# **Report of the Cultural Event**

# 2014-15

#### Anand Saptah Saptdhara

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**Report**: 1. Every year, the college holds one cultural and sports festival. It is called Anand Saptah. It is a weeklong event. Several cultural and sports competitions are held during this period. This year also, the event was held from 9 to 13 January 2015. The event began with inauguration and lamp lighting by the Principal. In charge faculty Dr. Swati Kapadia explained the event schedule to the students. The first day was celebrated as Suit and Saree Day. The judges selected the winners. On the first day Essay Writing, Poetry Recitation, Poetry Completion, Elocution, Group Discussion, Extempore, On the Spot Painting, Best Out of Waste, Rangoli, Mehendi, Hair Styling, Chess, Standing Long Jump, Standing High Jump, Shot Put were held. More than 200 students took part in competitions. Day 2 was Environment Day. On this day General Knowledge Quiz and Solo Dance competitions were held. Third day was Traditional Day. Antakshari, Group Dance and then garba were played. The last day began with competition of filmy/non filmy songs. Finally, at 10:30 there was prize distribution ceremony. Dr. A K Singh was invited as the chief guest. He, along with the Honorary Secretary of BVB Shri Mukesh Patel and Principal Dr. Neerja, gave prizes to the winners and felicitated students with outstanding performance in academics (Student council) NCC, NSS and Sports. Also, medals donated by ex as well as present faculty were given to the toppers in the previous University examination. Rajvi Vyas of B Com semester 6 was given all-rounder trophy.

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#### **Report 1: Elocution Sponsored Bank of Baroda**

Bank of Baroda Vigilance Drive sponsored an elocution competition among the students of the college on 14-10- 2015. Officers from the Bank had also remained present. Current topic related to Corruption was given as the topic by the bank people. 15 students participated in the competition. Dr. Vidya Rao, Dr. Nayak and Dr. Niranjana Brahmbhatt were the judges. Prizes were declared on the same day. Students were felicitated by the Bank later on in their own function.

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#### **Report 1 Elocution Sponsored Bank of Baroda**

Bank of Baroda Vigilance Drive sponsored an elocution competition among the students of the college on 25-10- 2016. Officers from the Bank had also remained present. Current topic related to Terrorism was given as the topic by the bank people. 20 students participated in the competition. Dr. Swati Kapadia, Dr. Modiya and Dr. Niranjana Brahmbhatt were the judges. Prizes were declared on the same day. Students were felicitated by the Bank later on in their own function. Dr. Vidya Rao and Dr. Swati Kapadia were also invited and felicitated in the function.

#### **Report 2 Elocution in 2 rounds:**

A special committee was foemed by the college and Elocution competition was held in two rounds. The main objective was to develop skill among the students. The first round was class wise competition. It was held in respective classes. The winners were chosen. The final round was held during Anand Parv.

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### 2017-18:

#### **Anand Parv**

#### **Report 1. University Foundation Day**

Date of celebration : 23 November 3017

As per directive from the University, the University Foundation Day was celebrated in Geeta Hall. Cultural programme prepared by the students as well as faculty was performed. The college got a certificate of appreciation from the University for the celebration.

Report 2. Inter College Reading Competition of Poetic Forms in Multi Languages,

In December 2017, this competition was held. It was a unique competition, one of its kind. The participants had to read verses of different poetic forms. 8 to 9 colleges participated in the event. Dr. Swati Kapadia and Dr. Niranjana Brahmbhatt coordinated the event. Judges were called from outside. Dr. Darshana Trivedi, Head of the Department of English, Gujarat University, was one of the judges.

#### **3. Report Anand Parv**

Since the semester was very short, the cultural and sports festival was cut down to two days and was called Anand Parv. Essay Writing, Poetry Recitation, Elocution, Group Discussion, Extempore, On the Spot Painting, Rangoli, Mehendi, Hair Styling, Solo Dance, Group Dance, Filmy/Non-filmy Songs, Garba, General Knowledge Quiz, Chess, Standing Long Jump, Standing High Jump and Shot Put competitions were held during the two days. Shri Mukesh Patel presided over the Prize Distribution function. Ansari Nasrin received the All-rounder Trophy.

### 2018-19

#### Drama Workshop Anand Parv

#### **Report 1 Drama Workshop**

A one week drama workshop was organised in he institution in August 2018. The workshop was conducted by a theatre personality Sri Dilip bharvad. Eminent theatre and film personality Sri Nisarg Trivedi also came as a guest speaker. 15 students participated in the workshop. At the end of the workshop a skit and a mime what prepared. The following students took part in the workshop.

 Purva Joshi sem 3
Sanju Yadav Sem 3
Sandeep Nair Sam 3 4.Chintak Modi MA sem 3
Yash Vaghela BA sem 5
Shivani Rajput B. Com sem 3
Rajini BCom sem 3
Rajini BCom sem 5
Kuldeep BCom sem 3 10. Khadija BA sem 3
kulsum BA sem 3
Disha BA sem 3
Blessy Christian M A sem 3
Bhumika BA sem 1

#### **Report 2 Anand Parv**

Cultural and Sports Festival was celebrated for 2 days in February. Essay Writing, Poetry Recitation, Poetry Completion, Elocution, Group Discussion, On the Spot Painting, Best Out of Waste, Rangoli, Mehendi, Hair Styling, Solo Dance, Group Dance, Filmy/Non-filmy Songs, Garba, Chess, Standing Long Jump, Standing High Jump, Shot Put competitions were held. Nimesh Prajapati of B Com semester 6 was given the All-rounder Trophy.

#### **Additional Information**

Apart from annual celebration of cultural festivals, the institution actively participates in the mega cultural event of Gujarat University - Youth Festival- which is held every year under the hosting of affiliated colleges. About 30 cultural competitions are held at 2 levels- zonal and inter zonal. The institution had hosted City Zone Youth Festival in 2012. Every year, about 40 to 45 students participate in various events of Youth Festival. The students are selected by holding

selection round competitions at the institutional level. Jilan dudhwala had won prize in Light Vocal in 2014. Shivani in 2016 and Purva Joshi in Western Vocal, Purva and group in Western Group Song (2017-18) Apeksha in Elocution (2016-17) Harshil and group in Indian group song(2018-19) Dharmik in classical Instrumental (2018-19) Sofiya in Poetry Completion, Yash in Spot Photography(2018-19), to site a few names, won prizes in Youth Festival. The college team had won first prize in G.K. Quiz at the Inter-zonal level in 2016-17. It must be noted that the college allocates budget for Youth Festival to train the students and also for transportation cost to go to the venue.

Students are also sent to other institutions for participation in inter college competitions like Elocution, Debate, Mehendi, Rangoli, Essay writing and Poetry Recitation. Habiba got first prize in Mehendi competition at the Inter - College Cultural Fest organised by Nirma University in 2014-15. Vansh vadhavani stood first in the Essay writing competition conducted by sudhu vaswani Mission in 2016.

Every year the institution fully sponsors 3 to 4 students to participate in Indian Student Parliament held on MIT Campus, Pune.

Independence Day and Republic Day are celebrated by flag hoisting followed by small cultural programmes. The previous year Gandhi Jayanti was celebrated by a 2 hour cultural programme including patriotic songs, skits on Gandhi and nationalism, Initiatives of Government like Skill India, Swachh Bharat, and Startup by the students of Post Graduate classes of the college.

Annually, Sports competitions like Standing Long Jump, High jump, Shot Put and Chess are held by the institution. Students participate it in big numbers. The college has its own Cricket team, Kabaddi team, Softball team, Volleyball team as well. Students play at the University, State, National as well as International level. Elavenil is an international player in Rifle Shooting. Deepshikha and Ishwari are national Lawn Tennis players. Deepshikhs has been selected for World University Camp .Pathan jamilunisa is the wicket keeper of the University Cricket team. Dhrumi prajapati of M.A. semester 2 is an all rounder player in the University Cricket team Mehal Zala of semester 4 is a boxer and has represented the college in competitions. Desai Mitesh B.Com semester 4 (kabaddi), Gohil Shakti M.A. semester 2 (Javelin throw) Parth Prajapati (Softball), to site a few names, have shown eminence at the University level. With immense support from the institution, students successfully make marks at the University, State, National as well as International levels.

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Activity Title	Blood donation
Date & Time	22/01/2016
Objective	To help needed people
Content	Under the <b>NSS Cell</b> , Blood donation camphas been carried out by <b>Lions Club Ahmedabad</b> .In this camp important tips have been given by the speaker.
No. of Student	30
participate	
In charge	Prof. Nareshmodiya
Place	BHAVAN'S SHETH R.A.COLLEGE OF ARTS & COMMERCE,
	AHMEDABAD



Activity Title	World population day
Date & Time	11th July 2017
Objective	To aware students about impact of Over Population in India
Content	World Population Day is meant to focus attention of students on the urgency and importance of Population issues. This day aims at spreading awareness about the exploding world Population.
No. of Student	130
participate	
In charge	Dr Bharti Singh
Place	BHAVAN'S SHETH R.A.COLLEGE OF ARTS & COMMERCE, AHMEDABAD
Activity Photograph	



Activity Title	SwachchhataAbhiyan rally
Date & Time	16/09/2018
Objective	Toaware cleanliness in slums area.
Content	Under the <b>NSS Cell</b> , swachchhataAbhiyan rally has been carried out by <b>Govt. of Gujarat.</b> In this rally students propagate about important of cleanliness slums area situated at Shankabhuvan.
No. of Student	150
participate	
In charge	Prof. Nareshmodiya
Place	BHAVAN'S SHETH R.A.COLLEGE OF ARTS & COMMERCE,
	AHMEDABAD



Activity Title	GanpatiVisarjan
Date & Time	: 23/09/2018
Objective	Toaware cleanliness in volunteers of Nss
Content	Under the <b>NSS Cell,</b> Eyes checkup camp has been carried out by
	BHAVAN'S SHETH R.A.COLLEGE OF ARTS & COMMERCE. In this
	camp important tips about cleanliness have been given by the
	Dr. PC Chavda.
No. of Student	40
eparticipate	
In charge	Dr. VinodNayak, Dr. PC Chavda, Prof. Nareshmodiya
Place	BHAVAN'S SHETH R.A.COLLEGE OF ARTS & COMMERCE,
	AHMEDABAD
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Activity Title	Gandhi Jayanti
Date & Time	02/10/2018
Objective	Students know life character and ideals of Mahatma Gandhi.
Content	Under the NSS Cell, Gandhi Jayanti program has been carried
	out by BHAVAN'S SHETH R.A.COLLEGE OF ARTS & COMMERCE.
	In this program students participated activities like drama,
	essay writing, etc.
No. of Student	250
participate	
In charge	Dr. VinodNayak
Place	BHAVAN'S SHETH R.A.COLLEGE OF ARTS & COMMERCE,
	AHMEDABAD
Activity Photograph	



Activity Title	Youth Fitness
Date & Time	09/08/2016
Objective	To aware physical fitness of youth
Content	Under the <b>Gujarat University</b> , Youth fitness program has been carried out by <b>Ahmedabad Mirror</b> . In this program important tips of exercise have been given by the trainer.
No. of Student	125
participate	
In charge	Prof. Nareshmodiya
Place	BHAVAN'S SHETH R.A.COLLEGE OF ARTS & COMMERCE,
	AHMEDABAD
	Activity Photograph



Activity Title	visit to shelter home
Date & Time	23rd& 28th Dec 2018
Objective	ToEyes checkup of the students
Content	Under the <b>NSS Cell</b> , Eyes checkup camp has been carried out by <b>Ashreaygruh.</b> In this camp volunteers met with beggar people and distributed food and winter wears.
No. of Student	15
participate	
In charge	Prof. Nareshmodiya
Place	BHAVAN'S SHETH R.A.COLLEGE OF ARTS & COMMERCE,
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Activity Title	Hanging water-pot for birds
Date & Time	04/04/2019
Objective	Tofacilitate water for thirsty birds
Content	Under the <b>NSS Cell</b> , Eyes checkup camp has been carried out by <b>Ashraygruh.</b> In this program volunteers have been hang water pot on various trees.
No. of Student	20
participate	
In charge	Prof. Nareshmodiya And Dr. Bharti Singh
Place	BHAVAN'S SHETH R.A.COLLEGE OF ARTS & COMMERCE,
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Activity Title	Relief funds for Kerela
Date & Time	12/08/2018
Objective	Toprovide relief fund and other needy items to victims
Content	Under the NSS Cell, Volunteers collected food, needy items, cloths and relief fund from all students and teachers. Volunteers have sent these all items to help the victims of flood in Kerela.
No. of Student	30
participate	
In charge	Prof. Nareshmodiya
Place	BHAVAN'S SHETH R.A.COLLEGE OF ARTS & COMMERCE,
	AHMEDABAD

