



# Principal's Annual Report 2017-18

It is my proud privilege to put before you the achievements and happenings of this academic year. Our students have been scaling new heights in every field. The academic performance of our students is excellent.

Our BCom Degree passing percentage is 91.01 the University results being 65.60 %. Ankita Rai topped the class.

The BMS Degree passing percentage is 59.52. Dalmia Aman Manoj Vandana topped the class. The BAF Degree passing percentage is 89.06. Balar Karthikeya Maharudra topped the class. The BBI Degree passing percentage is 67.69. Rawal Vinit Vishnukumar Leela topped the class. The BFM Degree passing percentage is 41.07. Savardekar Apoorva Sunil Madhura topped the class. The BMM Degree passing percentage is 57.89. In Advertising Gandhi Prachi Ashok Madhavi topped the class and In Journalism Joshi Yashika Sandeep Vibha topped the class. BSc(IT) passing percentage is 50.00. Abhishek Kambli topped the class. The MCom-II (Accountancy) passing percentage is 81.13 and Hegde Ashwini Bhimraya topped the class. The MCom (Management) passing percentage is 86.67 and Fernandes Niceta Prisca topped the class.

The HSC college result this year is 97.27 percent. Shaikh Anam Abdull Rauf stood first this year. The FYJC passing percentage is 94.13.

Our students not only excel in academics but also in the cultural field and sports. We promote all round development of students by encouraging them to take part in curricular and extra-curricular activities. Our students participated and bagged several prizes at the various intercollegiate competitions conducted by the University and the city colleges.

The Dalmia Lions Utsav has been setting benchmarks every year. This year we had 110 colleges participating in the events. We provide the youth a platform to showcase their talent and creativity. This mega event saw a barrage of celebrities from the media and film world that were judges and special guests motivating the youth to excel.

In the field of sports I am extremely proud to say that Prof. Rajesh Maurya and his entire team are doing a commendable job. The Dalmia Lions Khel Mahotsav organized on 8th and 9th December 2017. This mega sports event was inaugurated by Shri. Vishwajeet Bhatnagar, National Badminton Champion. The college is proud of the laurels brought our star performers: Our Junior College "Cricket Team has made us proud by reaching the Semi Final at the U/19 Cricket Tournament Organized by D.S.O (Suburb) of Mumbai. Our Degree College "Football" Team achieved the formidable feat of reaching the Quarter Final at the Inter-Collegiate football Tournament organized by University of Mumbai

Our champs - Nagarkar Abhishek of SYJC with his 4 Gold medals until now in Martial Arts (Siekai), 4 Gold medals in Tang Soo Do has made us proud. We are proud of our Senior College Champ Ravindra Kotiyan who has won laurels in Table Tennis. Saurav Pandey won for our college the silver medal at National Level in Chattisgarh in Kick Boxing. Kukreti Devang won the Bronze Medal in Boxing at the University Level.

In the cultural field our students have always been in the forefront. Our Cultural Association is known for its winning streak. This year won the overall trophies at 16 colleges: Thakur Vidhya Mandir – Brahmotsav, National Academy of Event Management And Development – Josh, Ghanshyamdas Jalan college – Aura, Wilson College – Ole, St Pauls Institute of Communication Education – Mediathon, Chetana College – Kaushalya, Patkar Varde College – Pragyotsav, Reena Mehta College – Mridang, L.S Raheja College – Udaan, Saraf College – Mauj, DGMC – MMC, Niranjana Majethia College – Manan, St. Francis Institute of Management and Research – Exuberance, Shankar Narayan College – Udaan, K.G Mittal College – Jashnn, J.M Patel College – Sanskardham.





Our NSS team is doing a commendable job and benefitting the society around us. This year our NSS volunteers went for a residential camp to our adopted village – Tandulwadi, wherein they did a commendable job. Our Osarvira Dalmian Project was generously supported by the Lion members. They engaged in distribution of Bedsheets, Soaps, Donation of footwear, toothbrush, toothpaste, chocolates and biscuits to school children, donation of cupboards, clothes, utensils, stationary, tables and chairs to school donation of chairs to the BAYAP Hall, donation of saris, towels and mats, sewing machines, and foodgrain to the villagers. A Medical Camp was organized at the village site and **the Lions Medical Centre was inaugurated** making medical help possible in the village that does not have any medical facility.

We are proud to state that our college won the Second prize at inter-collegiate skit competition–UDAAN – ‘A Flight to Extension’ organized by the The Department of Life Long Learning & Extension (DLLE), University of Mumbai on 20th January. Our Extension Units participated in a noble mission- ‘Nanhe Kadam’ - an initiative to help the needy “to walk a mile” on 1st October 2017. Students collected 250 pairs of old footwear to be donated to Greensole Company. The Greensole Company converted them into comfortable footwear. The footwear was then donated to the children in need.

This year we organised two National conferences. The college organized a National Seminar on REVISED ACCREDITATION FRAMEWORK BY NAAC on Saturday, 17th February, 2018. This seminar was organized for updating academicians about the revised framework and discussing the challenges before the institutions considering the new guidelines. The seminar was inaugurated at the hands of the Chief Guest - **Dr. Jagannath Patil, Adviser, National Assessment and Accreditation Council, Bangalore** and Guest of Honour **Dr. Smita Asthana Dean- Academics & IQAC Coordinator, St. Ann's College, Hyderabad, Telangana**. The Self Financed Section of our college in association with Internal Quality Assurance Cell organized the UGC sponsored National conference on ‘ICT for economic prosperity, Entrepreneurship, Good governance and Development’ on 3rd March 2018.

The Self Finance Course and IQAC department of Prahladrai Dalmia Lions College of Commerce and Economics in association with the Board of Studies in Accountancy & Finance and Banking & Insurance organized a workshop in the College Campus on 15th July, 2017.

In keeping with the theme of the year, an inter-collegiate conference on ‘Youth & Wellness: Body, Mind & Spirit’ was organized on 22nd February, 2018 by the students of the Department of Business Communication under the aegis of IQAC. It was a conference organized ‘by the students for the students’ with an objective of understanding the importance of health which includes our body, mind & spirit. The BMM department organized an intercollegiate conference on the topic ‘Gender on 15th March, 2018.

This year we had four in-house publications: *Fare Forward*- the newsletter of IQAC, Bulletin by the department of BMM called – ‘SCOOP’, Rainbow and *D'LITA* the e-magazine.

The Career Guidance Cell arranges for career guidance and the Placement Cell is proactive in getting companies of repute to the college campus so that our students can be well placed. **A Job Fair –DRISHTANT** was conducted by the Cell on 27th Feb 2017. We encourage our students to do internships at various reputed firms of Mumbai.

Our various extension units and associations are doing a commendable job and benefitting the society around us. A community project ‘Ek Mutthi Anaj’ was undertaken by college extension units in a village near Dahanu. 1300 kg of rice was donated by our students.

We now have a Zero Waste Campus project implemented in the college campus.

Through one of our best practices by the Department of Foundation Course this year too, 1100 students, visited 25 institutions such as orphanages, old age homes, homes for the disabled, the visually impaired and homes for kids with special needs, women, street children, etc. These visits have sharpened the social sensibilities of our students and have made them more aware and sensitive towards the weaker sections of our society.

We have organized a number of guest lectures, workshops, panel discussions, seminars for our students throughout the year. Our teachers are very active in the field of research and have been invited to various conferences National and International for Paper Presentations. We have had books published by our teachers – Dr. Shiva Padme, Prof. Subhashini Naikar, Prof. Bhavana Singh, Dr. Sudipta Roy Chowdhury, Prof. Kirti Sigtia, Dr. Jayprakash Yadav and Prof. Sandeep Gupta.

Our teaching faculty has been proactive in the field of research. Our teachers have presented and published papers at national and international conferences. This year two of our teachers – Dr. Bharat Pandya and Dr. Shami Nimgulkar-Kamble – have completed their Doctorate in Philosophy. Our teachers are invited as resource persons for seminars at various colleges in and out of Mumbai. We have teachers who have authored books on academic topics. With such commendable staff and students our college is definitely set to soar high.

With a proactive teaching faculty and administrative staff, a very supportive & encouraging management at my side, I am sure that our institution will grow in leaps and bounds. I take this opportunity to thank our management for their constant encouragement and support. With their active support and co-operation I am sure our college will scale new heights of success and glory. I am thankful to the teaching and administrative staff that constantly helps me in the administration of the college.

Thank you.

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Principal

