by Lakshmibai College (Department of Commerce), University of Delhi
<p>Ms. Pracheta Bakshi</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Published an Article entitled “Bankimchandra Chattopadhyay and Rabindranath Tagore—Nation, Language and Bengali Middle class: a very short Interpretation”-- published in the Journal of Bengali Studies (01.03.2018) ISSN 2277-9426; Volume 6, no 1. • Attended FDP on the GE course “ Contemporary India and Women and Empowerment at P.G.D.A.V College , Evening on 12.04.2017 • Participated as a faculty member in pre-entrance summer school – 2017 organized by Lakshmibai College (Department of English), University of Delhi
<p>Mr. Dharmendra Singh</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Attended FDP on the GE course “ Contemporary India and Women and Empowerment at P.G.D.A.V College , Evening on 12.04.2017 • Participated as a faculty member in pre-entrance summer school – 2017 organized by Lakshmibai College (Department of English), University of Delhi

<p>Mr. Neetu Kumar</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Participated as a faculty member in pre-entrance summer school – 2017 organized by Lakshmbai College (Department of English), University of Delhi
<p>Ms. Ojaswini Hooda</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presented a paper titled “Subversive Orality: Reading Women’s Folk Songs of Haryana” at 8th Asian Translations Traditions Conference (ATT8), SOAS, University of London, UK • Participated as a faculty member in pre-entrance summer school – 2017 organized by Lakshmbai College (Department of English), University of Delhi
<p>Ms. Neeru</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Participated as a faculty member in pre-entrance summer school – 2017 organized by Lakshmbai College (Department of English), University of Delhi
<p>Dr. Shweta Singh</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Attended a one day International conference organized by MDU on Literature and Humanities and presented papers on Contribution of Women Authors in Indian English Literature on 30 Jul, 2017.
<p>Dr. Bhupendra Pratap Singh</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Attended TEQIP-III sponsored One Week Faculty Development Programme on “Recent Developments in Translational Medicine (RDTM-2018)” organized by Department of Biotechnology, Delhi Technical University, Delhi on March 12-16, 2018 • Co-authored ‘Characterization and Morphological Analysis of Summer and Wintertime PM2.5 Aerosols Over Urban Rural Locations in Delhi-NCR’, for International Journal of Applied Environmental

	<p>Sciences ISSN 0973-6077 Volume 12, Number 5 (2017), pp. 1009-1030</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Co-authored ‘Spatial and temporal variability of VOCs and its source estimation during rush/non-rush hours in ambient air of Delhi, India’, Air Qual Atmos Health DOI 10.1007/s11869-015-0354-3 • Co-authored ‘Mineral Carbon Sequestration by Alkaline Waste and Its Use in Landfill’, for Int. Journal of Engineering Research and Application, ISSN : 2248-9622, Vol. 7, Issue 6, (Part -3) June 2017, pp.85-92 • Co-authored ‘Diurnal Variation of Ozone Levels in Academic Hostel in Delhi- A Case Study of JNU campus’, for International Journal of Applied Environmental Sciences, ISSN 0973-6077 Volume 12, Number 6 (2017), pp. 1167-1189 • Presented on “Seasonal Variation of Fine Particulate (PM_{2.5}) in Ambient Atmosphere at site of Delhi” conducted a National Seminar on Environmental Sustainability and Conservation: Issues and Challenges in 21st Century, 15th November, 2017 by Satyawati College (Evening).
<p>Dr. Nicheta Bhatia</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presented a paper in National Seminar conducted on “Holistic Approach to Nutrition & Wellness” held on Nov-23-24, 2017. Organized by Department of Home-Sc, University of Rajasthan, Jaipur. Paper presented entitled as “Impact of Nutrition & Health Education and Deworming on the cognitive functions and working efficiency of adolescent girls in Jaipur.” • Presented a paper in National Seminar conducted on “Global Approaches in Nutrition, Inclusive Education

	<p>and Textile Science” held on Feb-2-3 2018. Organized by Department of Home -Sc, The IIS University, Jaipur. Paper presented entitled as “Assess the Impact of Nutrition and Health Knowledge of Mothers on Nutritional Status of Children Attending AWC-Mothers who are not attending AWC”.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Paper Published in “International Journal of Applied Home Science” Vol-4 Issue 11&12, Nov-Dec 2017, Pg-No-1090-1094, UGC Approved Journal .Paper entitled “Impact of N.H.E. and deworming on the cognitive functions and working efficiency of adolescent girls in Jaipur”.
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COLLEGE ACTIVITIES

Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC)

The Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) has been regularly holding staff meetings on the first Wednesday of every month to discuss and analyze the activities and future plans of the various departments and societies of the college. The IQAC has been orienting all the staff members towards NAAC’s preparation of Self Study Report. In the IQAC staff meetings, faculty members are also given demonstrations of ICT enabled techniques being introduced in the college. The faculty members were familiarized with use of smart boards and online leave panel.

IQAC along with AEPIC organized a Two Days Workshop on “Team Building” conducted by Mr. Digvijay Rajpoot, Master Skill Trainer, Centum Learning, for faculty members of the college from 22nd to 23rd March, 2018. A two day workshop on same theme was also arranged from 26th to 27th March, 2018 for the non-teaching staff.

AEPIC Report

The **Academic and Extracurricular Planning and Implementation Committee** (AEPIC) forwarded a proposal towards the end of the last academic session for initiating UG courses (Hons) in Home Science, Sociology and Psychology which was taken into consideration by GB and Principal; along with a proposal for introduction of discipline courses in Physical Education and Computer Application for B.A Program (P) students, which were duly approved by the university and were launched in the academic session 2017-18.

In this academic year, AEPIC opened ECA quota for admissions to broader categories including Dance and choreography, Digital media, Debate, Vocal and Instrumental music, Fine Arts and NCC. Besides ten Add On courses were offered for the session 2017-18. There were five language courses (certificate courses in Chinese, Japanese, French, German and Spanish). For the benefit of our students, our college intends to start a separate, devoted and highly equipped *Language Lab* in the upcoming session for these courses. Among the new courses 2D /3D and Still motion and English Communication and Personality Development were introduced responding to the students' need and demand. Women and Legal Literacy, MS Office and Advanced Excel being popular with students were continued.

On the Orientation Day, Prof. Anita Sharma from the East Asian Studies Department, Honourable Sh. Naveen Gupta, Additional Secretary Delhi State Legal Services Authority (DSLISA) and representatives from National Skill Development Cooperation (NSDC) training partner and NIIT addressed the students. AEPIC also started online learning courses with AZIKSA with no registration fee. Three of the approved courses are Communication and Personality Development, Career Preparation and Networking and Soft skills. Another initiative to move forward digitally was the opening of online submission of students' assignments.

Emphasizing value based education AEPIC also rolled out motivational lecture series in January 2018. The first lecture in the series was organized by the Department of Commerce. AEPIC organized a two day workshop on Entrepreneurship Awareness on 16 and 17 March, 2018 in collaboration with National Institute for Entrepreneurship and Small Business Development (NEISBUD) and National Science and Technology Development

Board (NSTEDB), Government of India. AEPIC along with IQAC organized a Two Days Workshop for faculty members on “Team Building” by Mr. Digvijay Rajpoot, Master Skill Trainer, Centum Learning, from 22nd to 23rd March, 2018.

CSR AND PEACE FORUM REPORT

Lakshmibai College CSR – Initiative celebrated the World Health Day on 7th April 2017, by fixing a talk on Women Hygiene and Health by Padmashree Ms.Santosh Yadav. A Two Days Free Health Checkup Camp was coordinated by Lakshmibai College in collaboration with Rajiv Gandhi Cancer Institute and Research Center, Artemis Hospital and Help 3 on November 1-2, 2017, in the college campus for students, teachers, staff and the women from the neighborhood area. On 1st November 2017 a lecture on cancer awareness by oncologist from Rajiv Gandhi Cancer Institute and Research Center took place. Besides a One Day Free Health Check Up Camp was orchestrated on International Womens’ Day on 8th March 2018 in collaboration with Vijnana Bharti and Max Super Specialty Hospital Shalimar Bagh.

Moreover, the Peace Forum organized a Peace seminar in India for the Implementation of International Law the Cessation of War and achievement of World Peace in collaboration with HWPL South Korea on 26th April 2017 in which Mr Julien delivered a special lecture. More than hundred students and teachers attended the program and signed the DPCW petition.

OIC- Option Information Committee

Option Information Committee manages the various aspects integrated with the optional courses such as Generic Elective (GE), Skill Enhancement courses (SEC) and Ability Enhancement Compulsory Courses (AECC) introduced in the Choice Based Credit System. The committee formulated an innovative online form for the new admissions to the Honours as well as Programme courses in the academic session 2017-18.

The primary intent of this dedicated options form was to give out all relevant information in an accessible manner as it stated clearly the available options for the GE, SEC, AECC courses offered by various departments in the drop down boxes. Subsequently, a list of

optional subjects offered by various departments was created and uploaded on the website and also, provided to all departmental heads to guide the admission seekers. Furthermore, OIC members were present during the admission process to inform and guide the admission seekers regarding the most befitting subject options available according to their aptitude and interest. The data collected through the online forms was regularly monitored and information was conveyed to AEPIC to seek their advice to manage the inflow in the subjects where the sanctioned number of seats had been filled up. In this way, OIC under unrelenting guidance of senior members of AEPIC, were able to maintain an overall feasibility and balance with regard to the student intake across the optional subjects. At the onset of new academic session, subject wise list of students along with requisite information such as roll numbers and courses were mailed to the concerned departments. Updated lists recording the new admissions and withdrawals were also dispatched on timely basis. Further, as OIC and AEPIC received repeated requests from several students to change their optional subjects due to either inability of the students to cope or in some cases due to their keen interest to study a certain subject, it was decided in view of the best interest of students to provide them an opportunity to change their earlier chosen options via a change of option form.

Students' Union and Proctorial Board

The year commenced with Orientation Program on 20th July, 2017 in which an interactive session was arranged with the alumnus, Ms. Preeti Hooda (2007-2010), who was felicitated with the "Special Achiever's Award" for her excellent performance in Civil Services Exam, 2016 and Independence Day was celebrated in the presence of Honorable Former Chief Minister of Delhi Mrs. Sheila Dixit.

To welcome our first years, the Fresher Welcome party was organized on 3rd November, 2017 in which Riya Arora, of B.Com won the title of 'Miss LBC' in The 'Miss LBC' contest, inaugurated by Ms. Manju Khandelwal, Councilor of MCD. Riya was also appointed as Brand Ambassador of "Clean & Green Mission" by the Principal. The Union managed to have various events like the 'Dandiya Masti' on Navratri celebration, International Youth Day, Lohri celebration and Republic Day celebrations. The Annual

Inter College Cultural Festival *Vividha* was celebrated on 26-27 March, 2018 in which a number of inter-college competitions were held.

The Proctorial Board aims at maintaining discipline and order in college. A number of activities were organized by the Board. The key concerns include the Anti-ragging campaign, disallowing the use of cell phones in classrooms and corridors and ensuring silence zone and tobacco-free campus. A Police Chhatra Sanwad was also organized for the students in association with Delhi Police.

Website Committee Report

The College has a well designed and updated website in order to disseminate timely information to various stakeholders for transparency. The website committee is constantly working towards expanding the scope and increasing the operational efficiency of college website which include Online Admissions, students' monthly attendance and internal assessment, pre-filled customized examination form for the students, display of college timetable, dissemination of information to the students through student zone, dedicated link for short-term add-on courses, students and parents feedback, alumni registration, RFID ID card management etc.

The website committee helped in conducting Recruitment Process of Non-Teaching staff online through the College website. Currently, it is working upon implementing the Mobile & Web Digital Campus solution to facilitate seamless flow of information. It will include Web Digital Campus (Student Web Portal), Student Registration Module, Semester Migration, Time-Table, Attendance, Assessment Module and Email Integration.

Placement Cell

WINGS, representing the soaring aspirations of our students and their indomitable spirit to reach the sky, the Placement Cell continued in its endeavours to provide training, placements, internships and fellowships for the students and alumni of Lakshmibai College.

As a part of campus engagements, several of our students have been selected by reputed organizations. Students got the chance to sit for various Off-Campus placement and internship drives conducted by IDBI, British Telecom, Alight Solutions, Convergys, Motilal Oswal, TATA Power DDL, Travel Breed, Tommy Hilfiger, Connect2India, Eat My News etc. In the month of September twenty seven of our students were selected for a Winter Internship at IDBI Federal as Management Trainees and the first ever “JOB FAIR” of our college was organized in collaboration with 247dreamjob.com.

The Placement Cell organizes several workshops and seminars on relevant topics such as Resume Writing and Interview Handling. Training Villa organized a personality development workshop in the month of October and Time also conducted a workshop on Guesstimates in the month of March. The Placement Cell is also associated with various internship portals such as Internshala, Interntheory, and Sociowash. Financial Doctors, Sociowash and many more have invited our students for Summer Internship Programs. Students have also been invited for fellowship opportunities through Teach For India and Gandhi Fellowship Programs.

The Placement Cell has an interactive corner on the college website, an informative Facebook Page and Whats-app groups and an active LinkedIn account to facilitate better connectivity with the corporate world and also facilitates and updates students about Central Placement Cell, University of Delhi.

Women’s Development Centre

Women’s Development Centre (WDC) organised an orientation program followed by a screening of "Let the Body Speak" on the eve of International Women's Day. A poster making competition -- on "Women and Violence"; and "Women and Freedom" -- was also held.

The WDC is organising a lecture on "Sexual harassment at Workplace" on 4 April 2018.

Sanrakshan

Sanrakshan convened various campaigns and awareness programs for environmental awareness throughout the year 2017-18. Pledge by students and faculty for Swachhta

drive, awareness program and pledge for “no to plastics”, awareness program for celebrating eco-friendly Deepawali, awareness program for celebrating eco- friendly Holi (promoting “save water”, use of herbal colours and flowers) and on the occasion of World water day on 22nd March, the society organized awareness program on various strategies to use water judiciously and promote its saving. These are the highlights for the year. We are planning to hold Workshop on “Integrated waste management”.

English Literary and Debating Society

Rhetoricians, the English Literary and Debating Society endeavors to enrich and contribute to the creative life of the institution. It has been actively organizing events like Creative writing competitions, Essay writing competitions, movie screenings and its signature event - the English Literary Fest`EPIPHANY` 18.

We started the year with our most favourite event- a film screening but this time along with a movie review writing competition. The movie was “The Boy in the Striped Pajamas”. We also did screening of movies “The Namesake”, “The Perfect Murder” and two short films “Juice” and “Chutney”. The screening was followed by a lively and involved discussion led by from faculty members Dr. Anju Dahiya, Mr. Ratnakar Kumar and Ms. Pracheta Bakshi respectively. Our next event was an In-House Debate Competition on the topic “Imposition of any one language is an instance of Forced Homogenization”.

The creative spirit of the society found its fullest expression in the wide array of events organized during its Annual Literary Fest Epiphany. Mr. Adreesh Chakraborty, an eminent architect who has just begun his writing career with his book “The Adventure of Inchy Slim”, graced the occasion as the Chief Guest. He interspersed the address to the gathering with some interesting excerpts from his book, immediately striking a chord with the audience. A poet apart from being a theatre person, director, actor, educationist, Ashtam Neelkanth, graced the occasion as a Special Invitee. The audience was treated to some chosen poems from his recently published volume “Zikra”. His poems were so evocative of lived realities that the audience could easily connect to his words. The highlights of the Literary Festival were out of the box events such as ‘Quiz’zically Yours, Crossfire, Mind to Mic, and Canvas stories.

Home Science Society

The Home Science Society (FT and ADC) joined hands with AEPIC for the two day workshop on Entrepreneurship Awareness held in the college on 16 and 17 March, 2018 in collaboration with NIESBUD and Department of Science and Technology. All six faculty members and more than 70 students of the department enthusiastically took part in the same and helped to make it a success. FT students presented Nutri Bite – the entrepreneurial project of the department. It was highly appreciated by the resource person who motivated the students to take this project forward commercially.

Wall Graffiti Society

The students of Wall Graffiti Society, Lakshmibai College, dedicated and transformed the main college wall into War Hero Wall, as named by Dr. Pratyush Vatsala, Principal, Lakshmibai College. Taking inspiration from the name of our institution, a prominent figure of the brave Rani Lakshmibai, India's independence war heroes and Param Veer Chakra awardees were painted along with our Tricolor. The wall graffiti was well covered by leading newspapers-Dainik Jagran, Punjab Kesari , Zee News as well as Doordarshan.

Mathletes - Mathematics Society

Mathletes, the Mathematics Society started the year 2017-18 by holding department elections on 22nd September 2017. A two-day Annual Inter College Mathematics Fest, HELIX'18 comprising various competitive events like Paper Presentation, Rango Metry, Rubik's Cube Solving was held on 29th and 30th January, 2018. Our Guest Speaker-Mr. Rajneesh Srivastava guided the students on the different career options. The society plans to conduct a Department Get Together in the month of April 2018.

Music and Dance Society

In this academic year student of music and dance society participated in the celebration of Independence Day, Gandhi Jayanti, Republic Day, Gandhi Martyr's day. The Society organized an Inter-Class Solo Singing Competition in the month of September 2017. The students also participated in Inter College solo singing and solo dance competition in GIBS

(Gita Rattan International Business School) Rohini under IP University on 9th March, 2018.

Navrangg

Navrangg, the dramatics society of our college, is now in its 6th session. The 2017-18 session commenced with the performance of the street play- 'Bezubaan' and a stage play- 'Vidya Kasam' for new entrants, which was followed by the free workshop organized for the students to provide them an insight into the world of dramatics. We had two significant productions this year: Street annual production - 'Emergency', and Stage annual production- 'Javeda ka Khatt'. With over 40 performances in colleges like LSR college, SRCC, Daulat Ram college, JNU, Deshbandhu college, Kalindi college, DTU, Shaheed Bhagat Singh college and many more, the society made a valuable impact in the theatre circuit. We also performed our stage play at Shriram centre under Sahitya Kala Parishad and performed our street play Emergency at National school of Drama; the team has also secured 2nd position at Shyam Lal College and World School of Design.

Navrangg organized the Third edition of its theatre fest - Kalamay'18, which introduced its stage Event- 'Third Bell' for the first time with the participation of 6 teams on 15th March 2018 and judged by Mr.Gaurav Kandola. There were 11 street teams for Nukkad Bulaye on 16th March 2018 which was judged by Mr.Gaurav kandola and Mr. Kunal Arora.

Punjabi Literary and Cultural Society

Punjabi Literary and Cultural Society conducted many events in this academic year. On 16th Oct 2017 an Inter college Poster making Competition was organized. The society in collaboration with Punjabi Pracharni Sabha organized inter-college poetry recitation competition on 25th Oct 2017. In these competition, students from different collages participated. Our students participated in the events like quiz competition, folk song competition, paper reading competition organized by S.G.N.D Khalsa College, S.G.T. B. Khalsa College and Mata Sundari College respectively and won prizes.

Sanskrit Literary Society

The Sanskrit Literary Society remained busy throughout the year. An Inter-college "Sanskrit Vaad-Vivaad Pratiyogita" sponsored by the Sanskrit Academy was organised by the Society. We also organised a symposium on "Sanskrit Evam Jansanchar Madhyam: Dasha Evam Disha".

The Society also organised three inter-class competitions: "Patra-Vachan"; "Shloka-Vritti"; and "Ved-Mantrocharan". Moreover, our students participated in diverse Inter-college competitions like -- "Shloka-Recitation"; "Ved-Mantrocharan"; and "Vaad- Vivad" and won prizes.

NESDALF

NESDALF is a society of students from Sikkim, Ladakh, Darjeeling and countries like Tibet and Bhutan. On 3 November 2017, NESDALF students performed a Manipuri dance at the Freshers' Meet of NESSDU (North East Students' Society of Delhi University). Students also participated in various events at the fests of North East Societies in other colleges

Vivekananda Study Circle

Vivekananda Study Circle, Lakshmibai College, is a result of great initiative taken by the Principal and teaching faculty of the college. Throughout the year, students were made aware of the great teachings and vision and philosophy of Swami Vivekanandji and motivated to follow them in their routine life. On the occasion of Swami Vivekanandji's birth anniversary on 12th January, 2018, a function was organised pay homage to the great leader.

Gandhi Study Circle

The Gandhi Study Circle of Lakshmibai College celebrated hundred years of Champaran Satyagraha by organizing a workshop on "Spinning Charkha" on 13 October 2017 and paid tribute to Mahatma Gandhi on his one hundred and forty eighth birth anniversary by reflecting on charkha as the physical embodiment and symbol of Gandhi's philosophy. An inter-department poster-making competition was also held on the theme of Champaran Satyagraha and an extempore event was held on 31 January 2018.

Eco Club Report

Hon'ble Prime Minister of India gave a call for "Swachh Bharat" as a mass movement to realize the Mahatma Gandhi's dream of a Clean India. In pursuance to the vision of 'Clean & Green Mission', Lakshmibai College has launched the special cleanliness drive and has formally constituted a committee to monitor and coordinate cleanliness activities in the college as regular basis. The committee on 'Clean & Green Mission' organized massive cleanliness drive on 27th September and 13th October, 2017 and 16th March, 2018 in the college premises. The students and staff members took a voluntary oath to work towards maintaining cleanliness on the college campus and its surrounding areas on a regular basis and to initiate action programs to achieve that objective.

The broad plan of action under the "C & N Mission" includes: generating mass awareness of cleanliness and hygiene amongst students and staff members by holding regular 'Sensitization Programmes' on 'Clean & Green Mission', motivating them to contribute to this Campaign in a proactive manner; events such as poster and slogan competitions, essay writing, poetry writing/ reciting, speeches, skits on 'Clean & Green Mission' will be organized; Rallies on themes connected with 'Clean & Green Mission' in and around the college campus will be conducted to create mass awareness on such issues.

The Library Committee

The library committee of the college has been making efforts to improve and develop facilities. The three storey structure is being renovated and seating arrangements are being improved. With more staff we hope to realize the target of having a well equipped library. Reading space for students and faculty is being developed with facilities. Old books are being weeded out so that new books can replace them. In January 2018 the process of weeding was initiated and the old books were offered to students and faculty for a nominal fee.

On 2nd February 2018 the Annual Book Fair was organized in the college lawns. More than 25 book stalls offered the latest books to the students and faculty. The event saw enthusiastic participation. Four competitions were organized on the occasion. Book art

designing, book mark making, slogan writing and poster designing competitions saw keen participation of students. The endeavor to improve the Library continues.

Medical Committee Report

The Medical Committee and the CSR Initiative of the College organized a Health Mela on the 1st and 2nd November, 2017. A team of doctors including cardiologist, gynecologists, ENT specialist, eye specialist and also an orthopedic doctor from Artemis and Rajiv Gandhi Cancer Institute, were available for free consultation for the students, teaching and non-teaching staff and also the women from the neighboring areas. A lecture was also organized on Cancer awareness by Rajiv Gandhi Cancer Hospital. Similarly, the Medical Committee and the CSR Initiative of the College organized a second Health Mela on 8th January, 2018 in which doctors from Max Hospital, Pitampura and Vijnana Bharati were available. Some of the college alumni belonging to as early as the 1978 -1980 batches also turned up for the check- ups. The total footfall was about 500.

The Medical Committee also organized a lecture by Ms. Uma Narayan, a Life Skills Educator and Counselor on “Stress Management and the Right Ways of Preparing for the Exams” on 9th November 2017.

Enabling Unit for Differently Abled

The Unit provided counselling and guidance to the differently abled students of our college. The students were guided in the application process for scholarship/fellowship and other activities of organized and unorganized sector. Students, with visual disabilities, were provided with software enabled laptops — such as “JAWS”; “NVDA”; and “SAFA” — to help them in their studies. A special computer lab — known as the “Enabling Unit Computer Lab” — which was reopened on 3 October 2016 help the students in the academic venture. A computer instructor for skill development was appointed for visually challenged students. A group of volunteers were assigned the task of assisting differently abled students in preparing assignments and filling up different kinds of forms throughout the year. An interactive session, with the help of The Blind Foundation, was organised in college.

Youth Red Cross Society

The Youth Red Cross Society is a humanitarian initiative of Lakshmibai College. In its first major initiative, the society organized a “Short-term Training on First Aid “in collaboration with St. John Ambulance Delhi (Indian Red Cross) on 8 November 2017. Students and faculty participants were made aware of emergency situations; the risks that patients face; patient and caregiver vulnerability; and cope skills when no immediate medical help is available. The Youth Red Cross Society aims to continue with capacity building programs and volunteer training.

REPORTS OF RESPECTIVE DEPARTMENTS

Department of Commerce

With feet set firm Department of Commerce, Lakshmibai College set forth its journey with some major milestones to be covered in the academic session of 2017-18. Department of Commerce conducted the first ever M. Com Pre-entrance Coaching Classes, which took place in college premises from 13th to 28th June 2017. These classes were open to all Lakshmibai College students and girls from Economically Weaker Section (EWS/BPL), SC, ST, OBC (Non-Creamy Layer) and economically backward Minorities, Pwd, Kashmiri Migrants, Wards / War –Widows / Ex-servicemen (Defense) from other colleges also.

The Commerce Society as a part of department orientation ceremony held Grooming Session Series in which various events like an Ice breaking session, a two-facet Group discussion, with a Mock GD in the first half and a presentation on ‘Tips to perform in a Group Discussion’ in the second half as well as extempore session and marketing tips for the students in the months of September 2017 and October 2017 were conducted.

A Seminar on GST, to make students aware of the far-reaching impact the new tax regime, by CA H.L Madan was organized in November 2017. In January 2018, Commerce Society invited a world-renowned motivational speaker Mr. Ron Malhotra for a lecture on ‘Becoming a key person of Influence.’

The month of February 2018 witnessed the Annual Inter College Commerce Festival – Comspect. It had two online events, four core events, over seven fun games, numerous

shopping & food stalls, attractive rewards and cash prizes for the winners. The main events had 'Chase the Case' - a case study competition, 'Fact and Furious' - business quiz, 'Impromptu' – on-the-spot speech competition and 'Brand Storming' - a brands-logos identification game. The festival witnessed a footfall of 400-500 students from different colleges with as high as 61 teams in the Brand Storming event.

Department of Economics

ÉParcus, the Economics Society for budding economists initiated its work with the election of the office bearers. For the first-time, an interesting *Doodling Event* was held on 10 January 2018 in which students competed for the best design for the logo for the department hoodies. A seminar on '*Career Counselling*' was conducted by 'Vivekananda Institute of Professional Studies' on 09 February 2018, followed by a vibrant interactive session. On 12 February 2018, ÉParcus organized the 7th Annual Inter-College Economics Festival, BREAKEVEN 2018 that saw an overwhelming response of teams from several colleges of Delhi University including Shri Ram College of Commerce, Maharaja Agrasen College, Hindu College, Jesus and Mary College, Daulat Ram College, Satyawati College, SGTB Khalsa College, SGND Khalsa College, as also from ICSI, IGNOU and Christ University. A '*Youth Motivational Counselling Session*' was conducted by 'Pearl Academy'. Amongst enthusiastic participants, organizers and volunteers, five major events, namely, *Corporate Emperors*, *Zoomonomics*, *The Peddling Freak*, *Economics Rendezvous*, and *Bet You Know It* were held in which several students of our college secured winning positions. Numerous informal events and fun games added to the gusto.

Department of English

With its commitment to giving space to creativity and a free-ranging imagination, the Department of English had forayed into a year full of stimulation, novelty and creative impetus with a number of activities conducted throughout the academic year 2017-2018. These include namely Orientation Program, Week-long lecture series, Screening of Documentary, publication of the Departmental wall magazine entitled "Words Unlimited" and the subsequent Fest "Novartis" which saw good participation. Apart from that, the

department kept itself occupied with regular updates and creative ferment on the departmental blog”.

Before the beginning of the session in July, Department conducted the first ever Masters in English Pre-entrance Coaching Classes, which took place in college premises from 19th to 30th June 2017. These classes were open to all Lakshmibai College students and girls from Economically Weaker Section (EWS/BPL), SC, ST, OBC (Non-Creamy Layer) and economically backward Minorities, Pwd, Kashmiri Migrants, Wards / War –Widows / Ex-servicemen (Defense) from other colleges also.

The orientation program on the onset of the academic year was organized keeping in mind a healthy and subject oriented interaction between the students of all the three years, so that the newly admitted first year students are able to adapt the methodology of studying literature. Teacher-in-charge Dr. Anju Dahiya had set the tone by introducing the objective behind it and the Principal, Dr. Pratyush Vatsala had asked a few pertinent questions on the nature of literature and culture. A Week long lecture series was conducted with Mr. Ratnakar Kumar speaking on Indian Theatre and Ms Dolly on Western Classical Theatre. Department also organized Poetry Writing Workshop for students and faculty members, which was conducted by Dr. Anjana Neira Dev, Associate Professor, Gargi College, on 16th March 2018.

Besides Words Unlimited, the official literary wall magazine of Lakshmibai College, organized the Annual Fest, Novartis in the month of October featuring a number of intellectually stimulating exercises and is flushed with exciting inter-college literary competitions like slam poetry. Novartis’17 turned out to be an enthralling event, as was Novartis’16.

Department of History

In the academic session 2017-18 the Department of History conducted an election of the President and other office bearers of its society ‘Historia’ and representatives were elected democratically in the month of September 2017. An educational trip of the students to the by-lanes of Delhi which was named ‘The Delhi Tour’ in September 2017 was planned. The students visited different historical places i.e. Agrasen ki Baoli, India Gate, National

Archives and the National Museum and had very good experience with historical anecdotes of the landscape of Delhi which varied from the earliest times to the modern ages. In addition to this, educational trip to Purana Qila for the 1st year honours students to educate them how different historical sites are excavated and what are the types of excavations and importance of archaeology in the construction of history etc. were executed.

Historia – the history society of the Department of History organized a departmental festival on 27 Feb 2018. The festival comprised several activities i.e. a talk on the topic “Political thoughts of Kautilya and Machiavelli as reflected in the Arthashastra and the Prince”. The speaker DR .S.C. Mishra delivered an insightful and a very educative lecture on this topic. An inter college paper presentation and a debate were also organized on the topics “women saints in the medieval ages” and the relevance of saint Kabir respectively during the daylong departmental festival. Poster making on the Gandhian philosophy “peace and non-violence “, Dastan-e Goi [oral urdu story telling art form] were also the parts of the festival. Dastan –e –goi was performed by Nadeem Shah Seharawardy. The festival also comprised a fashion show in which the participants wore self-designed dresses which brought alive those historical personalities. Global pointers and the Role play on famous personalities of history were also some of the features of the festival.

Department of Hindi

Department of Hindi worked for the welfare of the students throughout the year. A Hindi Week Program was organized by The *Hindi Sahitya Parisad* from 14th September 2017 to 21st September 2017. Two Days National Hindi Seminar was organized with the help of UGC on 14th November 2017 to 15th November 2017. Mother Tongue Day Program was organized on 21st February 2018.

Department of Food Technology (Home Science)

Food Technology and Nutrition wing of Department of Home Science was pulsating with academic and extra-curricular activities though out the year 2017-18. The most awaited event, the National Nutrition Week, was celebrated in the month of September with a number of activities and competitions. The event was inaugurated by Mr Rajesh Singh, Deputy Librarian (DU) with the celebrations which encompassed an Inter-college essay

writing competition on 'Improving child health through optimal infant and young child feeding', an Inter-college poster cum slogan competition on 'Complementary feeding is the foundation of life', and an Intra-college competition on 'Healthy Recipes'. More than 60 students from different colleges participated actively. In line with the national theme, a public health lecture on 'Nutrition in Infants and Young Children' by Dr Praveen Kumar, Director Professor at Lady Hardinge Medical College was also organized in September. The department hosted a faculty workshop on Teaching and Evaluation for BA (Prog) FT, CBCS mode on 11th September, 2017.

The students and faculty members were invited by Indian Dietetic Association, Delhi chapter to participate at the National Dietetics Day celebration at Dilli Haat on 10 January 2018. In an endeavor to create awareness about food safety among the general public, Dr. Anita Malhotra spoke on 'Ensuring Safe And Nutritious Food' and students of second year put up a stall enthusiastically to demonstrate 'Detection of food adulterants' at the event. The stall was highly appreciated by the Chief Guest, dietitians, nutritionists and visitors. Later in the month of February, a workshop on 'Icing of cakes' was conducted in collaboration with Association of Food Scientists and Technologists of India. Chef Balender Singh, Director, Institute of Bakery and Pastry Arts made a presentation and demonstrated different types of cake icings to eager students who also got hands-on experience in this creative activity.

An educational visit to Swami Sivananda Memorial Institute (SSMI) East Punjabi Bagh was organized on 23rd February, 2018. The students visited two kitchens at Jahangir Puri serving hot cooked meals to the beneficiaries of Integrated Child Development Services (ICDS) – a flagship nutrition program of the country, which is largest in the world in terms of its reach.

The highly acclaimed entrepreneurial project of the department - Nutri Bite entered its second year and was inaugurated by Chairman Prof Babbar and Treasurer Prof Ragi. Charu Bhatia and Richa Grover, the Project Investigators led a team of 15 students successfully and put up 8 stalls serving safe and nutritious savories and sweets to students and staff of the college throughout the year. They also catered on a large scale at the Book Fair organized by the college. For the Tunisian youth who visited the college under the National

International Youth Exchange Program, the Nutri Bite team prepared and served traditional Indian snacks, which were relished and highly appreciated by the foreign visitors.

In February this year, the department has initiated a Project called *Parvarish- Nurturing the young children in slums*, to address the problem of malnutrition in Wazirpur slum area adopted by Lakshmibai College. The Project aims at assessing the incidence of malnutrition in the community, and collecting information on potential factors that escalate levels of malnutrition and providing corrective measures to reduce its incidence.

Our students made us proud by winning prizes at a national event. At the AFST(I) National Seminar organized on World Food Day, 16th Oct, 2017, Spriha Roy (GE nutrition) won 2nd prize at debate competition and Richa Grover, Food Technology III year bagged 3rd prize in poster making competition.

The department will put up its annual exhibition-cum-sale of processed and bakery products on Annual Day of the college.

Department of Apparel Design and Construction (Home Science)

Apparel Design and Construction has had a fulfilling year, abuzz with numerous activities. A workshop was organized to revive the traditional textile arts. The emphasis was on fabric dyeing with natural/eco-friendly dyes; printing with wooden blocks; and constructing fabric on loom. The Apparel Design department transformed the main college wall into a “War Hero Wall”, to use Dr. Vatsala’s words.

The department also organized four competitions: Sketching; T-shirt painting; Best out of Waste Accessories; and Recycle Dress Making. A talk was organized on “Eco-friendly Technology for Washing Apparel”. The faculty and students organized an annual fashion show at Vividha.

Education and skills learned should be shared with the less privileged. Following this, a visit was conducted to a nearby village to impart entrepreneurial skills to interested village women, in the field of textiles and apparel. A department exhibition will be put up on College Annual Day where a range of products will be displayed.

Department of Mathematics

Besides the regular curriculum, the department inspires, prepares and empowers students to think critically and communicate mathematical concepts effectively. Furthermore, we want to equip the students with the resources necessary not only for mathematical learning but also for enabling them to play critical roles in multitudes of fields.

In pursuance of above objective, the Mathematics Department conducted a Science Academies Lecture Workshop for Undergraduates in Mathematics on “*Differential Equations and Mathematical Modeling*”. A three day workshop was organized from 27th September, 2017 – 29th September, 2017. The workshop was coordinated by our very own faculty member, Ms.Laxmi Bhati.

The workshop was sponsored by the Joint Science Education Panel of the three academies, namely National Academy of Sciences, Allahabad, Indian National Science Academy, New Delhi and Indian Academy of Sciences, Bangalore. We had some of the most renowned and distinguished experts from the field of Differential Equations and Mathematical Modeling to conduct the workshop for undergraduates.

We had a panel of four renowned speakers namely, Prof. Ajit Iqbal Singh (INSA Emeritus Scientist), Prof. Subhendu Ghosh (Head of the Department of Biophysics, University of Delhi), Prof. Vishnu Dutt Sharma (Institute Chair Professor, Department of Mathematics, IT, Bombay) and Prof. A. K. Nandakumaran (Department of Mathematics, IISc, Bangalore).

Department of Philosophy

Sophia, the Philosophy society of Lakshmibai College, commenced its academic session 2017-18 with an orientation program for the students of Philosophy on 22nd July, 2017. For a smooth functioning of the society, the Department holds an election each year where students of Philosophy (Hons) elect their representatives for various posts such as President, Vice President, Cultural Secretary etc. Keeping that tradition alive, the election was held on 1st September, 2017. To develop the analytical thinking of the students, the society began its academic events by organizing a movie screening program in which the

movie *The Ship of Theseus* was shown and an interactive discussion on the movie was also held.

The department successfully convened its first two day national seminar on 23rd and 24th February 2018, sponsored by Indian Council of Philosophical Research (ICPR) on “Dharma, Universality and Contingencies of Human Life”. In the National Seminar renowned speakers from different parts of India and abroad spoke at length on various issues under the broad theme followed by lively debates and discussions among the participants. Students from various departments of Lakshmi Bai College and other colleges of the Delhi University also presented papers in one of the technical sessions. The Seminar was attended by 70 faculty members and more students.

In order to enhance the all-round growth of the students, the society organized its annual Cultural fest ‘Pratibimb’ on 15th March 2018. The fest witnessed various cultural activities, events and fun games. Competitions like Slam Poetry and theme based Fashion Show draw a huge crowd where the students of various colleges of University of Delhi participated and won attractive prizes.

Department of Political Science

The Department began the year by having orientation program for fresher on 20th July 2017. In October, students were engaged in poster making competition with the theme of hygiene and cleanliness along with Mehendi and Rangoli making. An academic visit to the *Lok Sabha* was arranged on 22nd December 2017 to familiarize them with parliamentary practices and debates. A two days academic visit to the *Rajya Sabha* was planned for students on 7-8 February 2018 and this enabled them to see the budget proceedings in detail. They also got an opportunity to hear the Prime Minister and Finance Minister addresses to the upper house on the budget.

Moreover, the Department was invited to participate in the first Ambassador series lecture by Ambassador G. Parthasarathy on “India’s foreign policy and security challenges” on 17th January 2018 in the convention hall of the Viceregal Lodge. A further program included taking the students to the Constitution Club on 4 March 2018 to attend a Seminar with two sessions: Free and Fair Election is the Key to Better Democracy, and Challenges

of Democracy and Dilemma of Development. A lecture was also arranged on 10th March 2018 on Law, Justice and Mediation. One speaker for this occasion was Additional District and Sessions Judge Hon'ble Shri Manmohan Sharma. The department is looking forward to another engaging lecture and department festival at the end of the month. The overall effort has been to give the students maximum exposure to various issues of socio-political nature through the above mentioned activities.

Department of BBE

Department was involved in various activities in this academic year. We had a guest lecture on Job Vs MBA by Mr Rajeev Jain in the month of October and we had an Industrial trip as well in the month of January. We have started with a lecture series, 'Life is a Game Play it' in collaboration with Sathya Sai Trust, which is a 7 lecture series. We organized our Fest on 20th of March and a seminar as well on the topic 'Leadership' on 28th of March 2018.

Department of Sociology

The new session proved to be another year of excellence for the department. The department's bulletin board was used as a space where students creatively engage with issues and themes of contemporary relevance. Some of the themes featured are social stratification, gender and development. Department's society 'Socious' organized its first annual seminar on 'Education of the Marginalized' on 22nd March 2018. Dr. Naresh Kumar from National Institute of Education, Planning and Administration (NIEPA) who was our chief speaker spoke about gender related issues.

Our annual inter college cultural festival 'Habitus 2018' was held on 2nd April 2018, and was received with great enthusiasm and fervor. A series of academic and entertaining activities were organized which kept students engaged and entertained. Various Inter and Intra college competitions such as sociology Quiz, Debate on topics like gender and violence, along with Nukkad Natak competition, Rangoli making competition and Spell Bee activities were participated eagerly.

Department of Environmental Science

The College is committed to, and continuously striving towards, the ideal of a green campus. The College has integrated mechanisms for sustainability, ranging from solar lights to paper-recycling. Environmental studies (EVS) students of the College regularly conducted cleanliness drives in the College Campus, and participated in the Swachh Bharat Abhiyan. Environmental studies (EVS) students of the college are on the move all through the year to create environmental consciousness through various activities and in Feb to March 2017, a survey was also accomplished in the college to study the youth's awareness and engagement with the environment. For the last two years a practice of planting a new tree on the college Annual Day has been initiated. There was a visit of an expert Dr. Nautiyal from Department of Environmental Studies, University of Delhi who apprised students and the staff of the names and other details of all the trees and plants. The department is committed towards Creative Reuse of Waste Plastic bottles for Eco- Wall developments

Moreover to deal with the problem of E-waste, vendors have been contacted for E waste disposal. The person from Earth Sense Recycle Private Limited has visited the college and provided the quotation. Dr. Dinesh C. Nautiyal, Research scientist, CISMHE, University of Delhi has visited the college for "Biodiversity Evaluation of the College Campus" on 27th January 2017.

From the Field of Sports

Lakshmbai College continued performing well during the session 2017-18. Our sports students have brought many laurels by excelling at International, National, Inter-University, Inter-College and State level competitions. During the session 2017-18, our students participated in various sports and games including Archery, Athletics, Ball Badminton, Baseball, Boxing, Chess, Cricket, Cross Country, Fencing, Gymnastics, Handball, Judo, Kabaddi, Kho-Kho, Netball, Power-lifting, Shooting, Softball, Taekwondo, Volleyball, Wrestling, Weight-lifting and Yoga at various levels.

International

Manisha Chaudhary made us proud by becoming a member of the Indian Team in the IBFA Women's Baseball Asian Cup held at Hong Kong from Sept. 2 to 7, 2017. Divya secured

Gold Medal for India in Subroto Cup International Power-lifting Championship held at Delhi; while 8 of our students participated in the Invitational International Volleyball Tournament held at Nepal including Priyanka, Nidhi, Sadhna, Varsha, Sahiba, Ukansha, Priyanka Shekhawat, and Seema Bisht.

National

Reecha Singh stood 1st in Small Bore and 2nd in Big Bore Rifle in the 27th All India G.V. Mavlankar Shooting Championship. She also won 2nd position in the 60th National Shooting Championship in Big Bore Rifle Event. Bharti secured 1st position in In IDBI Marathon, while Kavita stood 2nd in Half Marathon in the same event. Neeshu stood 1st in 4x400 m. relay in the Federation Cup Jr. National Athletics Championship. Sushmita won 2nd and Monika bagged 3rd position in Youth National Boxing Championship. Kriti Gupta got 1st position and Sandhya bagged 3rd position in National Kurash championship; Akansha Goyal got 1st position in Rural National Judo and Wrestling; Laxmi Devi stood 1st in Rural National Wrestling; Monika secured 3rd position in Kick Boxing; and Divya bagged gold medal in Powerlifting.

In addition, there were 35 representations at national level in different sports. These include Athletics (Yamini and Shivani); Ball Badminton (Sneha); Baseball (Soniya, Anjali Rawat, Nikhat, Nirmla, Neha Gupta, Amanpreet Kaur, Siji Aniyani, Radha, Kirti, Sakshi, Megha, Bhawna, Kajal); Boxing (Yashi Chaudhary); Cricket (Vandana & Keerthy in One Day and T20, Under-23 OD, Under-23 T20, Mohini & Nikita in Under-19 OD); Gymnastics (Tina); Kabaddi (Ekta Pathak); Beach Kabaddi (Uma and Pooja); Kho-Kho (Meenakshi); Netball (Shrishti Nain and Yashi); and Volleyball (Sadhna and Sonam Dahiya).

Inter University (All India and Zonal)

Divya Aggarwal secured 1st position in the All Indian Inter University Yoga Championship; while seven of our students stood 3rd in the All India Inter University Baseball Championship including Amanpreet Kaur, Siji Aniyani, Soniya, Nirmla, Nikhat, Neha, and Neha Gupta. 21 of our students represented Delhi University in All India Inter University Competitions in different games. These include Archery (Garima); Ball Badminton (Veena); Boxing (Varsha, Kriti Gupta); Cross Country (Bharti, Saroj, Kavita);

Fencing (Rachna); Gymnastics (Tina, Harsha Chauhan); Judo (Kritika); Softball (Amanpreet Kaur, Siji Aniyam, Soniya, Nikhat, Neha, Neha Gupta, Kajal, Bhumika); and Wrestling (Laxmi, Sandhya). 12 students participated in Inter University Competitions at Zonal level while representing University of Delhi. These include Cricket (Mohini, Ekta, Vandana); Kabaddi (Ekta, Gagandeep Kaur, Sucheta); Kho-Kho (Namita, Meenakshi); Handball (Kavita Rawat); Volleyball (Subby, Nidhi, Ukansha). Yamini secured 2nd position in North Zone Athletics in 100m.

Inter College

Our three teams emerged Champions in Inter College Tournaments including Cross Country, Baseball and Softball; six teams won the 2nd position including Athletics, Power-lifting, Weight-lifting, Wrestling, Volleyball, Yoga; and three teams secured 3rd position including Cricket, Judo and Kho-Kho; while Boxing team remained at 4th spot. Individually, we won a total of 46 medals including 09 Gold, 17 Silver and 20 Bronze medals.

The Gold medal winners were in Athletics (Yamini-100m, Bharti-10000m, Shivani-Javelin Throw); Boxing (Varsha), Judo (Kritika); Power-lifting (Divya), Weightlifting (Divya, Tamanna); and Wrestling (Laxmi Devi). The Silver Medal Winners were in Athletics (Neeshu-800m, Karuna-10000m, Bharti-Half Marathon, Shivani-Shot Put, and quartet of Bharti, Kavita, Saroj, Anuradha in 4x400m Relay), Boxing (Kriti), Cross Country (Bharti), Power-lifting (Tamanna, Yukta), Weight-lifting (Shivani, Bhawna), Wrestling (Sandhya, Bharti, Khushboo). The Bronze Medal Winners were in Athletics (Neeshu-400m, Kavita-1500m, Saroj-5000m, Kavita-5 km Walk, Karuna-Half Marathon); Boxing (Jaspinder, Sushmita, Ritika, Shweta Raj); Judo (Jyoti Gaur, Akansha, Sandhya, Kirti); Taekwondo (Dipika); Wrestling (Anuradha, Akanksha, Muskan, Surya); Weight-lifting (Muskan Pal, Yukta).

Delhi State and Open Tournaments

Our volleyball team stood 1st in Youth Delhi State, 2nd in Open Delhi State and Yuva, and 3rd in YMCA tournament. Our Ball Badminton team won the 1st position in Inter College Sports Festival at Miranda House (Erobern) and at Maitreyi College. Neeshu Kumari won

gold medal in 100m & 400m in Delhi State and got silver medal in 200m & 400m in Inter Block, Yamini stood 1st in 100m, Shivani stood 1st in Javelin Throw and 2nd in Shot Put, & Bharti stood 2nd in Long Jump. In Boxing, Sushmita won the 1st position, Ritika got 2nd and Shweta Raj remained at 3rd position. In Gymnastics, Tina bagged 1st position. In Power-lifting, Tamanna stood 1st in Delhi State in both equipped and unequipped category as well as in Bench Press & Dead Lift; Divya, Jyoti and Muskan also stood first in the same competition in their respective weight category in Dead-lift event. In Wrestling, Laxmi Devi won the 1st position while Akansha Goyal and Sandhya Singh stood 3rd. In Yoga, Divya Aggarwal secured 1st position, Suman Rajbhar, Sandhya, Chanchal & Kajal got 2nd while Nasreen Bano & Saloni got 3rd position. Reecha Singh of our college secured 6 gold medals in Bihar State Shooting Championship.

Overall, we won a total of 122 medals at various levels including 43 gold, 40 silver and 39 bronze medals during the session 2017-18. Our college was allotted the responsibility of conducting Inter College Softball and Handball, which were successfully concluded.

National Cadet Corps (NCC)

With 160 enrolled cadets, the vibrant and industrious National Cadet Corps (NCC) wing of Lakshmbai College continued striding ahead 2017-18. A milestone was created by our ex-student JUO Megha Rawat Reg. No. DLW/SW/12/41078 as she topped the Merit List of NCC Special Entry Scheme to join Indian Army with her determination and dedication.

It was indeed a proud moment when SUO Vaishnawi Kharbanda got the opportunity to meet our Honorable Prime Minister Sh. Narendra Modi along with the Army Chief, Navy Chief, Air Chief, Defence Minister, Defence Secretary and Chief Minister of Delhi during the Republic Day Parade-2018, wherein she was awarded Gold Medal for being the Best Master of Ceremony (Anchor) in All India. She along with LCPL Ritu represented Delhi Directorate in the Cultural Programme of the venerated RDC 2018.

In the prestigious PM Rally, LCPL Ritu represented Delhi Directorate in Squad Drill; while JUO Anjali, SGT Shivani Sharma, CPL Karishma, SGT Pooja, SGT Vanshita, CDT Meenu, CDT Priyanka, CDT Preeti and CDT Pooja participated in its cultural activities. In

the same camp, CDT Shiwani performed adventurous Para-slithering and made us proud by being the Best among all.

In All India Thal Sainik Camp (TSC), SUO Vaishanvi Kharbanda participated in the Finals while CDT Jyoti attended its pre-final cadre with her immense hard work. LCPL Laxmi participated in CM Rally on Independence Day; while LCPL Namrata participated in it on the occasion of Republic Day. JUO Rashmi Dixit participated in the Advance Leadership Camp (ALC) held at Malout, Punjab. JUO Anuradha Singh and CPL Lovely got an opportunity to knock the venturesome Trekking Camp at Baijnath, Himachal Pradesh. CQMH Neha and CPL Aysha participated in Trekking at Ajmer.

06 of our cadets participated in the National Integration Camp (NIC) at Chamba, Uttarakhand and secured 1st position in Group Dance, 2nd position in Debate (SUO Vaishnawi), 3rd prize in National Integration Awareness Programme (NIAP), and the Best Cadet Award (SUO Vaishnawi). The participants were SUO Vaishnawi, S0GT Anjali, SGT Pooja, SGT Shivani Sharma, SGT Vanshita, CQMH Jyoti. Two of our cadets CDT Shabana and CDT Lata took part in another National Integration Camp (NIC) held at Delhi.

90 cadets participated in the Combined Annual Training Camp (CATC) held at Safdarjung under the guidance of JUO Rashmi and SGT Vaishali. In this Camp, our cadets secured 1st prize in Group Song, 1st prize in Solo Dance (Aarushi), 2nd prize in Relay Race, 2nd prize in Group Dance, 3rd prize in Skit, and 3rd prize in Squad Drill competition; while JUO Anuradha Singh was selected as the Camp senior.

Our cadets continued their marvelous performance at NCC Festivals organized by various colleges and walked away with top honours in several activities. Our cadets stood 1st in Squad Drill competition at Miranda House; 1st in Guard and 1st in Best Cadet (SUO Vaishnawi) at Dyal Singh College; 1st in Drill, 2nd in Guard and 1st in Group Dance at SPM College; 1st in Drill and 2nd in Guard at JDM College; 1st in Rangoli, 1st in Group Dance, 1st in Solo Dance (CDT Preeti), and 1st in Guard at SGND Khalsa College; 2nd in Guard and 2nd in Group Dance at Aurobindo College; 1st in Best Cadet (LCPL Ritu), 1st in Drill, and 1st in Group Dance at Rajdhani College; 1st in Best Cadet (SUO Vaishnawi), 2nd in Drill, and 2nd in Group Dance at Zakir Hussain College; 1st in Guard, 1st in Drill, and 1st in Group Dance at Kalindi College; 2nd in Drill and 2nd in Guard at Shaheed Bhagat Singh

College; and 1st in Solo Dance (CDT Preeti) at Swami Shradhanand College. The winning momentum is going on and our cadets are still performing in various competitions being organized by different colleges.

ANO Lt. (Dr.) Seema Kaushik (Sharma) also represented Delhi Directorate in the Special National Integration Camp (SNIC) held at Peddapuram from Oct. 5 to 16, 2017. She was awarded Veerta Puraskar by the NGO Veerta for being the Best Associate NCC Officer. She also secured a Gold Medal (200m) and a Silver Medal (400m) in the Delhi State Masters Athletics Meet at Thyagraj Stadium.

Our cadets performed Guard of Honour to the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor of Delhi University on the occasion of Independence Day 2017; while 32 cadets participated in International Day of Yoga on 21st June 2017 at the centralized location, SPM College. NCC Cadets also stayed firm on the pledge taken to keep Delhi clean as a part of Swachh Bharat Abhiyan Programme and devoted days in picking up waste materials and sweep the unclean premises and conducted a Rally for the same.

The Commanding Officer of 7 Delhi Girls Bn. Col. Ram Naresh was the Chief Guest; while our Ex-NCC cadets Preeti Hooda (Qualified Civil Services Exam); and Cpt. Juhi (Indian Army) were the Guest of Honour on the occasion of NCC Annual Prize Distribution Function held on 4th May, 2017. With all the inspiring tales, NCC wing is in the process of conducting its first ever Inter College NCC Festival '*Junoon*' and organize a career oriented talk for the cadets.

National Service Scheme

The NSS Unit started the year by celebrating 3rd International Yoga Day on June 21, 2017 with practicing yogasanas and pranayam at NSS Centre with other Delhi University colleges. A Yoga session and talk was also organized by the unit and Yogacharya Shri Sheshpal Ji was invited as the guest speaker.

A series of events were orchestrated by NSS in this academic year: Voter's ID Campaign was held on July 27 and 28, 2017, 7th and 8th November in the college campus; and performance of 'jugabandi' on 25th January 2018 was organized on the occasion of World Voter Day which emphasized how politicians not be allowed to get away with their false

promises; Around 20 volunteers visited AIIMS and attended the seminar on the topic 'Updates in Management of Breast Cancer' conducted by ISCO on 4th and 5th August, 2017; A cleanliness drive was organized inside and outside the college campus on 11th and 12th August 2017, which was followed by a pledge on Swachhta. Furthermore, about 60 volunteers participated and carried out rallies for creating awareness around the college campus and encouraged shopkeepers, residents and others to keep their surroundings clean and on 17th, 18th and 19th August. NSS Unit of Lakshmibai College organized a cleanliness drive in the adopted Village "Wazirpur" to spread awareness among the residents about the importance of cleanliness and about diseases that might result from living in unhygienic surroundings.

NSS Unit participated in the Flag hoisting ceremony in the college. It organized a ceremony of integrity pledge on 16th August 2017 where large number of NSS volunteers of college gathered and took the pledge. A River for Rally Campaign was conducted in the college premises on 1st September 2017 in which 30-40 volunteers participated and a slogan writing competition was organized for the same. In addition to this, on 29th August 2017, two volunteers of NSS unit of Lakshmibai College attended the workshop that was conducted at the NSS Centre. They were shown presentations on Rally for River Campaign and were provided with some placards to use them in their colleges for conducting campaigns. Following the motto lead by our Prime Minister, NSS Unit of Lakshmibai College took an initiative and organized an essay writing competition on the topic "What will I do for cleanliness?" on September 6, 2017.

NSS Week Celebration took place from September 18- 24, 2017. NSS Unit conducted a donation drive from 18th-22nd under the "Umeed-e-muskurahat". College students, teachers and residents living in the nearby areas donated books, clothes and other eatables in the donation boxes placed outside library. The donation collected was distributed among the underprivileged residents in the adopted Village "Wazirpur".

The events conducted under the NSS week celebration were "Make it Up and Exhibition" on September 19 in which participants made handmade photo-frame, pen-stand, trash bags out of waste materials in an hour and put up those for exhibition for another half an hour, "Being Bhartiya" on September 20 to celebrate the diversity and culture of India, 'Cause-

a-thon', a mini marathon was organized on September 21 in the vicinity of college premises (more than a mile) as an initiative of taking a step towards Cleanliness, 2017: "Cause-A-Thon: Run for Health and Happiness", "Socio-Moviz Quiz Competition and Clean Campus Hunt Competition" were conducted on September 22 in which the volunteers participated with full enthusiasm. It included activities like helping the differently abled students of the college, making sure no student litters in the campus, and maintaining cleanliness in the campus. Two teams of NSS had joined the Clean and Green Campaign on September 28, 2017 and were allotted canteen and statue lawn area. They regularly supervise and prevent anyone from littering and throwing in the area.

On September 24, NSS volunteers of Lakshmibai College celebrated the annual event with full enthusiasm and zeal. The guest speaker of the day, Dr. Abhishek Shankar (founder and chief coordinator of Pink Chain Campaign) delivered his talk on Cancer. The NSS Programme Officer, Dr. Sangita Sharma congratulated and thanked the volunteers for the success of the Unit in the activities round the year. A series of performances like presenting NSS Geet, a Nukkad Natak "Matdaan" on awareness on voting, cultural dances like Pahadi Dance, Ladakhi Dance, Gidda were performed. The volunteers who did commendable jobs during NSS week Shramdaan and activities were also felicitated. At last, the day ended with volunteers running a cleanliness drive in the campus to clear election campaigning clutter. NSS students were taken for a visit to Rohini Courts in September 2017 to inculcate in them democratic awareness through legal literacy.

Besides Diwali Mela was held on 16th and 17th October in which stalls of handmade chocolates, handicrafts, etc. were put up. On 31st October, Rashtriya Ekta Saptah was celebrated by performing a play, which highlighted problems of religious fanaticism and concluded with the idea of secular mother land, and along with NCC we had Run for Unity event as well.

NSS volunteers participated in Cancer Awareness Lecture by Rajiv Gandhi Cancer Institute, Health Mela and Blood Donation Camp and various other events of the college. One of the volunteers, Rigzin Lamo of NSS Unit of Lakshmibai College got selected and attended 10 days Pre Republic Day Parade (Pre-RD) Camp organized in the month of October at Hisar Agricultural University. Three NSS volunteers also volunteered for Khelo

India programme which was organized by Youth Affairs and Sports Ministry with the association of Sports Authority of India in the month of January.

Moreover, on 14th November, the NSS unit celebrated Children's Day in the college premises with 20-25 children who came from Wazirpur Village. Fun games and activities were organized for them. An entire week November 19 to 25 was celebrated as Communal Harmony Campaign week. Volunteers were given the duty of distributing the stickers to people and explaining them the importance of communal harmony. On December 24, 2017, the college principal, Dr. Pratyush Vatsala, NSS Programme Officer, Dr. Sangita Sharma and NSS volunteers together visited "Wazirpur" village and interacted with the villagers about the problems and explained to them how NSS volunteers can help them in best possible ways. In continuation on 7th January 2018, we visited "Wazirpur" Village to convince the local people of that area to send their children to get free tuitions every Sunday in Wazirpur from the Unit named 'Shiksha Cell' of NSS.

NSS team organized two-week Self Defense Training programme in January 2018. In order to empower women, Innovation Project: "Women Empowerment through Low Cost Technology" was launched in the year 2015-16 as one of the top 20 projects of University of Delhi. The project got re-launched under the name "Red Dot Project" by college principal in the year 2017. NSS volunteers framed a team of 20 members who are constantly producing sanitary napkins. Volunteers and their co-ordinator visited various schools and village areas to distribute sanitary napkins to the girls and women respectively. On 11th February, NSS team was invited at Hindustan Office where they spoke about the Red Dot Project which was streamed live on Facebook. The dramatics society of NSS Unit 'UMANG' performed a street play based on Menstruation on 16th February which was filmed by Doordarshan and was aired on television. The college principal, Dr. Pratyush Vatsala, NSS President, Shruti Yadav and a volunteer Adrika were invited by Doordarshan for the chat show- Tejaswini on February 14, 2018 and talked about societal taboos related to menstruation and how the college NSS Unit is working towards creating awareness about menstrual hygiene and providing free sanitary napkins to the under-privileged lot.

On February 25, 2018, an event called Tabassum was held with the motive of "Spreading smiles across miles". Children from the nearby village Wazirpur were invited. A talent hunt was organized for them to recognize their hidden talents. The event was concluded by gifting each kid possessing high potential with set of notebook and required stationeries.

To add to our extravaganza for the year, NSS Unit of Lakshmibai College organised its Annual Fest for the first time on February 26, 2018. Annual Festival comprised of various events based on social theme: 'Paper on Ramp' in which participants designed dresses from waste materials, paper or other ragged products which was followed by a ramp walk by the models and the details about the social theme of their dresses and their perspective about these social issues; 'Perspective', an offline photography competition was organized based upon the theme of generosity, India's culture and nature; 'Rural-de-Rustic', a case study competition was organized dealing with the problems of Seemapuri Village. The event made it possible to pool the ideas of creative youth to solve a social issue; 'Impromptu', an extempore speech competition was organized based on the social issue. Students participated in large number; 'Slam Poetry'; Sampoorna, a talent hunt competition was organized for the differently abled students

On the same day, twenty young and sprightly women from Tunisia, North Africa visited Lakshmibai College, University of Delhi under International Youth Exchange program. The college National Service Scheme (NSS) Unit gave them a flavor of Indian hospitality, tradition and culture. The Tunisian delegates were accompanied by Shri Kamal Kispotta, Shri Bhatnagar Ji Regional Director, Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports and Mr. Vishal. After the welcome ceremony they had a walk around the campus. Then there was a Ladaaki dance performance (Ladak folk dance) followed by a Bollywood flash mob which everyone enjoyed thoroughly. Every single Tunisian delegate was attended by an identified NSS volunteer guiding them through the college campus and answering their queries, and thus helping them get acquainted with the Indian ideology of "Atithi Devo Bhawa" (Guests are Gods). They had interactive session with NSS volunteers, exchanged ideas, values and were presented with little tokens of souvenirs in memory of India.

NCWEB and IGNOU Study Centre

The classes of NCWEB Lakshmibai College started with the orientation program on 6th August 2017. The College organized an inter college competitions of Mehndi, Rangoli, Painting and Pot Decoration on 25 February 2018. The NCWEB of Lakshmibai College has decided to celebrate “Annual Day Festival” on 1st April 2018.

The college started IGNOU Study Centre for women with nearly 1500 students in the year 2014. Post-graduation courses in History, Political Science, Economics, Hindi, Social Work and English are running successfully. The coordinator of the centre is Dr. Geeta Sahare.

A magnificent and an eventful year, has come to an end with an assurance of a promising future for the institution. It is an expedition, which promises a bright outlook for the college. I express gratitude to all the faculty members, non-teaching staff and the students for their cooperation. I wish with all the dedicated support the college pursues on its mission to lead humanity to wonderful paths. I am deeply obliged to the presence of our eminent Chief Guest, Guest of Honours, GB members, my colleagues and my lovely students.

Dr. Pratyush Vatsala

Principal

Results

CBCS -I. SEM. And II. SEM. RESULTs FOR IST YEAR – 2016 – 2017

S.No	Course	Total Students	Total Appeared	Failed	Passed	I Div	II Div	III Div	E R	%
1	B.A.(Prog.)	532	532	6	442	255	153	34	84	83.1
2.	B.Com.	170	170	1	139	103	31	2	30	81.8
3.	B.Com.(H)	87	87	Nil	82	77	5	0	5	94.3
4.	BBE (H)	29	29	1	24	15	8	1	4	82.8
5.	Economics (H)	49	49	Nil	45	39	6	0	4	91.8
6.	English (H)	63	63	1	55	37	13	5	7	87.3
7.	Hindi (H)	68	68	Nil	62	29	31	2	6	91.2
8.	History (H)	61	61	Nil	46	29	17	0	15	75.4

9.	Phil. (H)	46	46	1	40	18	22	0	5	86.9
10.	Pol. Sci. (H)	116	116	Nil	106	70	36	0	10	91.4
11.	Sanskrit (H)	41	41	1	40	9	14	7	10	97.5
12.	B.Sc. Math. (H)	45	45	Nil	42	40	2	0	3	93.3

CBCS RESULTS FOR II YEAR B.A. / B.Com/ B.Sc/ M.A. Final 2016-2017

Course	Total Appeared	Absent	Failed/Results Awaited	Passed	ER	I. Div.	II Div.	III. Div.	%
B.A.(Prog.)	488	-	1+2=3	387	117	212	147	09	99.3
B.Com.(Prog.)	141	-	-	129	13	100	26	2	90.7
B.Com. (H)	110	-	-	90	-	88	02	20	100
English (H)	63	-	01	50	12	32	15	-	98.04
Hindi (H)	68	-	01	52	8	44	15	-	98.5
Economics (H)	52	-	04	27	20	22	5	-	92.15

History (H)	71	-	02	52	16	49	04	-	97.18
Philosophy (H)	70	-	02	49	19	35	13	1	97.14
Political Science (H)	133	-	01	114	19	91	21	1	99.24
Sanskrit (H)	32	-	-	19	13	6	13	-	100
B.Sc. Maths (H)	48	-	-	40	07	38	3	-	100
BBE	26	-	-	20	06	20	-	-	100
M.A. Final Sanskrit	16	-	-	8	8	5	3	-	50
M.A. Final Political Science	6	-	-	6	1	-	4	1	83.3
M.A. Final Philosophy	18	-	-	12	6	5	7	-	66.6

Semester Examination Results III Year B.A./ B.Com/ B.Sc 2016-17

S. No.	Course	Total Present	Total Failed	Total	1st Division	2nd Division	3rd Division	%
1	B.Com (P)	185	11	196	162	23	11	94.38
2	B.Com (H)	106	2	108	93	12	3	98.14
3	B.Sc. Maths	106	0	106	98	8	0	100
4	Political Science	119	5	124	75	42	7	95.96

5	BBE	18	1	19	12	2	5	94.73
6	History	69	8	77	16	39	22	89.61
7	Hindi	74	5	79	63	10	6	93.67
8	English	60	2	62	25	26	11	96.77
9	Sanskrit	32	11	43	15	11	17	74.41
10	Economics	58	9	67	41	14	12	86.56
11	Philosophy	59	4	63	25	30	8	93.65
12	B.A. (P)	415	23	438	266	128	44	94.74

Toppers in B.A., B.COM.,B.Sc I Year

Sr. No.	Course	College Roll No.	Examination University Roll No.	Name of the Candidate
1	B.A.(Prog.)	1406	16040501470	Shreya Tiwari
2	B.Com(H)	532	16040504058	Richa
3	B.Com(Prog)	201	16040503119	Rupal
		8	16040503156	Tamana
4	B.A.(H) BBE	1827	16040508013	Mehak Arora
5	B.A.(H) Economics	1662	16040510047	Suvidhi
6	B.A.(H) English	1471	16040511011	Ayushi Singh
7	B.A.(H) Hindi	1188	16040516045	Preeti
8	B.A(H) History	131	16040518028	Megha

9	B.SC(H) Mathematics	1873	16040563014	Jhanvi Mehta
10	B.A(H) Philosophy	654	16040526033	Yaiphabi Mayanglambam
11	B.A(H) Political science	1375	16040527005	Achira Sehrawat
12	B.A.(H) Sanskrit	1065	16040529024	Priya Gautam

Toppers in B.A., B.COM.,B.Sc II Year/ M.A. Final -2016-2017.

S. NO.	Course	College Roll No.	Examination University Roll No.	Name of the Candidate	CGPA (Results)
1.	B.A. (Prog)	176	15040501105	Satakshi Mishra	16.32
2.	B. Com. (Prog)	309	15040503061	Nikita Rani	16.68
3.	B.Com. (H)	849	15040504052	Neha Sharma	16.69
4.	B.A. (H) English	1975	15040511029	Mahima Jain	15.32

5.	B.A. (H) Economics	1524	15040510018	Divya Garg	16.39
6.	B.A. (H) Hindi	53	15040516035	Maya Saraswat	16.19
7.	B.A. (H) History	25	15040518062	Suman Bhukta	15.29
8.	B.A. (H) Political Science	352	15040527075	Priya Rathore	15.25
9.	B.A. (H) Philosophy	442	15040526061	Spriha Roy	16.94
10.	B.A. (H) Sanskrit	1381	15040529021	Richa	17.12
11.	BBE	1625	15040508009	Mahek Jain	16.07
12.	B.Sc. (H) Math.	1901	15040563046	Sulakashna	17.32
13.	M.A. Final Sanskrit	3017	1510408	Neelu Chauhan	76.68
14.	M.A. Final Pol. Science	3042	1403869	Charul Mahur	58.62

15.	M.A. Philosophy	3002	46068	Suman Singh	64.81
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Toppers in B.A., B.Com., B.Sc. III Year

S. No.	Course	Exam. Roll No.	Name	Marks Obtained	Total Marks	Result %
1	B.Com (P)	14040203040	Garima	2053	2500	82.12
2	B.Com (H)	14040204102	Vidhi	2414	2700	89.40
3	B.Sc. (H) Math	14040263005	Anshu Grade	2538	2600	97.61
4	B.A. (H) Political Science	14040227048	KaushalK umari	1723	2400	71.79
5	BBE	14040208008	Deepa	1747	2400	72.79
6	B.A. (H) History	14040218072	SprihaDutt	1608	2200	73.09
7	B.A. (H) Philosophy	14040226005	Afreen	1584	2000	79.2
8	B.A. (H) Hindi	14040216003	Aayushi	1595	2000	79.75
9	B.A. (H) English	14040211028	Nancy Gupta	1578	2200	71.72

10	B.A. (H) Sanskrit	14040229008	Deepika	1832	2200	83.27
11	B.A. (H) Economics	14040210004	Arushi Mittal	2195	2500	87.8
12	B.A. (Prog)	14040201165	Komal Gupta	1969	2400	82.04