



From The
Desk of the Principal



Year 2023-24

AUGUST

The Department of Social Work conducted an orientation programme on Programme Outcome (PO) and Course Outcomes (COs) for its students across different semesters. The sessions were held on 8th August 2023 for 5th and 3rd Semester students and on 21st August 2023 for 1st Semester students

On August 14th, 2023, the Department of Sociology, Don Bosco College, Itanagar held its orientation program for first, third, and fifth-semester students. The program aimed to familiarize students with college rules and traditions, departmental culture, and their specific semester subjects and papers.

On August 14th, 2023, the Department of History at Don Bosco College, Itanagar held an orientation program for its new B.A. 1st-semester students. Fiftysix (56) students participated in the program.

Independence Day (15th August, 2023): The day was celebrated in the college campus with enthusiasm. The day's program comprised a cultural program featuring the esteemed GPC Jollang as the chief guest, as well as a march past by 63 NCC cadets, showcasing the unit's discipline and dedication.

The Department of History held an orientation program for its third-semester students on August 17th, 2023. Sixty-one students attended the one-hour session.

Red Ribbon Club Expands Health Awareness for World Mosquito Day: In addition to their focus on HIV/AIDS awareness, the Red Ribbon Club of Don Bosco College, Itanagar, observed World Mosquito Day on 20th August, 2023, on campus. Club coordinator, Mr. Ravi Mihu, delivered a talk on the causes and prevention of mosquito-borne diseases

The NCC unit at Don Bosco College hosted a successful Enrollment Rally on 21st August, 2023. The rally attracted enthusiastic participation from students, with 39 students from the Senior Wing (SW) and 42 students from the Senior Division (SD) took part.

The Department of Social Work organized a One Day Orientation Programme on 21st August 2023 for the newly admitted 1st Semester Bachelor of Social Work students.

The Department of History commemorated the International Day for the Remembrance of the Slave Trade and its Abolition on August 24th, 2023, by hosting a special session in B.A.

5th semester class. Both B.A. 5th and 3rd-semester students actively participated in the event.

An orientation program was conducted for the New Cadets by CTO Mr. Sandip Bose on 28th August, 2023. Caretaker Officer (CTO) Mr. Sandip Bose led the program, guiding the enthusiastic recruits through the fundamentals of the NCC program. His presentation emphasized the significance of NCC participation, focussing on, discipline and leadership skills, life skills, exposure to military training and procedures and creating opportunities for personal growth and leadership.

National Sports Day, celebrated on 29th August, holds special significance for the Sports Club. To commemorate this occasion, the club organized a lively badminton tournament open to all students

SEPTEMBER

In honor of Gandhi Jayanti (October 2nd), the Sports Club participated in the 2nd Edition Kholie Tania Memorial Inter Village Volleyball Tournament, showcasing the college's commitment to community engagement and sportsmanship

International Literacy Day (ILD) was organized by the Book Club in collaboration with DBC Central Library on 8th September (Friday) 2023 at E- library. Dr. Sur Chandra Singha, the club coordinator, deliberated on Digital Literacy, Digital Divide, and Information Literacy among the younger generation. Mr. Ravi Mihu, Assistant Professor of Don Bosco College, delivered a speech on the theme of the event, which was "Promoting Literacy for a World in Transition: Building the Foundation for Sustainable and Peaceful Societies.

The Red Ribbon Club at Don Bosco College actively participated in the "Red Run-5 km Marathon Race" organized by the Arunachal Pradesh State AIDS Control Society, Directorate of Health and Services, Naharlagun, on 8th September, 2023. This race aimed to raise awareness about HIV/AIDS.

Don Bosco College Central Library held a one-day training program on September 9th, 2023, led by Dr. Sur Chandra Singha. The program equipped participants to access and utilize digital library resources like Web OPAC, N-LIST, and NDLI

DBC Central Library held department-wise orientation programs for new BA/B.COM/BSW students from September 11th to 19th, 2023, at the E-Library. The sessions introduced students to library resources and services, including collections, rules, classification systems, borrowing, reference materials, and online resources like N-LIST, NDLI, OPAC/Web OPAC, E-Books, E-Journals, and educational platforms (Swayam, NPTEL, IIT Bombay Spoken Tutorial)

On September 15th, the Department of Political Science actively commemorated International Day of Democracy by hosting a speech competition within the department. The chosen theme, "The Role of Social Media in Shaping Modern Democracy," encouraged critical thinking about the impact of social media on democratic processes.

The Eco Club of Don Bosco College observed World Rhino Day on 22nd September, 2023 at the college campus. It was celebrated with a view to raise awareness about the critical plight of the rhinoceros' species and advocating for their protection

A Career Guidance and Motivational Talk was organized on 26th September, 2023 by the Career Guidance and Placement Cell, DBC in collaboration with ALS IAS Academy, Itanagar, for final year students and fresh graduates of 2023. The program featured esteemed speakers, Shri. Manish K. Gautam, Director of ALS Academy, and DGP Shri Robin Hibu IPS, President of Helping Hand NGO. They presented their insights about Civil Services, competitive exams and individual talents.

The Women Cell of the college organized a poster exhibition in the college premises on 26th September, 2023, showcasing information about various contraception methods and their importance.

The Department of Political Science observed “Right to Know Day” on 28th September, 2023. Head of Department, Mr. Ayu Poupu, delivered an opening address emphasizing the significance of transparency, accountability, and access to information as cornerstones of democracy.

The Department of Sociology recently held the second annual “Sociological Talks,” titled “Dissemination of Contemporary Social Issues.” The September 28th event at the College Auditorium provided a platform for students to share their sociological knowledge and engage in critical analysis and discussion of current social issues from a sociological perspective.

OCTOBER

The Eco Club participated in a Clean-Up Campaign organized by the College to clean Jollang village, Arunachal Pradesh, on October 2nd, 2023. The campaign, held in collaboration with local communities, NGOs, and government agencies, aimed to raise environmental awareness and promote sustainable practices.

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In solidarity with the world, the Eco Club of Don Bosco College, Itanagar, observed World Animal Welfare Day on October 4th, 2023. To mark the occasion, Mr. Tater Duchok, the Club President, delivered a speech emphasizing the importance of animal well-being worldwide.

The Literary Club of Don Bosco College observed the National Poetry Day on 5th October 2023. National Poetry Day was founded in 1994 by William Sieghart. The Club conducted a Poetry Writing Competition on 6th October, 2023 to commemorate the day

DBC Central Library organized a Four-Day Workshop on “Basic Computer Skills and Effective Internet Use in the Library” from 16th to 19th October, 2023, at E-Library. The goal of the basic computer training was to give the participants technical knowledge about computer fundamentals, computer applications, internet research, communication tools and E-Library’s resources.

The Department of English, in collaboration with Din Din Club, Itanagar organized a Creative Writing Workshop on October 20th, 2023. The theme, “Enkindle the Creative Mind Within,” attracted over 60 participants from various colleges and Rajiv Gandhi University. The workshop featured keynote address by Mr. Wanggo Socia. Dr. Doyir Ete Taipodia launched “Matrix Volume II,” a poetry collection by state poets. Technical sessions on “The Journey of Publishing” and “Creative Writing” were delivered by Dr. Gumlat Maio and Mr. Gankhu Sumnyan, respectively. Padma Shri Awardee Y. D. Thongchi, the highlight of the event, shared his inspiring journey as a writer, encouraging young minds to embrace writing

The Students’ Amenity Cell of Don Bosco College, Itanagar, successfully organized a postal campaign on “Cleanliness and Hygiene” on October 20th, 2023. The campaign’s primary objective was to raise awareness among the student community regarding maintaining hygiene in the college campus, specifically in washrooms (both boys’ and girls’ commons), classrooms, and other areas. Dr. Lalgin Chongloi, the cell’s coordinator, emphasized the importance of cleanliness and hygiene

Don Bosco College NCC Unit was well-represented at the All India Trekking Camp held in Odisha

from September 24th to October 6th, 2023. One dedicated cadet from the college participated in this challenging and enriching experience.

The Department of English observed its Department Day on October 31st, 2023, under the theme "Become the Touches of Sweet Harmony." Students showcased their literary talents through dramatic presentations.

NOVEMBER

The Eco Club of Don Bosco College commemorated the International Day for Preventing the Exploitation of the Environment in War and Armed Conflict on November 6th, 2023. To raise awareness about this critical issue, Eco Club members displayed informative slogans highlighting the devastating effects of war on the environment.

The Department of English had the opportunity to participate in the 5th Edition of the Arunachal Lit-Fest held from November 16th to 18th, 2023, at the Dorjee Khandu Convention Centre, Itanagar. 50 students from the department, accompanied by Ms. Binnya Matey and Ms. Monica Basar (Assistant Professors)

On November 18th, 2023, the Department of Sociology successfully held the 2nd Interaction Programme at Y SQUARE, Poma Village, Itanagar. The program aimed to foster a sense of community and we-feeling within the department and rejuvenate the spirit of enthusiasm

On 21st November, 2023, the Eco Club of Don Bosco College, Itanagar, organized World Fisheries day with a view to demonstrate the importance of maintaining the fisheries of the world along with highlighting the problems like overfishing and mechanization

The Bosco Youth Care of Don Bosco College organized talk on "How to Cope with Exam Stress" (24th November, 2023): The main objective of the talk was to create awareness among the students' community relating to exam stress and a way forward.

On November 24th, 2023, 47 female students from Don Bosco College participated in a one-day workshop focused on the Women Entrepreneurship Platform (WEP). This initiative, organized by the Department of Industries in collaboration with NITI Aayog, provided a valuable platform for aspiring female entrepreneurs.

The Department of Economics, Don Bosco College, Itanagar, actively participated in various observances, educating students and raising awareness on significant national and global issues. These included National Milk Day on 26th November, 2023, World Ozone Day on 15th September, 2023, Central Excise Day on 24th February, 2024, and World Home Economics Day on 21st March, 2024.

The Department of Political Science delegated 28 students to attend a program organized by the Arunachal Pradesh Legislative Assembly to commemorate the adoption of the Constitution of India on November 26th, 2023, at the DK Auditorium. The program was graced by prominent figures including the Hon'ble Governor, Hon'ble Chief Minister, and Hon'ble Speaker of APLA. Themed "Pink Constitution Day," the program commenced with a ceremonial reading of the Preamble.

DECEMBER

The Red Ribbon Club of Don Bosco College, Itanagar observed the "World AIDS Day" on 1st December, 2023 at the Seminar Hall. Mr. Ravi Mihu, club coordinator spoke about the causes and

preventions of HIV/AIDS and requested students to become brand ambassadors of the society to create awareness about HIV/AIDS

JANUARY

Thirty dedicated cadets from the Don Bosco College NCC Unit, comprising fifteen Senior Division (SD) and fifteen Senior Wing (SW) members, actively participated in the Annual Combined Annual Training Camp (CATC) held from 18th to 27th January, 2024 at NIT, Nirjuli

FEBRUARY

On February 2nd, 2024, the Eco Club of Don Bosco College, Itanagar joined the global community in celebrating World Wetlands Day. In order to give importance to this day, Eco club members displayed slogans to highlights the vital role of wetlands in our environment and raises awareness about their conservation and sustainable management.

The Department of Social Work conducted one-day workshop on Participatory Rural Appraisal (PRA) on 3rd February, 2024 to familiarize the Bachelor of Social Work (BSW) students from 4th and 6th semesters with the basic concepts, tools, and techniques of PRA, enhancing their practical skills for community-based research and data collection

On 10th February 2024, Dera Natung Government College (DNGC), Itanagar had conducted an Inter-College Essay, Debate and Quiz competitions under the direction of Directorate of Transport, Naharlagun as a part of observance of Road Safety Month on 10th February, 2024. The topic of the debate was "Enforcement has limited role in Road Safety". Mr. Kangkinam Taggu, (2nd Semester and Mr. Kimak Nyokir, 4th Semester), Department of political Science took part in the competition

International Mother Language Day is observed annually on 21st February to promote linguistic and cultural diversity and to celebrate multilingualism around the world. The Literary Club of Don Bosco College, Itanagar embraced this occasion with enthusiasm, recognizing the significance of preserving and promoting linguistic diversity among its students.

The IT Club actively participated in the observance of National Science Day on February 28, 2024, commemorating the discovery of the Raman Effect by Sir C.V. Raman. As part of this observance, the club organized a poster campaign to promote scientific awareness and foster interest in science among students, further contributing to the promotion of scientific literacy within our college community.

On 28th February, 2024, the Career Guidance & Placement Cell (CGPC) had organized an Awareness Program on the theme "Financial Literacy" in collaboration with the RBI, Itanagar. Shri. Abhijit Majumdar, General Manager, RBI, Itanagar and Mr. Chhouraj Kumar Deori, Assistant Manager, RBI, Itanagar in their deliberations highlighted about Financial Independence (Gaining control of financial future and make informed decisions about saving, investing, and managing debt), Financial Security (Build a safety net to weather unexpected expenses and achieve long-term financial stability) and Financial Freedom.

MARCH

The Department of Political Science, in collaboration with the NSS Cell of Don Bosco College Itanagar, conducted a session on "Mera Pehla Vote Mera Desk Ke Liye" on 2nd March, 2024.

On 3rd March, 2024, the Eco Club, DBC Itanagar commemorated World Wildlife Day to raise awareness of the interconnectedness of all living things on our planet and to promote peaceful coexistence between humans and animals through activism, campaigning and education

The Women Cell organized a menstrual hygiene drive on 4th March, 2024 at the BPL colony Jollang. This initiative aimed to empower women and break the stigma often associated with menstruation. The students distributed 100 sanitary napkins and conducted educational sessions on menstrual health and hygiene.

Department of Commerce organized the Departmental Seminar: Topic “Contribution of Entertainment Industry to State’s Economy: Experiences from Cinema Halls of Itanagar” on 6th March 2024 in the College Auditorium from 10 AM. The event was graced by Shri. Nabam Hita, owner of Sky Digital Cinema, Nirjuli.

The Women Cell of the college organized a special event to commemorate International Women’s Day on 8th March, 2024, featuring speeches, cultural performances, and panel discussions. Ms. Yaro Taksing, Senior GCI, APBN, NCC Naharlagun, Arunachal Pradesh, the esteemed Chief Guest, delivered an inspiring address highlighting the importance of investing in women’s empowerment for societal progress.

On 20th March 2024, the Eco Club, DBC Itanagar, observed World Sparrow Day. This year’s theme is “Sparrows: Give them a tweet-chance!”, “I Love Sparrows” and “We Love Sparrows”. To mark the occasion, Thomas Taba, a student of B.A. 4th semester, delivered a speech stressing the significance of sparrows’ presence for our ecosystem and biodiversity.

The Department of Sociology successfully conducted its departmental seminar on “Post-Pandemic Social Challenges” on March 21st, 2024. Four student presentations explored various aspects of the theme, including: 1. The Impact of the Post-Pandemic on Socio-Economic Life 2. Post-Pandemic Challenges on Social Media 3. Post-Pandemic Social Challenges in the Health Sector 4. Post-Pandemic Challenges in Education

The Department of History successfully held its 12th Annual Departmental Seminar on March 22nd, 2024, focusing on the topic “Socio-Political Administration of Arunachal Pradesh.” Ms. Bar Yakar, Assistant Professor at Dera Natung Government College, Itanagar, was the esteemed resource person for the event

The Career Guidance & Placement Cell (CGPC) had organized an Interaction-cum-Career Guidance Programme in collaboration with the Rajagiri Business School (RBS), Kerala on 18th March, 2024, for Final semester students of the College. The primary purpose of the event was to provide students with a platform to interact and know more about the courses and other facilities available at RBS for further studies.

UTSAV 3.0, the Department of Social Work Academic Fest was held on March 19, 2024, under the theme “Breaking Barriers: Shaping the Future.” Aligned with the global narrative of World Social Work Day 2024 and its theme - “Buen Vivir: Shared Future for Transformative Change,” UTSAV 3.0 was a significant event highlighting critical discussions within the discipline. The Department of Social Work released its official newsletter, “The Changeloomers” during UTSAV 3.0, the department’s academic festival. The launch ceremony included esteemed guests like Dr. Joseph Riamei (Keynote Speaker), Ms. Alison Welly (Chief Guest for Cultural Programme), and Dr. (Fr.) Jose George (Principal), Fr. C.D Mathai (Rector) and department staff

The Department of English at Don Bosco College held a seminar on March 23rd, 2024 on “Exploring Trauma in Literature from Northeast India: A Study of Select Works.” Dr. Taw Azu, Principal,

Government College Doimukh, was the Resource Person

The Department of English, Don Bosco College, Itanagar, commemorated World Theatre Day on 27th March 2024. The event aimed to raise awareness about the significance of theatre in education, entertainment, and cultural exchange.

On 28th March, 2024, the Good Samaritan Club organized an outreach program in Dath Village, Jollang, focusing on providing assistance to widows and widowers living alone.

APRIL

The Yoga Club at Don Bosco organized a special event to mark World Autism Day, observed annually on April 2nd. World Autism Day is dedicated to raising awareness about autism spectrum disorders (ASD) and promoting acceptance, inclusion, and understanding of individuals with autism

The Career Guidance & Placement Cell partnered with Mahendra's Coaching Institute, Itanagar on 2nd April, 2024 to empower final year students with the knowledge and tools to prepare for their professional careers. The programme aimed to equip students with the knowledge to make informed career decisions, increase their awareness of job prospects and relevant exams, and provide them with the tools to succeed in their chosen paths.

The Department of Economics, DBC, Itanagar, organized its annual departmental seminar on 4th April, 2024. Starting at 10 am, it drew the participation of approximately 104 students. Dr. Lijum Nochi, Associate Professor from the Department of Economics, RGU, graced the event as the resource person.

The Department of Political Science had conducted its annual Departmental Seminar on 6th April, 2024 at college auditorium. The topic of the seminar was "Students Participation in Politics with Special Reference to Arunachal Pradesh". The seminar aimed to delve into the role of students in political activities, with a specific focus on the context of Arunachal Pradesh

The workshop titled, "AI Tools for Researchers" was organized on 10th April, 2024 at E-Library with the aim of introducing researchers to various AI tools and techniques that can enhance their productivity and capabilities in conducting research across different domains.

The Dera Natung Library, DBC, Itanagar, organized a book exhibition in connection with World Book and Copyright Day on April 23rd, 2024. The exhibition aimed to promote literacy and celebrate the importance of books and copyright

On 23rd April, 2024, the Dera Natung Library, Don Bosco College, Jollang, Itanagar celebrated "World Book and Copyright Day". This event honored the importance of books and emphasized the significance of protecting intellectual property through copyright laws

The Red Ribbon Club of Don Bosco College, Itanagar observed World Malaria Day on April 25th, 2024, at college campus. During the program, club coordinator Dr. Ravi Mihu spoke about the causes and prevention of malaria.

On April 26th, 2024, the Amenity Cell organized an awareness program on "Effective Utilization of College Amenities." The program aimed to promote proper utilization of college amenities. It employed a targeted approach to engage stakeholders and foster a culture of responsible use.

The Bosco Youth Care also conducted a talk on "Drug Abuse and Alcoholism" on 30th April, 2024 to shed light on the multifaceted dimensions of this issue and explore effective strategies for prevention and intervention

MAY

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Don Bosco College, Itanagar marked a significant milestone with the inauguration of its state-of-the-art Bosco Gym on 3rd May 2024. The inauguration ceremony was graced by the esteemed presence of Shri. Tadar Appa, Director of Sports for the Government of Arunachal Pradesh, and Fr. CC Jose, who attended as the special guest

On 8th and 9th May 2024, the Book Club Members of Don Bosco College, Itanagar, undertook a shelf rectification task aimed at organizing and enhancing the library's collection.

One-Day Career Counseling Workshop, Dated: 6th May 2024: A One-Day Career Counselling workshop was held for 4th and 6th semester BSW students. Dr. John G. Gangmai, Assistant Professor, RGU, guided students on their future careers in social work.

On 6th May, 2024, the Good Samaritan Club conducted an outreach program at Ganga, Itanagar, focusing on interacting with beggars and cobblers in the area. The club members, under the leadership of Mr. Augustin Syuim, actively engaged in the program, demonstrating their commitment to serving the marginalized members of society

On 8th and 9th May 2024, the Book Club Members of Don Bosco College, Itanagar, undertook a shelf rectification task aimed at organizing and enhancing the library's collection. The initiative involved a systematic review of the existing shelves to ensure that books were properly categorized, labeled, and arranged for easy access and retrieval

8th Inter-Semester/Department Bosco Basketball Trophy: The highlight of the Sports Club's basketball endeavours was the successful organization of the 8th Inter-Semester/ Department Bosco Basketball Trophy. The tournament saw a high level of engagement, with 38 teams comprising both boys and girls from various departments. It was a vibrant display of talent and competitive spirit.(DATE NOT MENTIONED)

Participation in the 27th Jollang Nyokum Celebration 2024: Collaborating with Chimpu, Baat, Ganag, and Chemi Panchayats, Don Bosco College participated in the 27th Jollang Nyokum Celebration 2024. Across various sports, our teams exhibited remarkable skill, determination, and sportsmanship.(DATE NOT MENTIONED)












DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH

Mr. Daikho Athishu
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HoD. Department of English



Do you ever crave stories that challenge your perspective and leave you forever changed? We the department of English hold the power to ignite the fire within you. Empowered by a legacy of excellence, we uphold the legacy of literary titans- a lineage of storytellers who dared to explore the depths of the human experience. Empowered by their wisdom, we open the door to the scalpel of critical thinking, dissecting masterpieces with a keen eye, unravel hidden themes and unearth universal truths that resonate across cultures and generations. We try to mould students to be architects of meaning, crafting their voices to create indelible marks on the literary landscape.




FACULTY OF THE DEPARTMENT

				
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STUDENTS' ACHIEVEMENT IN RGU EXAMINATION

The students perpetuated the legacy of the department by securing three ranks in the university examination conducted by Rajiv Gandhi University for the session 2022-2023.

		
Teli Mepu 3 rd Rank, 1 st Division	Tshüvivi Kajiri 6 th Rank, 1 st Division	Kikrusenuo 8 th Rank, 1 st Division

ACTIVITIES OF THE DEPARTMENT FOR THE SESSION 2023-24

1. Creative Writing Workshop:

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2. Department Day:

The Department of English observed its Department Day on 31st October, 2023, under the theme "Become the Touches of Sweet Harmony." Students showcased their literary talents through dramatic presentations. The performance included Narration of "The Grand Inquisitor,"



enactment of “Sweeney Among the Nightingales”, “The Seven Ages of Man” and Shylock’s speech from “The Merchant of Venice.”



3. Enhancing Literary Exposure: Student Participation in Arunachal Lit-Fest

This year, 50 students from our department, accompanied by Ms. Binnya Matey and Ms. Monica Basar (Assistant Professors), had the opportunity to participate in the 5th Edition of the Arunachal Lit-Fest held from November 16th to 18th, 2023, at the Dorjee Khandu Convention Centre, Itanagar. The festival provided a platform for students to engage with the literary world firsthand. They not only witnessed the inspiring release of books by prominent author and Padma Shri Awardee Shri Y. D. Thongchi and other budding writers, but also participated in Q & A sessions and workshops, gaining valuable insights from established authors. This exposure aimed to ignite a passion for literature within our students and foster a connection with the vibrant literary scene of Arunachal Pradesh.



4. Department Seminar

The Department of English organized its annual departmental seminar on 23rd March, 2024 on “Exploring Trauma in Literature from Northeast India: A Study of Select Works.” Dr. Tau Azu, Principal, Government College Doimukh, was the Resource Person. The seminar addressed the complex and often underrepresented theme of trauma in the region, which has faced historical hardships like British colonialism and ongoing social issues. Students, focusing on works by authors from Manipur, Nagaland, Assam, and Mizoram, presented research on how these writers depict the persistent effects of trauma in their literature.



Department Seminar, 23rd March, 2024

5. World Theatre Day:

The Department of English, Don Bosco College, Itanagar, commemorated World Theatre Day on 27th March, 2024. The event aimed to raise awareness about the significance of theatre in education, entertainment, and cultural exchange. Students of the department from across the semesters participated in the programme. Fr. Phuvito explored the philosophical and educational aspects of theatre, while Mr. Luhish Lushai focused on the practical aspects of performance and its role in cultural preservation. One positive and pertinent outcome of the programme was the motivation among students to reflect on the power of theatre in education, entertainment, and cultural exchange, leading to a deeper understanding of these concepts.





DEPARTMENT OF SOCIOLOGY

Dr. Lalin Chongloi
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The Department of Sociology, Don Bosco College, Itanagar was established in the year 2004. Since its inception, the department has played a pivotal role in shaping young minds, equipping them with a quality sociology education and critical thinking skills to tackle future endeavours and analyse social issues from a broader perspective.

The department has six committed teachers who render their services devotedly and sincerely.

FACULTY OF THE DEPARTMENT

Dr. Lalin Chongloi HoD & Assistant Professor M.A., NET, Ph.D	Mr. Pouluanthai Phaomei Assistant Professor M.A., NET	Dr. Tailyang Sirah Assistant Professor M.A., NET, Ph.D	Dr. Sr. Penny Rose Assistant Professor M.A., Ph.D	Fr. C.D. Mathai Assistant Professor M.A.

A. Achievements and Activities of the Department

1. RANK HOLDERS FOR THE SESSION 2022-23:

Every year, the department's students consistently bring laurels to both the department and the college by securing positions in the RGU Examinations. In the 2022-2023 academic session alone, three students achieved outstanding results.

Vilakuonuo Kera 4 th Rank, 1 st Div.	Nangram Holee 5 th Rank, 1 st Div.	Sengmay Wangrey 7 th Rank, 1 st Div.



2. Sociological Talks:

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The talks were divided into two sessions, each focusing on contemporary social issues. Speakers delved into specific issues, meticulously discussing causes, consequences, and potential solutions. A common theme emerged: the crucial role of collective and community participation in mitigating social problems. Speakers also emphasized the importance of community involvement in supporting stakeholders who implement projects aimed at solving these issues.



Photo: Sociological Talks, 28th September, 2023

3. Interaction Programme

On November 18th, 2023, the Department of Sociology successfully held the 2nd Interaction Programme at Y SQUARE, Poma Village, Itanagar. The program aimed to foster a sense of community and we-feeling within the department and rejuvenate the spirit of enthusiasm. It provided a valuable platform for students from all semesters to connect, share ideas, and engage in stimulating discussions



Photo: Interaction Programme, 18th November, 2023



4. Orientation Program:

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5. Departmental Seminar:

The Department of Sociology successfully conducted its departmental seminar on “Post-Pandemic Social Challenges” on 21st March, 2024. Four student presentations explored various aspects of the theme, including:

1. The Impact of the Post-Pandemic on Socio-Economic Life
2. Post-Pandemic Challenges on Social Media
3. Post-Pandemic Social Challenges in the Health Sector
4. Post-Pandemic Challenges in Education

Dr. Padi Hana, Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology, RGU, served as the keynote speaker. His address emphasized the importance of exploring and understanding the pandemic’s impact on socio-economic life, highlighting the unprecedented repercussions it has had on society.



Photo: Departmental Seminar, 21st March, 2024

6. Certificate Course:

The Department of Sociology successfully offered two certificate courses: “The Study of Material Culture of Arunachal Pradesh” for fifth-semester students and “The Study of Non-Material Culture of Arunachal Pradesh” for sixth-semester students.

Both courses culminated in the submission and presentation of research reports on 13th November, 2023 (for the 5th semester) and 30th April, 2024 (for the 6th semester). These reports formed the basis for awarding certificates, with each student’s work being evaluated by their respective course instructor.



DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS

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The Department of Economics, Don Bosco College, Itanagar, is a beacon of academic excellence and holistic education. Led by experienced educators and promising young scholars, the department fosters a nurturing environment for learning and growth. This report provides an overview of faculty composition, student enrollment, notable achievements, and key activities undertaken during the 2023-24 session.

FACULTY DETAILS

			
Dr. Prafulla Rajbanshi HoD & Assistant Professor M.A., NET/JRF, Ph.D	Ms. Bomrik Gadi Assistant Professor M.A., NET	Mr. Babujyoti Gosh Assistant Professor M.A., NET (Ph.D Pursuing)	Ms. Rubu Mamung Assistant Professor M.A., NET

STUDENTS' ENROLMENT FOR THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2023-24

Sl. No.	Class	Number of Students		
		Male	Female	Total
1	First Semester	30	14	44
2	Second Semester	23	13	36
3	Third Semester	32	14	46
4	Fourth Semester	26	14	40
5	Fifth Semester	29	18	47
6	Sixth Semester	27	18	45

RANK HOLDERS FOR THE SESSION 2022-23



Lee Ado
4th Rank, 1st Division



Bombin Padung
8th Rank, 1st Division



Activities of the department for the session 2023-24

1. Days of observance

The Department of Economics, Don Bosco College, Itanagar, actively participated in various observances, educating students and raising awareness on significant national and global issues. These included National Milk Day on 26th November, 2023, World Ozone Day on 15th September, 2023, Central Excise Day on 24th February, 2024, and World Home Economics Day on 21st March, 2024. Each event featured informative activities, speeches, and displays, contributing to a deeper understanding of relevant topics among students.



National Milk Day



World Ozone Day



Central Excise Day



World Home Economics Day

2. Departmental Seminar

The Department of Economics, DBC, Itanagar, organized its annual departmental seminar on 4th April, 2024. Starting at 10 am, it drew the participation of approximately 104 students. Dr. Lijum Nochi, Associate Professor from the Department of Economics, RGU, graced the event as the resource person, offering valuable insights. Dr. (Fr.) Jose George's presence further elevated the seminar's stature. Four groups presented on key topics related to road infrastructure and transportation dynamics in Arunachal Pradesh.



9th Departmental Seminar

3. Certificate Course

The department offered certificate courses in Research Methodology (ECO-RM-01) for fifth-semester students and Application of Research Methodology in Economics (ECO-RM-02) for sixth-semester students. Twenty-three fifth semester students and thirty-two sixth semester students successfully completed their respective courses.



5th Semester



6th Semester

The Department of Economics, Don Bosco College, Itanagar, fostered an environment conducive to learning and growth throughout the 2023-24 session. We remain steadfast in our commitment to upholding the highest standards of education and continue to strive for excellence in all our endeavors



DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY

Dr. Dusu Sambyo
Assistant Professor
HoD. Department of History

Don Bosco College, Itanagar, implemented the National Education Policy (NEP) 2020 in the August-December 2023 semester, aligning with Rajiv Gandhi University guidelines. This marked a shift from the Choice Based Credit System (CBCS) to a semester-based honours' program starting from the first semester. As a result, the college had a mix of students in different semesters during the academic year.

FACULTY OF THE DEPARTMENT

			
Dr. Dusu Sambyo HoD & Asst. Professor M.A., B.Ed, Ph.D.	Mr. Shivumso Chikro Asst. Professor M.A., M.Phil., SLET	Mr. A.C. Ramganiing Asst. Professor M.A., NET	Mrs. Mudang Tunya Asst. Professor M.A., Net, SLET

STUDENTS' STRENGTH FOR THE SESSION 2022-23

Sl.No	Semester	No. of Students
1	II Semester (NEP)	90
2	IV Semester (CBCS)	89
3	VI Semester (CBCS)	69
4	VI Semester (Old Course)	05
5	Total	253

STUDENTS' ACADEMIC REPORT:

The Department of History takes delight to witness the students' academic performance in Rajiv Gandhi University examination with good pass percentage. During 2022-23 session, the pass percentage was 91.25%. As per the records, seven students cleared Entrance Test for M.A. in Rajiv Gandhi University, Rono Hills, Arunachal Pradesh namely - Dani Digyang, Biaje Bimpak, Mesung Sono, Neyi Ragyor, Pebi Riba, Sunde Phassang and Yape Tatu.

ACTIVITIES OF THE DEPARTMENT:

- 1. Orientation Programme:** On 14th August, 2023, the Department of History at Don Bosco College, Itanagar held an orientation program for its new B.A. 1st semester students. Fifty-six (56) students participated in the program.



The program aimed to familiarize students with:

- College rules and regulations
- The department's curriculum and the subjects they would be studying in their first semester
- Course learning objectives (what students are expected to achieve in each course)

2. Orientation Programme for third semester students: The Department of History held an orientation program for its third-semester students on 17th August, 2023. Sixty-one students attended the one-hour session. The program focused on familiarizing students with their upcoming coursework, specifically the different subjects (papers) they would encounter in the semester.

It also covered essential aspects like:

- Course learning objectives: What students are expected to achieve by the end of each course.
- Basic concepts: Fundamental ideas students will explore in their studies.
- Assessment methods: How student performance will be evaluated.

3. International Day for the Remembrance of the Slave Trade and its Abolition. The Department of History commemorated the International Day for the Remembrance of the Slave Trade and its Abolition on 24th August, 2023, by hosting a special session in B.A. 5th semester class. Both B.A. 5th and 3rd semester students actively participated in the event.

Dr. Dusu Sambyo, Head of the Department, provided insightful remarks on the historical significance of abolishing the slave trade. Gichik Aya, a B.A. 5th semester student, delivered a detailed presentation on the Slavery Abolition Act of 1833, a landmark British law that freed over 800,000 enslaved Africans.

4. Departmental Seminar: The Department of History successfully held its 12th Annual Departmental Seminar on 22nd March, 2024, focusing on the topic "Socio-Political Administration of Arunachal Pradesh." Ms. Bar Yakar, Assistant Professor, Dera Natung Government College, Itanagar, was the esteemed Resource Person for the event.

Dr. Dusu Sambyo, HoD of the Department, opened the seminar by highlighting the topic's significance and relevance for students preparing for state civil service examinations and its practical value for administrators working in remote areas of Arunachal Pradesh. History major students, divided into four groups, presented their research findings on various aspects of Arunachal Pradesh's socio-political administration:

- Group 1: "The Democratic System of the Apatanis and the Adis"
- Group 2: "Chieftaincy System of the Noctes and Wanchos"
- Group 3: "Theocratic System of the Khamtis and the Monpas"
- Group 4: "Arbiter System of the Bokar (Adis) and the Tagins"

Ms. Bar Yakar, the Resource Person, provided valuable insights on the seminar topics. She delved into the historical evolution of Arunachal Pradesh, exploring how the state's socio-political administration had transitioned and maintained continuity. Her commentary and critical analysis of each group's presentation offered valuable feedback and encouraged students to stay updated with relevant data.

The seminar concluded with the presentation of certificates to Mr. Podi Taipodia, the best paper presenter, and all the group members in recognition of their contributions.






DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE



Mr. Ayu Poupu
Assistant Professor
HoD. Department of Political Science

The Department of Political Science is proud to report a successful 2023-24 academic year. This year was marked by not only a strong sense of teamwork, but also by significant achievements across all areas of the department. The following lines will narrate the stories and activities that contributed to this successful year.

FACULTY PROFILE

			
Mr. Ayu Poupu HoD & Assistant Professor M.A, Pursuing Ph.D.	Dr. Namsidimbo Zeliang Assistant Professor M.A., NET & Ph.D.	Dr. Naorem Sumanta Singh Assistant Professor M.A., NET & Ph.D.	Dr. Tobi Lollen Assistant Professor MA, M. Phil, SLET, NET & Ph.D.

STUDENTS' ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT FOR THE SESSION 2022-23

			
Singyir Singkom Gold Medal Over All 4 th Rank 1 st Rank, 1 st Div.	Bapir Pertin 2 nd Rank, 1 st Div.	Tapung Rigam 3 rd Rank, 1 st Div.	Neha Kumari 4 th Rank, 1 st Div.
			
Lukmer Bujuk 7 th Rank, 1 st Div.	Logyo Yakum 8 th Rank, 1 st Div.	Jittah Nilling 9 th Rank, 1 st Div.	Komba Ete 9 th Rank, 1 st Div.



STUDENTS PROFILE

1 st Year	118	NEP
2 nd Year	106	CBCS
3 rd Year	104	CBCS
3 rd Year Repeater	8	Non-CBCS
Total	336	

OBSERVATIONS AND ACADEMIC ACTIVITIES

1. International Day of Democracy

On 15th September, 2023, the Department of Political Science actively commemorated International Day of Democracy by hosting a speech competition within the department. The chosen theme, “The Role of Social Media in Shaping Modern Democracy,” encouraged critical thinking about the impact of social media on democratic processes. This competition attracted enthusiastic participants who delivered thought-provoking speeches. The winners were Mr. Kimak Nyokir (3rd Semester), Miss Nyasum Loyi (1st Semester), and Mr. Manleam Toham (5th Semester).

2. Right to Know Day

The Department of Political Science observed “Right to Know Day” on 28th September, 2023. Head of Department, Mr. Ayu Poupu, delivered the opening address emphasizing the significance of transparency, accountability, and access to information as cornerstones of democracy. Mr. Biplob Roy, the Captain of the 3rd semester, delivered an insightful PowerPoint presentation focusing on the importance of the Right to Know in contemporary society. Through his presentation, Mr. Roy elucidated various aspects of the Right to Know, including its historical context, legal frameworks, and practical implications. The presentation captivated the audience’s attention and stimulated meaningful discussions on the subject matter.

3. Constitution Day Observance

The Department of Political Science delegated 28 students to attend a program organized by the Arunachal Pradesh Legislative Assembly to commemorate the adoption of the Constitution of India on 26th November, 2023, at the DK Auditorium. The program was graced by prominent figures including the Hon’ble Governor, Hon’ble Chief Minister, and Hon’ble Speaker of APLA. Themed “Pink Constitution Day,” the program commenced with a ceremonial reading of the Preamble. The students gained valuable insights into the importance of the Constitution from esteemed speakers like Shri Harivansh Narayan Singh, Hon’ble Speaker, and Shri Pasang Dorjee Sona, who emphasized its role in shaping India’s democratic structure and fostering civic responsibility.

4. Road Safety

Dera Natung Government College (DNGC), Itanagar had conducted an Inter-College Essay, Debate and Quiz competitions under the direction of Directorate of Transport, Naharlagun as a part of observance of Road Safety Month on 10th February, 2024. The topic of the debate was “Enforcement has limited role in Road Safety”. Mr. Kangkinam Taggu, (2nd Semester and Mr. Kimak Nyokir, 4th Semester), from the department took part in the competition.



5. Mera Pehla Vote Mera Desk Ke Liye

The Department of Political Science, in collaboration with the NSS Cell of Don Bosco College Itanagar, conducted a session on “Mera Pehla Vote Mera Desk Ke Liye” on 2nd March, 2024. The PO, Mr. Samsom Mossang, highlighted the importance and background of the session. Volunteers Heri Tath and Melenam Pangkam spoke during the session. The session ended with Mr. Ayu Poupu, HoD, Political Science, addressing and encouraging the students and volunteers to vote responsibly.

6. Departmental Seminar

The Department of Political Science had conducted its annual Departmental Seminar on 6th April, 2024 at college auditorium. The topic of the seminar was “Students Participation in Politics with Special Reference to Arunachal Pradesh”. The seminar aimed to delve into the role of students in political activities, with a specific focus on the context of Arunachal Pradesh. The event was graced by Dr. Fr. Jose George (Principal), Dr. Dipongpou, HoD of Political Science, Dean, School of Social Sciences, Himalayan University, Itanagar as the Resource Person of the day.

Four groups proceeded with their paper presentations:

- Group A: “Participation of Student Union in Politics.”
- Group B: “Students’ Participation in Electoral Politics.”
- Group C: “Students’ Role in Socio-Political Issues in Arunachal Pradesh.”
- Group D: “Impacts of Students’ Participation in Politics in Arunachal Pradesh.”

On the basis of the presentation, the Resource Person had adjudged Mr. Logio Tatung and Miss Aliya Molo as the best presenters of the seminar.







DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Ms. Jasmine Kimsing
Assistant Professor
HoD. Department of Commerce



The department of Commerce, Don Bosco College, Itanagar, since its inception, has been in the forefront in terms of academic excellence. The department fosters a strong learning environment through faculty-student collaboration. The Bachelor of Commerce (B. Com) program offers specializations in Marketing Management, Human Resource Management, and Accounting. During the academic year, 2023-24, the Department of Commerce achieved impressive results, with pass rates exceeding 90% across semesters.

FACULTY MEMBERS FOR THE ACADEMIC SESSION 2022-23

				
Ms. Jasmine Kimsing HoD & Asst Professor BMS, MBA, NET Pursuing Ph.D		Ms. Laxmi Rai Asst Professor M.Com, M. Ed, M.Phil., CTET,, Pursuing Ph.D		Dr. Arun Kumar Sharma Asst Professor M.Com, SLET, B. Ed, Ph.D
				
Dr. Raju Goyary Asst Professor M.Com, NET, SLET, Ph.D		Dr. Tenzing Norbu Asst Professor M.Com, M.Phil., NET, Ph.D		Mr. Ravi Mihu Asst Professor M.Com, M.Phil., NET, Pursuing Ph.D

RGU Result:

SL.NO	Semester	Appeared	Passed	Percentage
1	I	62	61	98.3%
2	III	44	40	90.9%
3	V	51	51	100%



Student Achievement in University Examination: In the last academic year, 2022-23, the Department of Commerce achieved exceptionally good results, securing three RGU (Rajiv Gandhi University) ranks. Sanjiv Bhowmik attained the 2nd position with a score of 80.45%, Billi Badak secured the 3rd position with 79.05%, and Aman Subba claimed the 9th position with 76.66%.

STUDENTS' ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT FOR 2022-23

		
Sanjiv Bhowmik Commerce 2 nd Rank, 1 st Division	Billi Badak Commerce 3 rd Rank, 1 st Division	Aman Subba Commerce 9 th Rank, 1 st Division

DEPARTMENT ACTIVITIES

Departmental Seminar: The annual departmental seminar on the topic, “Contribution of Entertainment Industry to State’s Economy: Experiences from Cinema Halls of Itanagar” was organized on 6th March, 2024 in the College Auditorium. The event was graced by Shri Nabam Hita, owner of Sky Digital Cinema, Nirjuli. He provided insights into the role of Cinema Halls in Itanagar and their contribution to the overall economic growth of the State and Country as a whole. The seminar included presentations by two groups of students who delved into various aspects of the topic. The first group highlighted the contribution of Cinema Halls to the economy from Tax Perspective. Their topic was “Contribution of Cinema Halls of Itanagar to State’s Economy: A Study from Tax Perspective”. The second group discussed the contribution of Cinema Halls through employment generation, emphasizing their role in creating jobs and fostering community engagement with their topic entitled, “Contribution of Cinema Halls of Itanagar in State’s Economy through Employment Generation”.





Role Playing: The Department of Commerce had implemented role-playing activities as an innovative pedagogical approach to engage students in practical learning experiences. To enhance student engagement, the department began to utilize role-playing activities. These simulations provide hands-on experience in commerce decision-making, fostering critical thinking, problem-solving, and interpersonal skills in a simulated business environment.



Industrial Tour: The Department of Commerce organized an industrial tour for B. Com 6th semester students to Naara Aaba Winery, Ziro, Arunachal Pradesh with the aim of providing practical exposure to real-world business operations and processes. The tour was designed to complement theoretical knowledge gained in the classroom with hands-on experience in industrial settings.





Group discussion session: The department fosters communication and collaboration through group discussions for 4th semester students. These sessions allow students to share insights and hone critical thinking skills as well as communication skills while tackling commerce-related topics.



Class room PowerPoint presentation: The department organized classroom PowerPoint presentations as part of the curriculum to enhance students' presentation skills, reinforce learning, and encourage active participation. The classroom PowerPoint presentations yielded several positive outcomes such as improved presentation skills and confidence among students such as it enhanced critical thinking and communication skills through peer interaction and feedback.

Micro Teaching: 5th and 6th semester students undertook the responsibility of conducting micro-teaching sessions for juniors of the department on various commerce topics such as management, business economics, cost accounting, E- commerce etc.





DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL WORK (BSW)

Dr. Dominic Leo

Assistant Professor

HoD. Department of Social Work (BSW)



The Department of Social Work actively engages in academic and field-based practices, striving toward participative, inclusive, and sustainable development. Its primary vision is to educate bachelor of social work students to become confident, competent, and passionate change agents. The department's mission revolves around experiential and insightful teaching – learning processes that combine theoretical inputs, personalized interaction, supervised fieldwork, and the holistic development of the students.

The Department of Social Work at Don Bosco College operates within four key areas, each contributing significantly to the overall development and growth of its students:



1. **Teaching:** The department's teaching philosophy goes beyond traditional degree programs. It emphasizes the development of essential behavioral and life skills alongside academic knowledge. This ensures graduates are not just theoretically proficient, but also possess the practical abilities needed to thrive as social work professionals. Through a combination of lectures, seminars, workshops, and experiential learning activities, students are equipped with a comprehensive understanding of social work principles and practices.
2. **Practice:** The integration of theory into practice is a fundamental aspect of the department's educational philosophy. This integration is facilitated through various practical experiences such as fieldwork, rural immersion camps, and workshops. These experiences provide students with opportunities to apply theoretical concepts in real-world settings, interact with diverse communities, and develop problem-solving skills.
3. **Research Projects:** Research forms an integral part of the department's academic endeavors. Students are encouraged to undertake research projects, including dissertations based on empirical work and evidence.
4. **Field Action Projects:** The department actively engages students in field action projects aimed at enhancing their skills and fostering entrepreneurial development. These projects involve collaborating with community-based organizations, designing and implementing social interventions, and evaluating their impact. Through field action projects, students gain practical experience in project management, community engagement, and advocacy.

STUDENTS' PROFILE

Sl.No	Semester	Boys	Girls	Total
1	Semester II (NEP)	12	12	24
2	Semester IV (CBCS)	7	8	15
3	Semester VI (CBCS)	5	8	13
4	Semester VI (NON - CBCS)	1	1	2



FACULTY PROFILE

			
Dr. Dominic Leo HoD, Assistant Professor MSW, NET, JRF, Ph.D	Mr. Francis Hasdak Assistant Professor MSW, NET	Mr. Telesphore Topno Assistant Professor MSW	Ms. Decem S Mitkong Assistant Professor MSW

STUDENTS' ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT FOR 2022-23

			
sering Lhaton Gold Medal 1 st Rank, 1 st Div.	Wuthu Apralo Social Work (BSW) 2 nd Rank, 1 st Div.	Koni Boging Social Work (BSW) 3 rd Rank, 1 st Div	Yura Chumna Social Work (BSW) 4 th Rank, 1 st Div.
			
Sangey Pema Gold Medal 5 th Rank, 1 st Div.	Gollo Nisha Social Work (BSW) 6 th Rank, 1 st Div.	Gepu Nirin Social Work (BSW) 7 th Rank, 1 st Div.	Sonlih Wangsu Social Work (BSW) 7 th Rank, 1 st Div.
			
Ngomjum Rikar Social Work (BSW) 8 th Rank, 1 st Div.	Taba Nikety Social Work (BSW) 9 th Rank 1 st Div.	Kesang Drema Social Work (BSW) 10 th Rank, 1 st Div.	



DEPARTMENTAL ACTIVITIES

1. One Day Orientation Programme for 1st Semester Students on 21st August, 2023:

The Department of Social Work organized a One Day Orientation Programme on 21st August, 2023 for the newly admitted 1st Semester Bachelor of Social Work students.

Outcomes of the programme:

- b. **Rules and Regulations:** Students gained an understanding of departmental rules and regulations, ensuring a smooth transition into the academic environment.
 - c. **Faculty Introduction:** Students were introduced to the teaching faculties, fostering a sense of familiarity and facilitating future interactions.
 - d. **Infrastructure Overview:** An overview of the department's infrastructure provided students with information about available resources, enhancing their academic experience.
- ### 2. Orientation of the Programme Outcome and Specific Course Outcome for the Academic Session 2023 - 2024:

The Department of Social Work conducted an orientation programme on Programme Outcome (PO) and Course Outcomes (COs) for its students across different semesters. The sessions were held on 8th August, 2023 for 5th and 3rd Semester students and on 21st August, 2023 for 1st Semester students.

The main objectives were to familiarize Bachelor of Social Work students with Programme Outcome (PO) and Course Outcomes (COs) for the academic session 2023 - 2024. To ensure understanding of the overall objectives of the program (PO) and specific learning outcomes of each course (COs), and facilitate student engagement and feedback on the orientation content.

Outcomes:

1. **Understanding PO and COs:** Students gained a clear understanding of the Programme Outcome (PO) and Course Outcomes (COs) for the academic session, aligning their learning goals with departmental objectives.
 2. **Enhanced Engagement:** The orientation sessions facilitated active student engagement, encouraging them to explore the learning outcomes of each course and their relevance to their academic and professional growth.
 3. **Feedback and Evaluation:** Feedback from students highlighted the effectiveness of the orientation programme in clarifying expectations and providing a roadmap for their academic journey.
- ### 3. Fieldwork: 16th August – 31st August, 2023

From 16th August to 31st August, 2023, students of Social Work (III & V Semester) were placed in different agencies to engage in Block Field Work.

Placement Agencies:

- i. Oju Welfare Association, Naharlagun - 5 students
- ii. Purva Bharati Educational Trust (PBET), Assam - 4 students
- iii. Centre for Development Initiatives (CDI), Guwahati - 4 students
- iv. ANMA Integrated Development Association (AIDA), Dimapur - 4 students
- v. Rural Voluntary Centre- Dhemaji, Assam - 3 students
- vi. Prachodhan- Majuli, Assam - 6 students
- vii. Thoughts to Action, Jorhat - 4 students



Outcomes:

- a. **Practical Experience:** Students gained valuable practical experience by working directly with communities and participating in social work activities within their respective placements.
- b. **Skill Development:** The fieldwork enhanced students' skills in areas such as community engagement, needs assessment, program implementation, and advocacy.
- c. **Community Understanding:** Students developed a deeper understanding of community dynamics, challenges, and resources, contributing to their overall professional development as social workers.



Social Work students with children at Dhemaji, Assam

4. Participatory Rural Appraisal (PRA) Workshop, Dated: 3rd February, 2024:

The primary objective of the one-day workshop on Participatory Rural Appraisal (PRA) held on 3rd February, 2024 was to familiarize the Bachelor of Social Work (BSW) students from 4th and 6th semesters with the basic concepts, tools, and techniques of PRA, enhancing their practical skills for community-based research and data collection. Led by keynote speaker, Miss Decem S Mitkong, Assistant Professor, the students were provided hands-on knowledge of various PRA tools such as Transact Walk, Seasonal Calendar, Mobility Map, Social Map, Ranking and Scoring, and Resource Mapping.

Outcomes:

- a. **Enhanced Understanding:** Students gained a comprehensive understanding of PRA concepts, tools, and techniques, equipping them with the knowledge required for effective community-based research.
- b. **Practical Skills:** The workshop facilitated the development of practical skills among students, enabling them to apply PRA methodologies in real-world scenarios.
- c. **Positive Feedback:** Feedback from participating students highlighted their satisfaction with the workshop, expressing enthusiasm for utilizing PRA techniques in future social work projects and community engagements.



5. UTSAV 3.0 - Breaking Barriers: Shaping the Future (Department Academic Fest), March 19th, 2024:

UTSAV 3.0, the Department of Social Work Academic Fest was held on 19th March, 2024, under the theme *“Breaking Barriers: Shaping the Future.”* Aligned with the global narrative of World Social Work Day 2024 and its theme - *“Buen Vivir: Shared Future for Transformative Change,”* UTSAV 3.0 was a significant event highlighting critical discussions within the discipline.

Esteemed speaker, Dr. Joseph Riamei from TISS, Guwahati Campus delivered an insightful talk on *“Towards Conscientization of Social Work Education: Some Reflections on Indigenisation of Social Work in North East India.”* Students actively engaged with Dr. Riamei, fostering a space for meaningful dialogue and critical thinking.

Ms. Alison Welly was the chief guest for the cultural programme which showcased a myriad of performances and inspiring speeches, reinforcing our commitment to social causes and community service. The event, attended by alumni, faculty, and students, was a testament to Don Bosco College’s dedication to academic excellence and social impact in North East India.



Alumni Meet, 2024: Department of Social Work

6. Release of “The Changeloomers” - Department of Social Work Newsletter, 19th March, 2024:

The Department of Social Work released its official newsletter, “The Changeloomers” during UTSAV 3.0, the department’s academic festival. The launch ceremony included esteemed guests like Dr. Joseph Riamei (Keynote Speaker), Ms. Alison Welly (Chief Guest for Cultural Programme),



Dr. (Fr.) Jose George (Principal), Fr. C.D Mathai (Rector) and department staff.

The release of “The Changeloomers” marked a significant milestone for the Department of Social Work, showcasing its commitment to academic excellence, research dissemination, and knowledge sharing. The presence of esteemed guests and faculty members added prestige to the event, affirming the department’s dedication to advancing social work education and practice.



7. One-Day Career Counseling Workshop, Dated: 6th May, 2024:

A One-Day Career Counselling workshop was held for 4th and 6th semester BSW students. Dr. John G. Gangmai, Assistant Professor, RGU, guided students on their future careers in social work. The workshop covered two main areas:

- **Preparation for MA-SW RGU:** Dr. Gangmai provided guidance on the RGUCET 2024 entrance exam and admission procedures for the Master of Arts in Social Work (MA-SW) program at Rajiv Gandhi University (RGU).
- **Developing Interview Skills:** The workshop also focused on enhancing students’ skills for group discussions (GDs) and personal interviews (PIs), essential steps for pursuing higher education and social work careers.
- **Feedback:** Students raved about the BSW career workshop. They found the info on RGUCET 2024 and MA-SW admissions invaluable. The practical sessions on group discussions (GDs) and personal interviews (PIs) boosted their confidence. Plus, the Q&A with personalized advice left them feeling empowered for their academic and career goals.





Welcome New teaching Staff & Supporting Staff, 8th Aug., 2023





Independence Day, 15th Aug., 2023



Tadar Kaha as Chief Guest





Orientation Programme, 17th - 18th Aug., 2023





Freshers' Day, 26th Aug., 2023





Freshers' Day, 26th Aug., 2023



Mr. Yangda Bindom & Miss Nyasum Loyi as Mr. & Miss Fresher





Graduation Cum Felicitation, 2nd Sept., 2023



Department of Commerce



Department of Economics



Department of English



Graduation Cum Felicitation, 2nd Sept., 2023



Department of Political Science



Department of History



Department of Sociology



Graduation Cum Felicitation, 2nd Sept., 2023



Department of Social Work (BSW)



University Toppers and Rank Holders



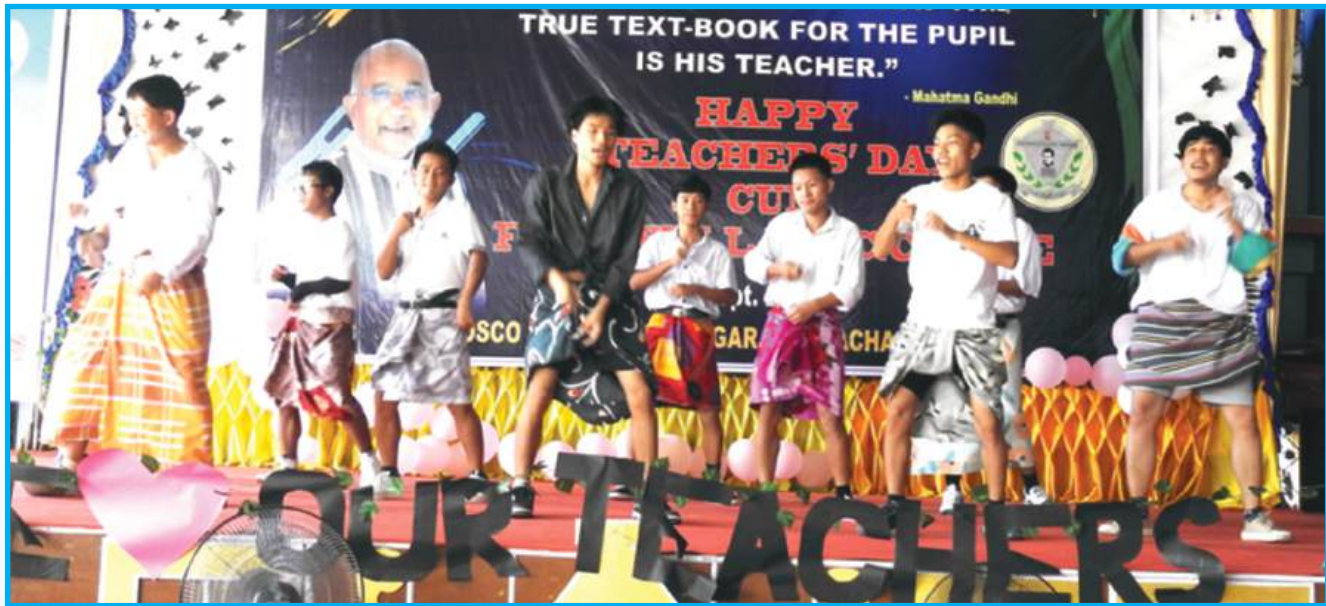


Graduation Cum Felicitation, 2nd Sept., 2023





Teachers' Day Celebration, 5th Sept., 2023





Teachers' Day Celebration, 5th Sept., 2023



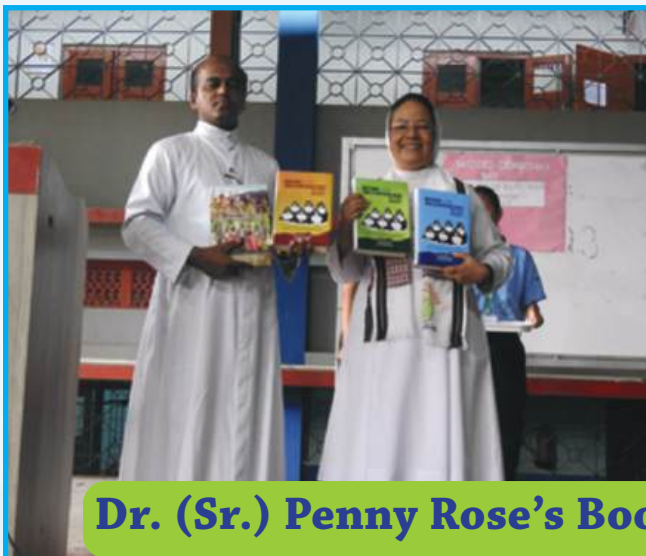


NSS Initiation Day, 15th Sept., 2023





Fr. Phuvito Emmanuel's Birthday, 25th Sept., 2023



Dr. (Sr.) Penny Rose's Book Release, 26th Sept., 2023



NSS UNIT, 2023-24



Independence Day 15th Aug., 2023



Initiation Day, 15th Sept., 2023



NSS Day, 25th Sept., 2023



NSS UNIT, 2023-24

Amrit Kalash Yatra, 13th Oct., 2023



State Level Republic Day Parade, 17th Oct., 2023



Systematic Voters' Education & Electoral Participation, 8th March, 2024



NCC UNIT, 2023-24

Independence Day, 15th Aug., 2023



Graduation Day, 30th Aug, 2023



NCC UNIT, 2023-24



Odisha Tracking Camp, 24th Sept., 2023



Gandhi Jayanti Day, 2nd Oct., 2023

Itanagar, ,



CATC Camp, 18th Oct, 2023



NCC UNIT, 2023-24

CO Visit At DBC, 28th Oct., 2023



ADG Visit 1APBn, 16th Nov., 2023



Best Cadet Award, 9th Feb, 2024



NCC UNIT, 2023-24

Fire Drill, 13th March., 2024



RDC Cadets Programme, 27th March, 2024





CULTURAL CLUB

Mr. Ayu Poupu
Coordinator



To preserve culture, we must continue to create it. The Cultural Club of Don Bosco College with its motto "Practice, Promote and Preserve" primarily aims to foster creativity, to celebrate diversity and to provide a platform for students to express themselves through various artistic activities. The club is led by Mr. Ayu Poupu Paul, Coordinator; Mrs. Mudang Tunya (Asst. Prof., Dept. of History) and Dr. Tobi Lollen (Asst. Prof., Dept. of Political Science). In the Academic session 2023-24, 56 students registered themselves in the club and took active participation in all the activities.

Designation	Name	Semester	Department
President	Miss Umawati Singpho	6 th Semester	Economics
Vice President	Miss Kengam Loyi	4 th Semester	History
Secretary	Miss Liyum Ori	4 th Semester	Political Science
Assistant Secretary	Miss Gampi Loyi	4 th Semester	History
Publicity & Information	Miss Kantina Manlong	6 th Semester	English
Asst. Publicity & Info.	Miss Tagru Yasum	6 th Semester	Political Science

Annual Plan:

Sl. No	Event	Date
1	Thematic dance Competition (Inter-Departmental)	30 th September, 2023
2	Cultural Unity Day	14 th April, 2024
3	International Dance Day	29 th April, 2024

Throughout the academic year, the Cultural Club successfully organized numerous captivating events.

Freshers' Meet: Freshers' Meet was organized with immense excitement and anticipation as the college welcomed a new batch of enthusiastic students on 26th August, 2023, with the motto, "Take the first step in faith, you don't have to see the whole staircase, just take the first step." Mr. Yangda Bindom from the department of Economics and Ms. Nyasum Loyi from the department of Political Science were adjudged Mr. Fresher and Miss Fresher respectively. Mr. Gyamar Dodum, Commerce Department and Miss Lipin Ete, Sociology department emerged as the Runners' up of Fresher Meet, 2023.





Graduation Day cum Felicitation: The much-awaited momentous event, Graduation Day cum felicitation of rank holders was organized on 2nd September, 2023. The event was graced by Shri Honchun Ngandam, Hon'ble Minister, Rural Works and Science & Technology, Arunachal Pradesh as the Chief Guest and Shri NabamTadar Rikam, Registrar, Rajiv Gandhi university, Rono Hills, Doimukh, Arunachal Pradesh as the Guest of Honour. The theme of the event was, "The roots of education are bitter, but the fruit is sweet."



Teachers' Day: Teachers' Day was celebrated on 5th September, 2023 under the theme, "Great teachers make ordinary students extraordinary." Through various dances and songs, the students expressed their appreciation and gratitude to the teachers for their relentless service. The day was also marked to bid farewell to Fr. CC Jose, Director of DBC for his tremendous contributions towards the development of the college.

Thematic Dance Competition: An Inter-departmental Thematic Dance Competition was organized on 13th October, 2023. The event was graced by the esteemed presence of Rt. Rev. Dr. Joseph Aind, Bishop Emeritus, Diocese of Dibrugarh. The competition culminated with the department of History securing the 1st position, presenting a profoundly moving performance and centered on the theme of "Poverty and Child Labour". The second position was bagged by the department of Economics, which offered a compelling interpretation of "Manipur Conflict". The department of English was placed third with their theme, "Tribute to the Real Heroes".





College Week: The Cultural Club is a part of College Week Organizing Committee taking care of all the cultural competitions and Food Fest. The College Week 2023 commenced on 1st November with Cultural Day cum Food Fest. Shri Lokam Tassar, Hon'ble MLA, Koloriang Constituency, AP and Rev. Dr. Benny Varghese Bishop of Itanagar, AP graced the occasion as Chief Guest and Guest of Honour respectively. The event was celebrated under the theme, "Celebrating diversity as one humanity".

The valedictory of the College Week was held on 8th November, 2023. Shri Alo Libang, Hon'ble Minister, Health & Family Welfare, Women & Child Development, Social Justice, Empowerment & Tribal Affairs, Govt. of AP graced the event as the Chief Guest and Shri Michi Paku, IPS IG (Security) Itanagar, AP as the Guest of Honour.



Farewell: Don Bosco College, Itanagar, concluded a poignant yet celebratory farewell programme on 7th May, 2024, bidding adieu to sixth-semester students of B.A, B.COM, and BSW. The event's motto, "Set your goals high and always dream big," resonated throughout the evening, symbolizing the transition from one chapter to another. The atmosphere was filled with nostalgia and optimism as students, faculty, and administrators gathered to reminisce about the cherished moments spent together.

The programme commenced with a melodious group song by the Department of Social Work, followed by a warm welcome address by Miss Liyum Ori from the Department of Political Science. The highlight was the felicitation of outgoing students from each department, accompanied by heartfelt messages and reminiscences shared by student representatives. Faculty member, Ms. Jasmine Kimsing delivered an inspiring speech, emphasizing the importance of consistency and discipline in pursuing one's aspirations.

Principal's farewell message reiterated the significance of upholding the Bosconian legacy in all endeavors, while the Rector bestowed blessings upon the departing students through a heartfelt prayer. The event also featured the recognition of outstanding individuals and departments with various awards. Mr. Tanu Lusi Tamin expressed gratitude in the vote of thanks, culminating the evening with a farewell feast, marking the end of a chapter and the beginning of new horizons for the graduating students.



ART CLUB

Ms. Pungam Rime
Gen, Secy, Art Club



Introduction:

The Art Club of Don Bosco College, Itanagar, embarked on a journey of creativity and collaboration throughout the academic year 2023-2024. Through various stage decoration projects, the club not only adorned spaces but also fostered teamwork, creativity, and a sense of belonging among its members.

Highlights:

1. **Freshers' Day Celebration, 2023 (25th August, 2023):** On August 25th, 2023, the Art Club commenced its journey by decorating the Assembly Hall Stage for the Freshers' Day Celebration. With 26 enthusiastic members, the activity commenced at 11:30 A.M. and concluded successfully by 05:00 P.M., marking a significant initiation for the club's endeavours.



2. **Graduation Day Program (1st September, 2023):** On 1st September, 2023, the Art Club adorned the stage for the Graduation Day program, symbolizing the transition of students. With an increased participation of 32 members from different semesters, the activity stretched from 11:30 A.M. to 07:30 P.M., showcasing growing involvement and dedication.
3. **Teachers' Day Celebration (4th September, 2023):** September 4th, 2023, witnessed the Art Club expressing gratitude towards teachers by decorating the stage for the Teachers' Day Celebration. Despite challenges, 21 members contributed actively from 12:40 P.M. to 08:00 P.M., demonstrating resilience and appreciation.
4. **College Week Cultural and Food Fest (31st October, 2023):** On October 31st, 2023, the Art Club transformed the stage for the vibrant Cultural and Food Fest, a highlight of the College Week. With 19 members collaborating seamlessly from 01:00 P.M. to 07:00 P.M., the event portrayed unity amidst diversity, as members from different houses worked together cohesively.



5. **Pre-Nyokum Celebration (16th February, 2024):** The Art Club embarked on its first activity of the Even Semester 2024 by decorating the stage for the Pre-Nyokum Celebration. With 23 members passionately engaging from 01:30 P.M. to 07:30 P.M., the successful decoration within six hours marked a triumphant conclusion to the academic year.



Conclusion: The Art Club's endeavors in stage decoration throughout the year not only embellished spaces but also fostered camaraderie, creativity, and dedication among its members. With each project, the club grew in strength and spirit, leaving a colorful imprint on the canvas of Don Bosco College, Itanagar.





ECO CLUB

Ms. Bomrik Gadi
Coordinator



Don Bosco College's Eco Club is a student-driven initiative that fosters environmental responsibility. This voluntary group works to engage students in environmental learning and improvement efforts. By organizing activities, the Eco Club cultivates environmental awareness among students, preparing them to be future stewards of the environment.

DETAILS OF COORDINATORS

Sl. No	Name	Designation
1	Bomrik Gadi	Coordinator
2	Dr. Sumanta Singh	Asst. Coordinator
3	Tater Duchok	President
4	Logo Naloiju	Vice president
5	Dado Yakam	General Secretary
6	Phurpa Dorjee	Assistant General Secretary

Activities organized by the Club in the College:

- World Rhino Day:** The Eco Club of Don Bosco College observed World Rhino Day on 22nd September, 2023 at the college campus. It was celebrated with a view to raise awareness about the critical plight of the rhinoceros' species and advocating for their protection. To commemorate this day, the Eco Club members exhibited informative posters displaying the history, significance, and important facts about rhinos, educating their peers about these magnificent creatures.



- Clean-Up Campaign at Jollang:** The Eco Club participated in a Clean-Up Campaign organized by the College to clean Jollang village, Arunachal Pradesh, on 2nd October, 2023. The campaign, held in collaboration with local communities, NGOs, and government agencies, aimed to raise environmental awareness and promote sustainable practices. The cleanliness drive began at 6:00 AM, targeting the area from Don Bosco College Itanagar to the Central Jail, Jollang. The main purpose of this program was to create awareness among students regarding cleanliness and its benefits. Under this program, all students along with teachers participated. The Club members collected a significant amount of



trash along the route, promoting a cleaner environment for Jollang village. In addition to the clean-up, they also cleaned and labeled over 50 flower pots and labeled more than 22 trees in the campus and its surroundings.



3. **World Animal Welfare Day:** In solidarity with the world, the Eco Club of Don Bosco College, Itanagar, observed World Animal Welfare Day on 4th October, 2023. To mark the occasion, Mr. Tater Duchok, the Club President, delivered a speech emphasizing the importance of animal well-being worldwide. Club coordinator, Miss Bomrik Gadi also spoke about the need to improve animal treatment and welfare standards. She further advised all the students to engage in diverse activities to promote animal protection and conservation efforts.
4. **International Day for Preventing the Exploitation of the Environment in War and Armed Conflict:** The Eco Club of Don Bosco College commemorated the International Day for Preventing the Exploitation of the Environment in War and Armed Conflict on 6th November, 2023. To raise awareness about this critical issue, Eco Club members displayed informative slogans highlighting the devastating effects of war on the environment. These slogans served as powerful reminders of the importance of protecting ecosystems and environments worldwide from the damage caused by war and armed conflicts



5. **World Fisheries Day:** On 21st November, 2023, the Eco Club of Don Bosco College, Itanagar, organized World Fisheries Day with a view to demonstrate the importance of maintaining the fisheries of the world along with highlighting the problems like overfishing and mechanization. To commemorate this day, an essay writing competition was organized. In the competition, Mr. Thomas Taba, B.A 3rd semester bagged the 1st position followed by Miss Tinky Kamsar, B.com 5th semester



International Day for Preventing the Exploitation of the Environment in War and Armed Conflict

6. **World Wetland Day:** On February 2nd, 2024, the Eco Club of Don Bosco College, Itanagar joined the global community in celebrating World Wetlands Day. In order to give importance to this day, Eco club members displayed slogans to highlight the vital role of wetlands in our environment and raise awareness about their conservation and sustainable management. This year's theme is 'Wetlands and Human Wellbeing' which underscores the critical role wetlands play in enhancing our lives. It highlights how wetlands contribute to flood protection, clean water, biodiversity and recreational opportunities, all of which are essential for human health and prosperity.
7. **World Wildlife Day:** On 3rd March, 2024, the Eco Club, DBC Itanagar commemorated World Wildlife Day to raise awareness of the interconnectedness of all living things on our planet and to promote peaceful coexistence between humans and animals through activism, campaigning and education. In honor of the event, Club Coordinator, Miss Bomrik Gadi gave a speech emphasizing the importance of conserving biodiversity and adopting sustainable practices to protect wildlife and their habitats. This year 2024's theme is, "Connecting People and Planet: Exploring Digital Innovation in Wildlife Conservation." It highlights the growing role of technology in protecting wildlife



8. **World Sparrow Day:** On 20th March, 2024, the Eco Club, DBC Itanagar, observed World Sparrow Day. This year's theme is "Sparrows: Give them a tweet-chance!", "I Love Sparrows" and "We Love Sparrows". To mark the occasion, Thomas Taba, a student of B.A. 4th semester, delivered a speech stressing the significance of sparrows' presence for our ecosystem and biodiversity. The Club Coordinator, Miss Bomrik Gadi also spoke, highlighting the dwindling sparrow population and stressing the urgency of protecting these birds



GOOD SAMARITAN CLUB

Mr.
Coordinator



The Good Samaritan Club remained steadfast in its commitment to extending compassion and support to communities in need throughout the year 2024. With outreach programs conducted in both Dath Village, Jollang, and Ganga, Itanagar, the club demonstrated its dedication to serving marginalized individuals and fostering a culture of kindness and empathy.

Outreach Program Highlights:

- 1. Outreach Program at Dath Village, Jollang:** On 28th March, 2024, the Good Samaritan Club organized an outreach program at Dath Village, Jollang, focusing on providing assistance to widows and widowers living alone. Led by the Club President, Mr. Augustin Syuim, seven club members actively participated in the program, embodying the spirit of service and solidarity.

Mr. Tad Hale, the Convener of the club, delivered a brief speech elucidating the club's objectives and values, emphasizing the importance of compassion and support within the community. Essential food items including 5 kg of rice each, 1 liter of cooking oil each, and 1 kg of salt each were handed over to all the widows and widowers, ensuring them basic necessities.

- 2. Outreach Program at Ganga, Itanagar:** On 6th May, 2024, the Good Samaritan Club conducted an outreach program at Ganga, Itanagar, focusing on interacting with beggars and cobblers in the area. The club members, under the leadership of Mr. Augustin Syuim, actively engaged in the program, demonstrating their commitment to serving the marginalized members of society.

Mr. Tad Hale delivered a poignant speech during the program, highlighting the club's mission and encouraging empathy and compassion towards those in need. Eatable items including fried rice, water, and mango juices were distributed to the beggars and cobblers, providing them with sustenance and refreshment.

Conclusion: The outreach programs conducted by the Good Samaritan Club at Dath Village, Jollang, and Ganga, Itanagar, exemplify the club's dedication to making a positive impact on the lives of individuals in need. Through the collective efforts of club members and the leadership of Mr. Augustin Syuim and Mr. Tad Hale, the club succeeded in fostering a culture of kindness, empathy, and support within the community. As the club continues its mission of service and compassion, it remains committed to uplifting and empowering marginalized individuals and communities.



IT Club

Dr. Naorem Sumanta Singh
Coordinator



Introduction: The IT Club continued its mission to foster technological innovation, collaboration and knowledge-sharing among students throughout the academic year, encompassing both the odd and even semesters. This annual report provides an overview of the club's activities, achievements, and contributions during this period.

Membership and Participation: Over the course of the year, the IT Club had experienced continuous growth in membership, with active participation of students in various club activities. Embracing diversity, the club welcomed new members from various backgrounds, nurturing a dynamic and inclusive community of technology enthusiasts.

Events and Initiatives: The IT Club had organized a diverse range of events and initiatives aimed at promoting learning, skill development, and networking opportunities among its members.

1. **The special talk on the Internet of Things (IoT):** The special talk on the Internet of Things (IoT), was designed to educate members about the emerging trends and applications of IoT across different industries. The presentations by esteemed speakers, Mr. Jato Wangham and Mr. Kimak Nyokir, provided invaluable insights into coding aspects and the broader implications of IoT technology, enriching the technical knowledge and perspectives of our members



National Science Day Observance: The IT Club actively participated in the observance of National Science Day on 28th February, 2024, commemorating the discovery of the Raman Effect by Sir C.V. Raman. As part of this observance, the club organized a poster campaign to promote scientific awareness and foster interest in science among students, further contributing to the promotion of scientific literacy within our college community.

The IT Club of Don Bosco College, Itanagar, remained steadfast in its mission to foster technological innovation, collaboration, and knowledge-sharing among students throughout the academic year. This annual report serves as a testament to the club's dedication and commitment to its goals, spanning both the odd and even semesters



LITERARY CLUB

Dr. Ratul Mahela
Coordinator



The Literary Club of Don Bosco College, Itanagar, is an ingenious group which encourages the creative faculty of the students. To start the activities of the new session, the Club circulated an online link for membership on 17th August, 2023. As many as 57 students submitted the online form and became the members of the Club. The Club held its first meeting for the session 2023-24 on 24th August, 2024 at 11:30 A.M. in the Seminar Hall wherein, new executive members were appointed for the smooth functioning of the Club. The following members were appointed as the Executive Members for the academic session 2023-24

SL. NO	Name	Designation/Member
1	Dr. Ratul Mahela	Coordinator
2	Ms. Monica Basar	Assistant Coordinator
3	Tage Mara	President
4	Bamang Menya	Vice President
5	Kiotum Lui	Secretary
6	Kabak Yarmin	Assistant Secretary
7	Kojum Jida	Secretary, Information and Public Relation (IPR)
8	Ashish Sabar	In-charge, Wall Magazine "Enkindler"
9	Representative, 1 st Year	Tamuk Yani
10	Representative, 2 nd Year	Tsering Choden Philley
11	Representative, 3 rd Year	Wama Cheda

The Club members were instructed and guided to update the wall magazine "**Enkindler**" every fortnight by their original writings. The members were actively involved in writing original creative pieces. The students' works were critically analyzed and feedbacks were given to them for improvement by the teachers of the department of English viz., Dr. Ratul Mahela (Coordinator), Ms. Monica Basar (Assistant Coordinator), Mr. Daikho Athishu (HOD), Fr. Phuvito Emmanuel, Sr. Suneetha Devasi, Mr. Luhish Lushai, Mr. Samsom Mossang, Ms. Binnya Matey and Sr. Kanga Margaret. The best creative pieces were chosen for the college Annual Magazine, BOSCO BEAMS.

In the academic year 2023-24, the Club successfully observed the following events:

- 1. National Poetry Day (6th October, 2023):** The Literary Club of Don Bosco College observed the National Poetry Day on 6th October, 2023 with a poetry writing competition. The winners of the competition were given certificates and prizes on 31st October, 2023 on Department Day of the Department of English. Miss Noimem Mossang (B. Com 1st Semester) secured the first position and Miss Fenia Dada (B.A. 3rd Semester, English) secured the second position. The third position was taken by Miss Tamuk Yani (B.A. 1st Semester, English) and Mr. Logyo Tagar (B.A. 1st Semester, English).
- 2. International Mother Language Day (21st February, 2024):** International Mother Language



Day is observed annually on 21st February to promote linguistic and cultural diversity and to celebrate multilingualism around the world. The Literary Club of Don Bosco College, Itanagar embraced this occasion with enthusiasm, recognizing the significance of preserving and promoting linguistic diversity among its students.

The members of the Club were encouraged to showcase the beauty of languages, linguistic diversity, and richness of culture through their original literary works. They were motivated to update the wall magazine “Enkindler” with the pieces that honour their mother tongue or any language close to their heart.

- 3. Participation of Club Members outside the college campus:** Apart from encouraging the members to take active part in various events at college, they were also motivated to participate in various inter - college literary competitions. Some of the members had the opportunity to take part in a State Level Youth Leadership Programme which was organised by Vivekananda Kendra Kanyakumari, Arunachal Pant. They conducted three levels of competitions. The first level of competition (Essay Writing) was also conducted at Don Bosco College, Itanagar. The Literary Club conducted the competition on 29th September, 2023 at the Central Library, Don Bosco College, Itanagar on behalf of Vivekananda Kendra Kanyakumari, Arunachal Pant. There were 39 students who registered for the first level of competition. However, 31 students appeared and only 24 students qualified for the second round of competition. The second and third round of competitions were held at Vivekananda Kendra Vidyalaya, Itanagar.
- 4. Dedication Week:** Finally, the events of the Literary Club for the session 2023-24 ended with the final update of the Wall Magazine on the theme, “Experience of the College and Literary Club” by the outgoing members of 6th Semester.



Photo 1: The Enkindler



SPORTS CLUB

Dr. Prafulla Rajbanshi
Coordinator

The Sports Club of Don Bosco College, Itanagar, plays a vital role in promoting physical fitness, teamwork, and sportsmanship among students. The club offers a variety of activities focusing on popular sports like football, basketball, volleyball and badminton. Throughout the year, the club participates in several tournaments and events, showcasing the college's sporting prowess and spirit.

ACTIVITIES OF THE CLUB FOR THE SESSION 2023-24

1. Observance of National Sports Day

National Sports Day, celebrated on 29th August, holds special significance for the Sports Club. To commemorate this occasion, the club organized a lively badminton tournament open to all students. The event saw a strong turnout, with participants competing in both singles and doubles. This event not only encouraged participation in a fun and accessible sport but also highlighted the importance of physical activity in leading a healthy lifestyle.



2. Participation in 2nd Edition Kholie Tania Memorial Inter Village Volleyball Tournament

In honor of Gandhi Jayanti (October 2nd), the Sports Club participated in the 2nd Edition Kholie Tania Memorial Inter Village Volleyball Tournament, showcasing the college's commitment to community engagement and sportsmanship. The team put up a commendable fight, reaching the semi-finals. Throughout the competition, the players displayed excellent sportsmanship. Even though they fell short of reaching the finals, their participation brought pride to the college.





3. **8th Inter-Semester/Department Bosco Basketball Trophy:** The highlight of the Sports Club's basketball endeavours was the successful organization of the 8th Inter-Semester/ Department Bosco Basketball Trophy. The tournament saw a high level of engagement, with 38 teams comprising both boys and girls from various departments. It was a vibrant display of talent and competitive spirit. The Department of Commerce emerged victorious in both the boys' and girls' categories, while the Department of Social Work Boys and the Department of Economics Girls secured the runner-up positions. This tournament not only fostered healthy competition but also promoted camaraderie among students from different academic departments



4. **Participation in the 27th Jollang Nyokum Celebration, 2024:** Collaborating with Chimpu, Baat, Ganag, and Chemi Panchayats, Don Bosco College participated in the 27th Jollang Nyokum Celebration, 2024. Across various sports, our teams exhibited remarkable skill, determination, and sportsmanship.



Football

Although our football team didn't reach the finale, their performance throughout the tournament was commendable. Their dedication and sportsmanship reflected positively on the college.

Volleyball (Boys and Girls)

Both the boys' and girls' volleyball teams displayed immense determination and teamwork. While the boys' team faced tough competition and couldn't progress to the final, the girls' team secured a spot in

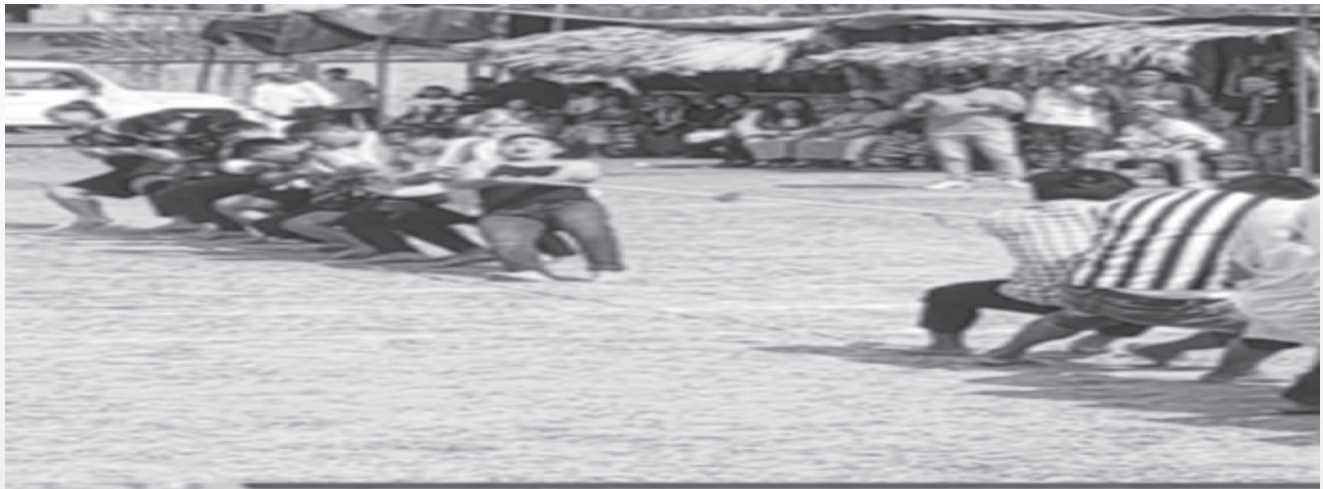


the final match, showcasing their talent and hard work



Tug-of-War (Boys)

The highlight of our participation was the boys' tug-of-war team, which not only reached the final but also clinched the championship. Their victory was a testament to their strength, coordination, and teamwork, reflecting the rigorous training and guidance provided by the Sports Club



The Sports Club of Don Bosco College, Itanagar, continues to foster a culture of sportsmanship, teamwork, and physical fitness among its students. Through participation in various tournaments and events, the club not only showcases the college's sporting prowess but also instills valuable life skills in its members.



BOOK CLUB

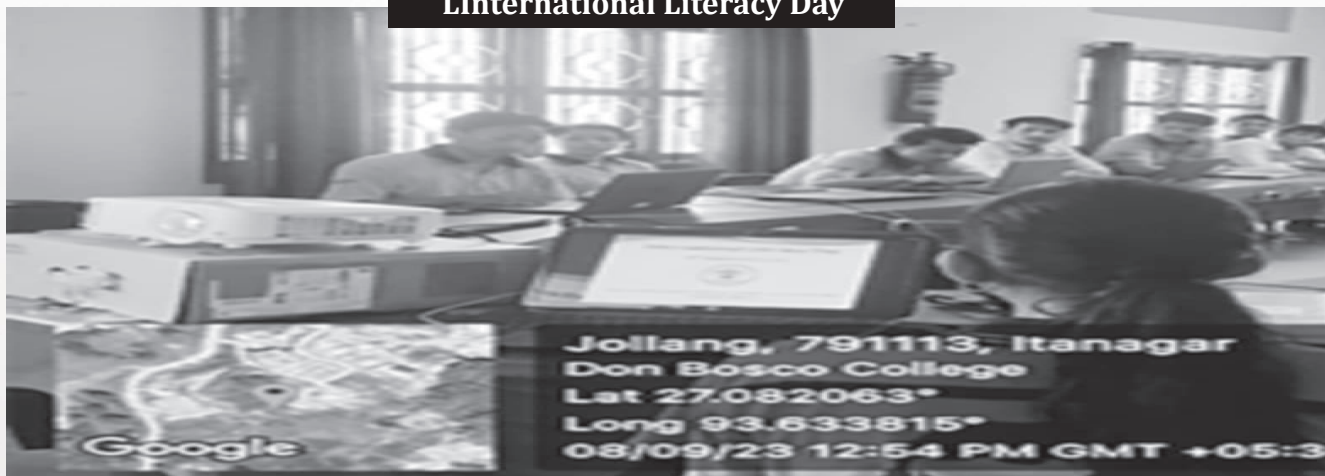
Dr. Sur Chandra Singha
Coordinator

The Book Club at Dera Natung Library, Don Bosco College, Itanagar is a community of readers who come together to discuss and explore various literary works. Through engaging discussions and activities, members delve into the themes, characters, and messages of the books they read. The club fosters a love for reading, critical thinking, and intellectual curiosity among its members. The core mission is to promote a vibrant reading culture within the college community.

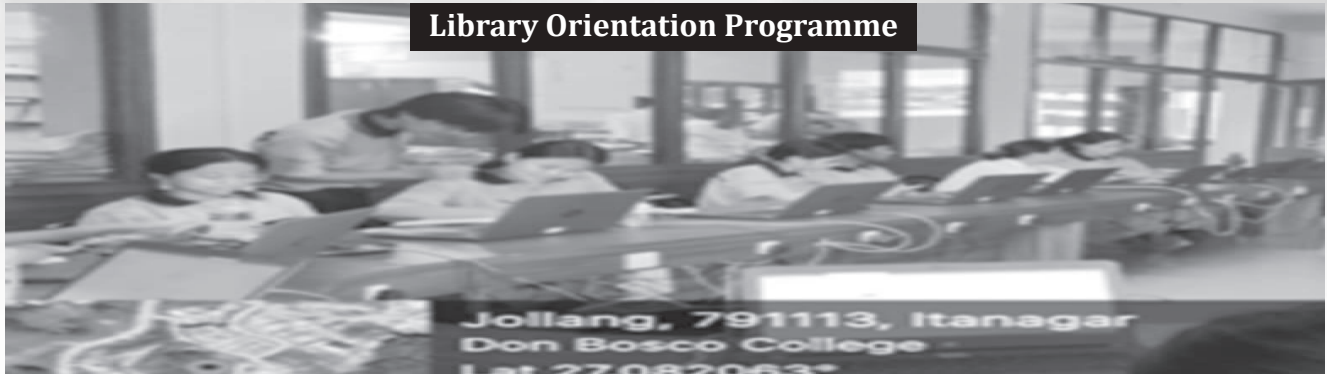
ACTIVITIES CONDUCTED FOR THE SESSION-2023-24

- 1. International Literacy Day:** International Literacy Day (ILD) was organized by the Book Club in collaboration with DBC Central Library on 8th September, 2023 at E- library. Dr. Sur Chandra Singha, the club coordinator, deliberated on Digital Literacy, Digital Divide, and Information Literacy among the younger generation. Mr. Ravi Mihi, Assistant Professor of Don Bosco College, delivered a speech on the theme of the event, which was “Promoting Literacy for a World in Transition: Building the Foundation for Sustainable and Peaceful Societies.”

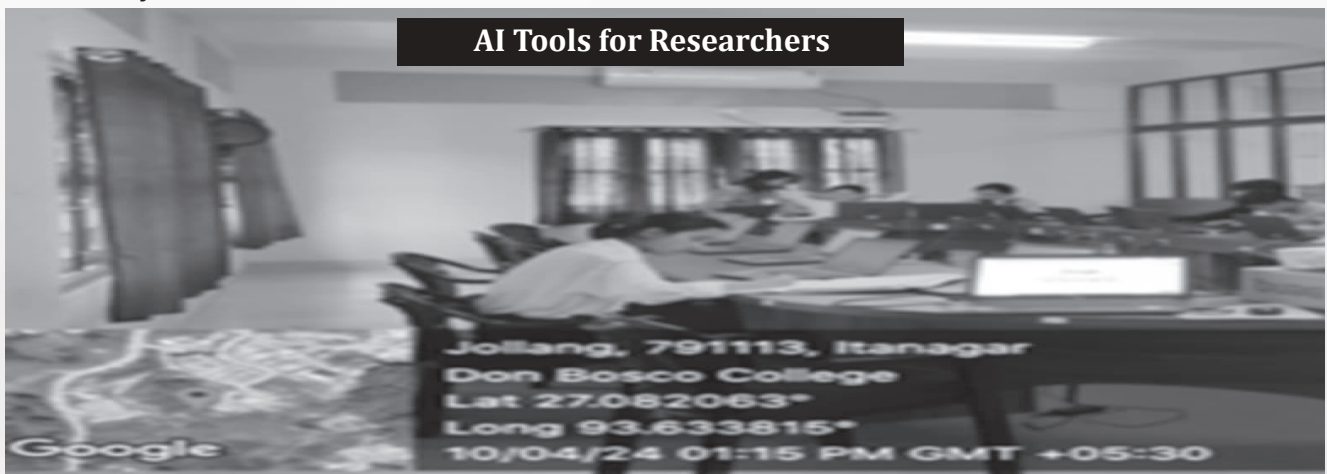
International Literacy Day



- 2. One Day Training Program on Web OPAC, NLIST and NDLI:** Don Bosco College Central Library held a one-day training program on September 9th, 2023, led by Dr. Sur Chandra Singha. The program equipped participants to access and utilize digital library resources like Web OPAC, N-LIST, and NDLI.
- 3. Library Orientation Programme:** DBC Central Library held department-wise orientation programs for new BA/B.COM/BSW students from September 11th to 19th, 2023, at the E-Library. The sessions introduced students to library resources and services, including collections, rules, classification systems, borrowing, reference materials, and online resources like N-LIST, NDLI, OPAC/Web OPAC, E-Books, E-Journals, and educational platforms (Swayam, NPTEL, IIT Bombay Spoken Tutorial). A demo by Dr. Sur Chandra Singha showcased using these digital resources effectively.



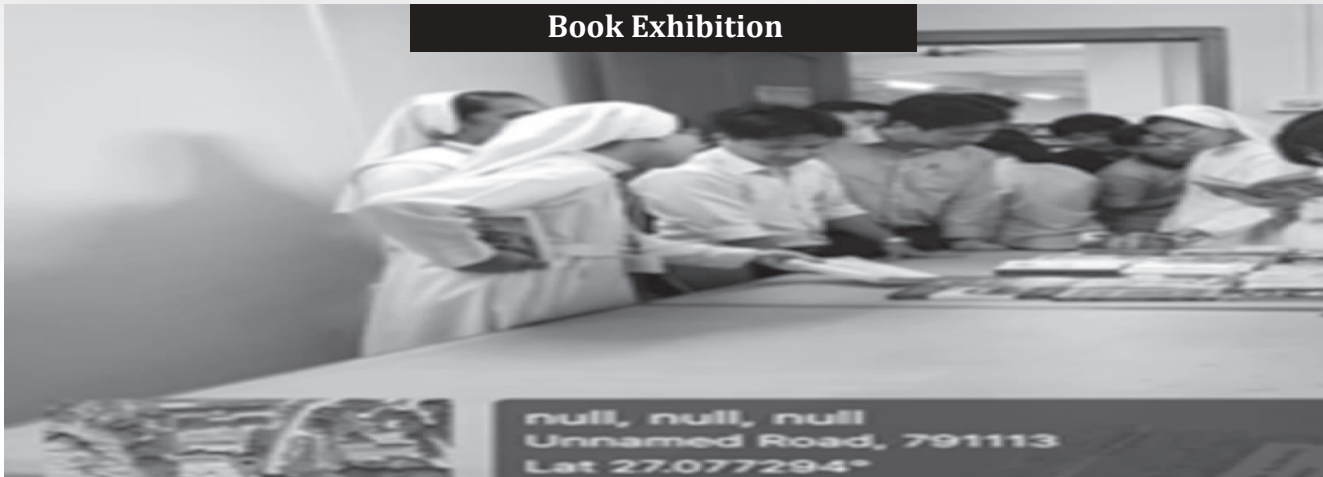
- 4. Four-Day Workshop on Basic Computer Skills and Effective Internet Use in the Library:** DBC Central Library organized a Four-Day Workshop on “Basic Computer Skills and Effective Internet Use in the Library” from 16th to 19th October, 2023, at E-Library during lunch break hour. The goal of the basic computer training was to give the participants technical knowledge about computer fundamentals, computer applications, internet research, communication tools and E-Library’s resources.
- 5. AI Tools for Researchers:** The workshop titled, “AI Tools for Researchers” was organized on 10th April, 2024 at E-Library with the aim of introducing researchers to various AI tools and techniques that can enhance their productivity and capabilities in conducting research across different domains. The workshop covered a range of topics, including AI-Based Literature Review Tools, AI Paraphrasing Tools, Free Online Plagiarism Checker, Free Online Reference Citation Tools and Virtual Assistants/Chatbots / Virtual Reference Librarian. Dr. Sur Chandra Singha demonstrated the participants about AI, its types and implementation in the college library website.



- 6. Book Exhibition:** The Dera Natung Library, DBC, Itanagar, organized a book exhibition in connection with World Book and Copyright Day on 23rd April, 2024. The exhibition aimed to promote literacy and celebrate the importance of books and copyright. Visitors had the opportunity to explore a wide range of genres and topics, fostering a love for reading and knowledge sharing within the community. Additionally, the event included discussions and presentations, highlighting the significance of copyright in protecting intellectual property rights.

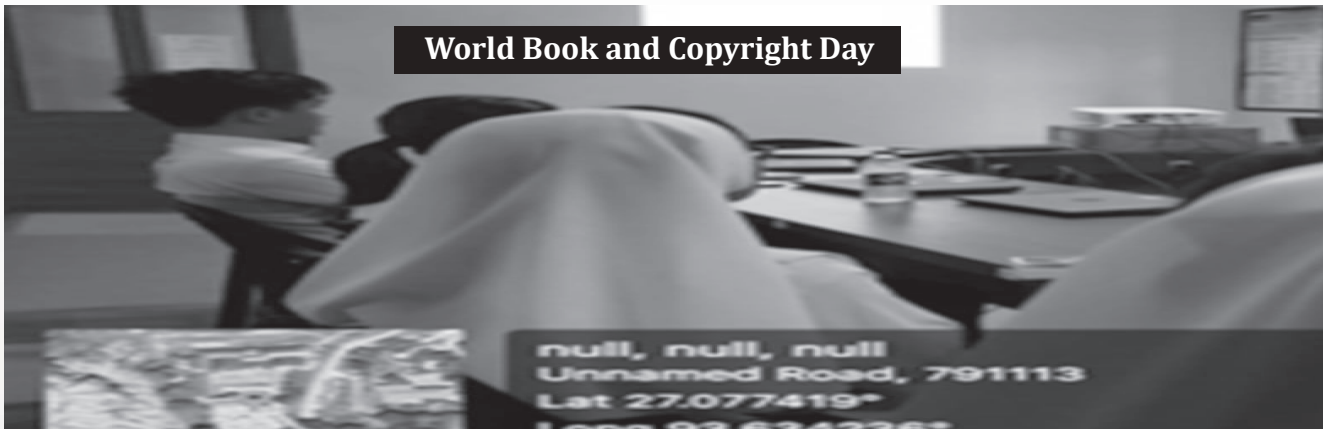


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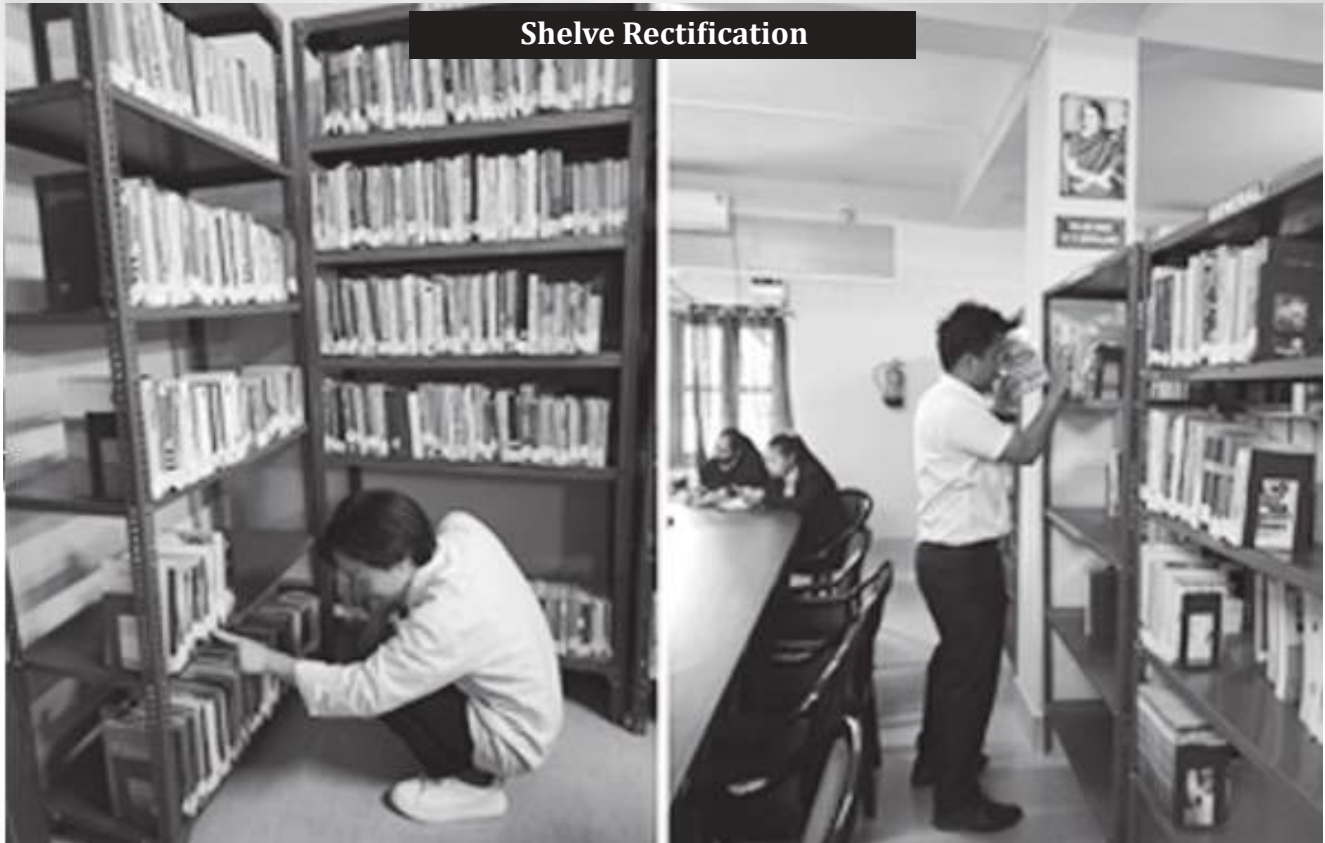


7. **World Book and Copyright Day:** On 23rd April, 2024, the Dera Natung Library, Don Bosco College, Jollang, Itanagar celebrated “World Book and Copyright Day”. This event honored the importance of books and emphasized the significance of protecting intellectual property through copyright laws. Activities held at the library included a book exhibition, discussions on copyright awareness and workshop on AI. The event aimed to promote reading culture, support the publishing industry, and raise awareness about copyright issues in the digital age.

World Book and Copyright Day



8. **Book Donation Drive:** The Book Donation Drive started from 9th April to 8th May, 2024 at Dera Natung Library, DBC, Itanagar in connection with World Book and Copyright Day, aimed to collect donated books from the community. The drive encouraged individuals to contribute to the library’s collection, fostering a culture of sharing knowledge and promoting literacy. Donated books covered various genres and topics, enriching the library’s resources for readers of all interests.
9. **Shelve Rectification:** On 8th and 9th May, 2024, the Book Club Members of Don Bosco College, Itanagar, undertook a shelve rectification task aimed at organizing and enhancing the library’s collection. The initiative involved a systematic review of the existing shelves to ensure that books were properly categorized, labeled, and arranged for easy access and retrieval. By rectifying the shelves, the Book Club members aimed to create a more user-friendly environment for students and faculty, making it easier for them to find resources for their academic and personal interests. Additionally, the plan fostered a sense of ownership and community among club members, as they collaborated to improve a shared space for learning and exploration.



Shelve Rectification

10. RGU Library Visit: The Book Club members of Don Bosco College, Itanagar visited the Library of Rajiv Gandhi University (RGU) on 2nd May, 2024, for a comprehensive exploration of its resources. Led by Dr. Sur Chandra Singha, Librarian, the visit commenced with an orientation session by library staff, followed by a guided tour covering various sections. The main objective was to familiarize the students with the Rajiv Gandhi University (RGU) Library's structure and operations. To foster a love of reading and a reading habit among the student community by exposing them to the various book collections available in the library, to help students comprehend the tasks associated with the librarian, and to motivate students to make the most of the resources offered by the Rajiv Gandhi University (RGU) Library.



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YOGA CLUB

Mr. Francis Hasdak
Coordinator

The Yoga Club at Don Bosco College, Itanagar has been actively engaging in promoting holistic well-being among students and staff through regular yoga classes and special events. Over the past few months, the club has focused on highlighting the importance of Surya Namaskar and other essential asanas while also organizing a meaningful event to commemorate World Autism Day.

Regular Yoga Classes: The Yoga Club at Don Bosco College has been conducting regular yoga classes to promote physical, mental, and emotional well-being among students and staff. These classes typically include a combination of asanas (postures), pranayama (breathing exercises), and meditation techniques. One of the key highlights of these classes has been the emphasis on Surya Namaskar, also known as Sun Salutation.

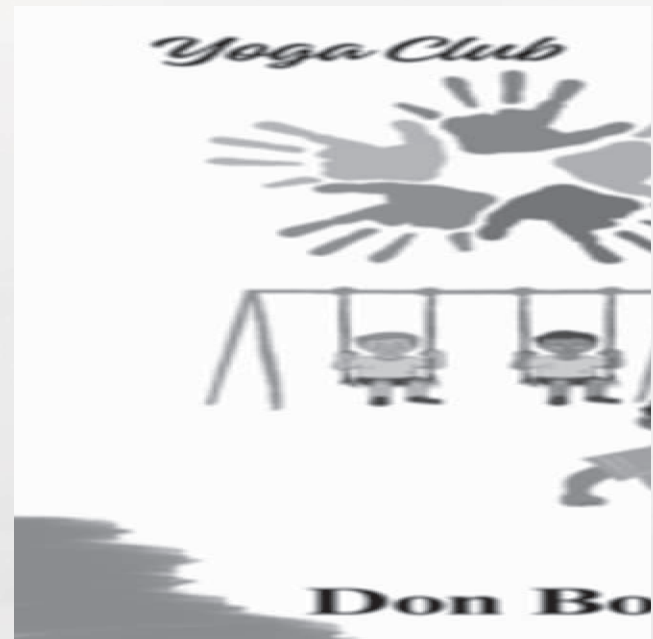
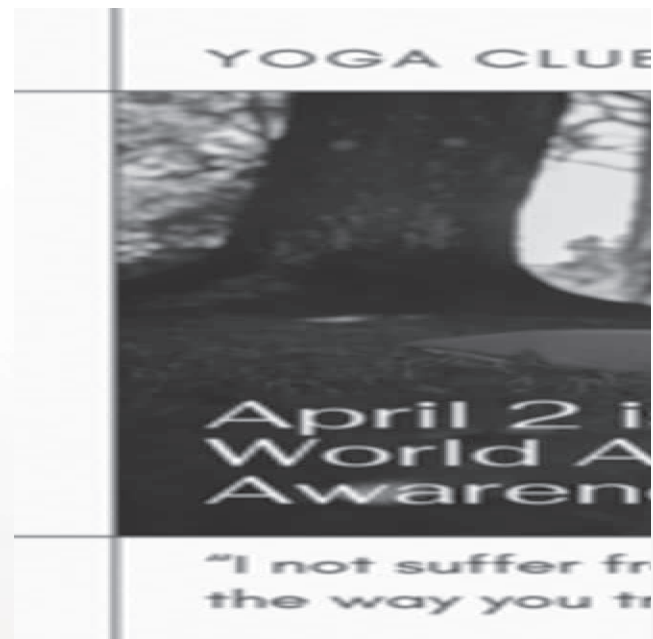
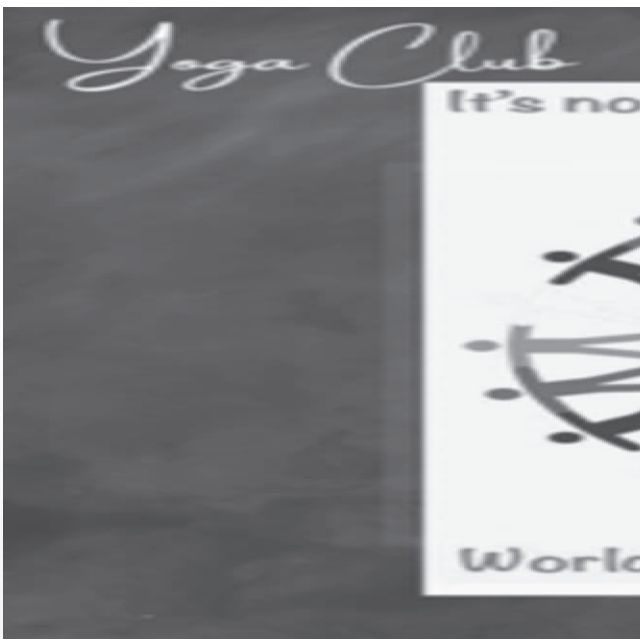
Surya Namaskar: Surya Namaskar is a series of twelve yoga poses performed in a sequence, synchronized with the breath. Each posture in Surya Namaskar offers unique benefits, including stretching, strengthening, and energizing the body. The practice of Surya Namaskar is believed to enhance flexibility, improve circulation, boost metabolism, and promote overall well-being. By incorporating Surya Namaskar into their regular yoga classes, the Yoga Club aims to introduce students and staff to this powerful practice and its numerous health benefits.

Other Important Asanas: In addition to Surya Namaskar, the Yoga Club also focuses on teaching other important asanas that cater to the diverse needs and abilities of participants. These include standing poses, seated poses, forward bends, backbends, twists, and inversions. Each asana is carefully selected to target specific muscle groups, improve flexibility, balance, coordination and alleviate common health issues such as stress, anxiety, and fatigue.

World Autism Day Event: In addition to regular yoga classes, the Yoga Club at Don Bosco organized a special event to mark World Autism Day, observed annually on 2nd April. World Autism Day is dedicated to raising awareness about autism spectrum disorders (ASD) and promoting acceptance, inclusion, and understanding of individuals with autism.

The event organized by the Yoga Club aimed to create a supportive and inclusive space where individuals with autism, their families, and the wider community could come together to celebrate diversity and promote well-being.

The celebration began with welcoming remarks by the club's assistant coordinator, Sir. Francis Hasdak. Ms. Decem Santini Mitkong, addressed the audience, highlighting the common misconceptions, misunderstandings, and negative perceptions surrounding autism. She emphasized the importance of creating awareness among students and at the grassroots level to remove the stigma associated with Autism and called for a more inclusive education system. Following the program, there was a photo exhibition to further educate the attendees. The event concluded with a vote of thanks delivered by Ms. Gichik Anjali, a member of the Yoga Club.





IMPLEMENTATION OF ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE (AI) IN LIBRARY SERVICES OF DERA NATUNG LIBRARY, DBC, ITANAGAR

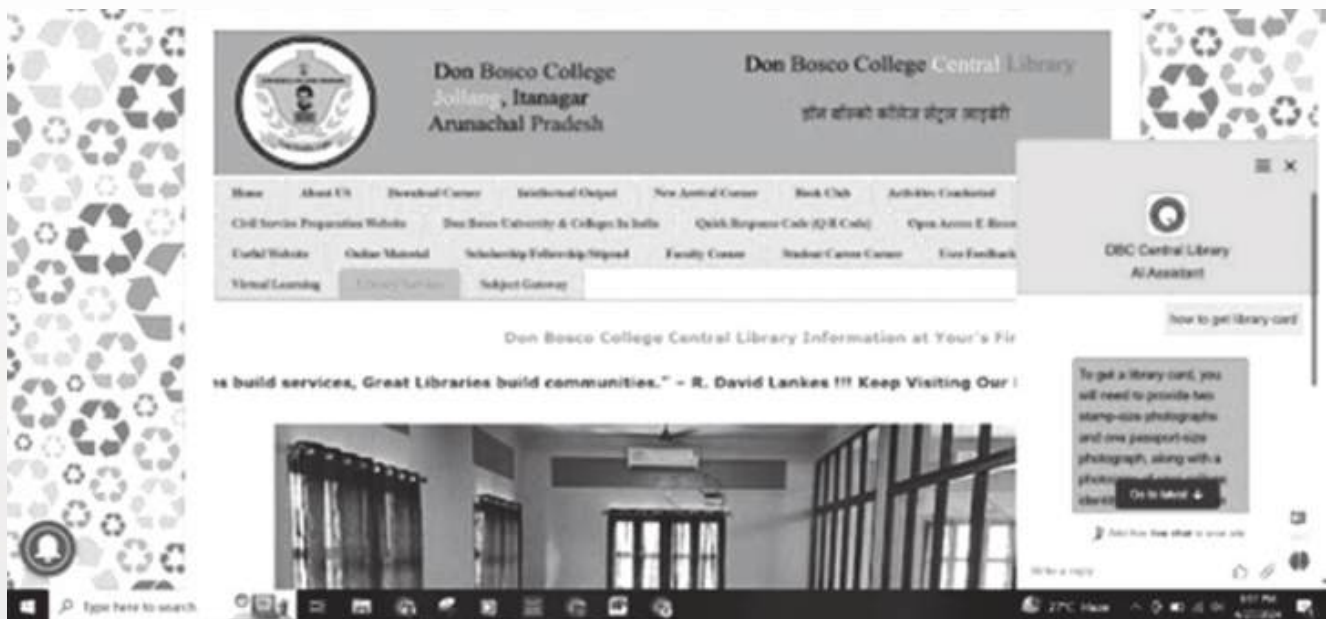
Dr. Sur Chandra Singha
Coordinator

Introduction:

Dera Natung Library, DBC, Itanagar has embraced artificial intelligence (AI) technologies to revolutionize its operations and enhance user experiences. The integration of AI-driven systems has enabled the library to streamline processes, improve resource management, and deliver personalized services to its patrons.

Key AI tools that will be implemented in our college libraries include:

1. **Virtual Assistants/Chatbots/Virtual Reference Librarian:** Virtual assistants and chatbots have been implemented to provide instant assistance and support to library users. These AI-powered interfaces can answer inquiries, provide recommendations, and guide users through library resources, enhancing accessibility and user satisfaction



2. **Research/Project Support Service:** To access our Research Guidance Services, simply visit the library website and navigate to the library services section under Research Support (Link <https://www.librarydbc.com/p/library-services.html>). In this section, you will get AI-Based literature review tools, AI paraphrasing tool, free online plagiarism checker and free online reference citation tools.

The integration of AI technologies has reshaped the landscape of the college library, empowering users with enhanced access to resources, personalized experiences, and enriched learning opportunities. As we look towards the future, the library remains committed to leveraging AI innovations to meet the evolving needs of its academic community and foster a culture of lifelong learning.



MEDIA CLUB

Ms. Tage Isha
President, Media Club

The Media Club of Don Bosco College, Itanagar, has been actively engaged in documenting the college's events, activities, and achievements through photographs, videos, and news reports.

Our dedicated team has worked tirelessly to produce high-quality content, showcasing the vibrancy and diversity of our college life. This annual report highlights our accomplishments and showcases our contributions to the college community.

Major Achievements of the Media Club for the academic session, 2023-24:

1. **Event Documentation:** The Media Club documented over 46 major college events, including cultural and food fests, college week, seminars, and sports.
2. **Monthly Newsletter:** Produced a monthly newsletter reaching over 1000 students, faculty, and alumni, featuring college news, achievements, and student profiles.
3. **Photo Archive:** Created a photo archive of images showcasing college life and events.
4. **Video Library:** Developed a video library featuring event coverage, interviews, and promotional content.
5. **Collaboration with Administration:** Collaborated with the college administration to create promotional materials and social media content, significantly increasing engagement on the college's social media platforms.

Notable Projects

1. **Exclusive Event Coverage:** The Media Club provided exclusive coverage of the annual college week and food fest.
2. **Community Outreach Documentary:** The club produced a documentary on the college's community outreach programs, which was well-received by the college administration and local community leaders, and helped raise awareness about social responsibility initiatives.

The Media Club has played a vital role in documenting and showcasing the college's events, achievements, and stories. We look forward to continuing our efforts and exploring new ways to engage with the college community. We thank the college administration, faculty members, and students for their support and cooperation. We also appreciate the contributions of our club members, who had worked tirelessly to produce high-quality content.

Stay tuned for more exciting stories and updates from the Media Club!



LIBRARY CLUB

Dr. Sur Chandra Singha
Coordinator

The Dera Natung Library, DBC, Itanagar, serves as a vital hub for academic and intellectual enrichment within the institution. It offers a diverse collection of resources, including books, journals, and digital materials, catering to the academic needs of students and faculty across various disciplines.

College Library Website

The Dera Natung Library, DBC, Itanagar, Arunachal Pradesh, has a comprehensive website that showcases its extensive resources and services. Its website (<https://www.librarydbc.com/>) provides easy access to various sections and features, including Home, About Us, Download Corner, Intellectual Output, and New Arrival Corner, etc.

Library Collection

The library collection at Don Bosco College Library is thoughtfully curated to meet the diverse informational and educational needs of its users, fostering a conducive environment for learning, research, and intellectual exploration.

- a. Printed Books: 8815
- b. Printed Journals: 08
- c. Printed Magazines/Periodicals: 12
- d. Printed Newspapers= 09

E-Resources

The library has embraced digitalization and e-resources to provide a comprehensive and modern learning environment for its users, facilitating access to a wide range of scholarly content and enhancing research capabilities.

- a. **N-LIST (National Library and Information Services Infrastructure for Scholarly Content):** Our college is a member of the N-LIST (National Library and Information Services Infrastructure for Scholarly Content). The N-LIST provides access to 6,000+ journals, 1,64,300+ eBooks under N-LIST and 6,00,000 eBooks through NDL to all Govt., Govt.-aided as well as non-aided colleges through a proxy server / shibboleth.
- b. **National Digital Library of India (NDLI):** Our college is a member of the National Digital Library of India. NDLI is a virtual world full of books and e-resources in digitized formats.
- c. **IIT Bombay Spoken Tutorial:** Our college is a member of the IIT Bombay Spoken Tutorial. The Spoken Tutorial project is funded by the National Mission on Education through Information and Communication Technology (ICT), launched by the erstwhile Ministry of Human Resources and Development, Government of India. (<https://spoken-tutorial.org/>)

Open Access E-Resources: The Dera Natung Library, DBC, Itanagar, provides access to a variety of Open Access E-Resources through its library's website. These resources include e-books, e-journals, e-courses, e-databases, e-patents, e-theses and dissertations, and e-newspapers.



Virtual Online Learning: The role of a virtual online course link in a college library website is to provide students and faculty with access to online educational resources and courses that supplement and enhance the traditional curriculum.

New Initiative Taken by Dera Natung Library, DBC, Itanagar

- a. **Best Reader Award:** The Dera Natung Library, DBC, Itanagar has introduced the Best Reader Award to recognize outstanding students for their commitment to reading. This initiative aims to promote a culture of reading among students and foster a love for literature and knowledge. It has extended its Best Reader Award to teachers, acknowledging their role in promoting reading culture and knowledge dissemination.
- b. **Book Bank Facility:** The Book Bank Facility will provide an avenue for academic excellence by offering essential textbooks and study materials to deserving students who have demonstrated exceptional academic performance in the previous semester. (i.e., BOSCO CENTENARY AWARD for Semester Toppers and BETI PADHAO AWARD for Girl Toppers, etc.) Eligible students can borrow two additional books and materials for the academic year based on predefined guidelines.
- c. **Artificial Intelligence (AI):** In line with our commitment to innovation and providing cutting-edge resources to support teaching, learning, and research endeavors, Dera Natung Library, DBC, Itanagar is integrating AI technologies into our library systems. Key AI tools that will be implemented in our college libraries include:
 - 1) Virtual Assistants/Virtual Reference Librarian
 - 2) Research/Project Support Service
- d. **Library Extension Service:** The Dera Natung Library, DBC, Itanagar has introduced extended library hours to accommodate the diverse schedules of its patrons from 9.30 AM to 4 PM as per the request of users.

Activities Conducted by Dera Natung Library, DBC, Itanagar

- a. **International Literacy Day:** International Literacy Day (ILD) was organized by Book Club in collaboration with DBC Central Library on 8th September, 2023 at E- library. Dr. Sur Chandra Singha, the club coordinator, spoke on Digital Literacy, Digital Divide, and Information Literacy among the younger generation. Mr. Ravi Mihu, Assistant Professor, deliberated on the theme "Promoting Literacy for a World in Transition: Building the Foundation for Sustainable and Peaceful Societies."
- b. **One Day Training Program on Web OPAC, NLIST and NDLI:** Don Bosco College Central Library held a one-day training program on September 9th, 2023, led by Dr. Sur Chandra Singha. The program equipped participants to access and utilize digital library resources like Web OPAC, N-LIST, and NDLI.
- c. **Library Orientation Programme:** DBC Central Library held department-wise orientation programs for new BA/B.COM/BSW students from 11th to 19th September, 2023, at the E-Library. The sessions introduced students to library resources and services, including collections, rules, classification systems, borrowing, reference materials, and online resources like N-LIST, NDLI, OPAC/Web OPAC, E-Books, E-Journals, and educational platforms (Swayam, NPTEL, IIT Bombay Spoken Tutorial). A demo by Dr. Sur Chandra Singha showcased using these digital resources effectively.



- d. **Four-Day Workshop on Basic Computer Skills and Effective Internet Use in the Library:** DBC Central Library organized a Four-Day Workshop on “Basic Computer Skills and Effective Internet Use in the Library” from 16th to 19th October, 2023, at E-Library. The goal of the basic computer training was to give the participants technical knowledge about computer fundamentals, computer applications, Internet research, and communication tools.



- e. **AI Tools for Researchers:** The workshop titled, “AI Tools for Researchers” was organized on 10th April, 2024 at the E-Library. The workshop covered a range of topics, including AI-Based Literature Review Tools, AI Paraphrasing Tools, Free Online Plagiarism Checker, Free Online Reference Citation Tools and Virtual Assistants/Chatbots/Virtual Reference Librarian. Dr. Sur Chandra Singha demonstrated the participants about AI and how it worked, its types, the implementation of AI in the college library website.



- f. **Book Donation Drive:** The Book Donation Drive started from 9th April to 8th May, 2024 at Dera Natung Library, DBC, Itanagar in connection with World Book and Copyright Day. The drive encouraged individuals to contribute to the library's collection, fostering a culture of sharing knowledge and promoting literacy.
- g. **Book Exhibition:** The Dera Natung Library, DBC, Itanagar organized a book exhibition in connection with World Book and Copyright Day on 23rd April, 2024. The exhibition aimed to promote literacy and celebrate the importance of books and copyright. Visitors had the opportunity to explore a wide range of genres and topics, fostering a love for reading and knowledge sharing within the community.
- h. **World Book and Copyright Day:** On 23rd April, 2024, the Dera Natung Library, Don Bosco College, Itanagar celebrated "World Book and Copyright Day". This event honored the importance of books and emphasized the significance of protecting intellectual property through copyright laws. Activities held at the library included a book exhibition, discussions on copyright awareness and workshop on AI.



- i. **RGU Library Visit:** The Book Club members of Don Bosco College, Itanagar visited the Library of Rajiv Gandhi University (RGU) on 2nd May, 2024, for a comprehensive exploration of its resources. Led by Dr. Sur Chandra Singha, Librarian, the visit commenced with an orientation session by library staff, followed by a guided tour covering various sections. The main objective was to familiarize the students with the Rajiv Gandhi University (RGU) Library's structure and operations



- j. **Shelve Rectification:** On 8th and 9th May 2024, the Book Club Members of Don Bosco College, Itanagar, undertook a shelve rectification task aimed at organizing and enhancing the library's collection. The initiative involved a systematic review of the existing shelves to ensure books were properly categorized, labeled, and arranged for easy access and retrieval.



RED RIBBON CLUB

Mr. Ravi Mihu
Coordinator

The Red Ribbon Club is an awareness movement started by the Government of India in educational institutions through which students create awareness about HIV/AIDS. Red represents love, blood, and support for those affected by HIV/AIDS. Blood symbolizes the importance of safe blood practices and voluntary blood donation. The Red Ribbon also serves as a symbol of solidarity for people living with HIV/AIDS.

The Red Ribbon Club at Don Bosco College works to spread awareness on HIV/AIDS and drug abuse on campus. It is a voluntary on-campus intervention program with over 100 students actively involved. Their efforts have contributed to a significant increase in awareness about HIV/AIDS and encouraged participation in blood donation drives.

Activities conducted by club members for the session 2023-24:

- 1. Red Ribbon Club Expands Health Awareness for World Mosquito Day:** In addition to their focus on HIV/AIDS awareness, the Red Ribbon Club of Don Bosco College, Itanagar, observed World Mosquito Day on 20th August, 2023, on campus. Club coordinator, Mr. Ravi Mihu, delivered a talk on the causes and prevention of mosquito-borne diseases. Club members also discussed various methods to prevent these illnesses.
- 2. Red Ribbon Club Promotes HIV/AIDS Awareness Through Marathon Participation:** The Red Ribbon Club at Don Bosco College actively participated in the “Red Run-5 km Marathon Race” organized by the Arunachal Pradesh State AIDS Control Society, Directorate of Health and Services, Naharlagun, on 8th September, 2023. This race aimed to raise awareness about HIV/AIDS.

Following the selection process, two club members were chosen to participate:

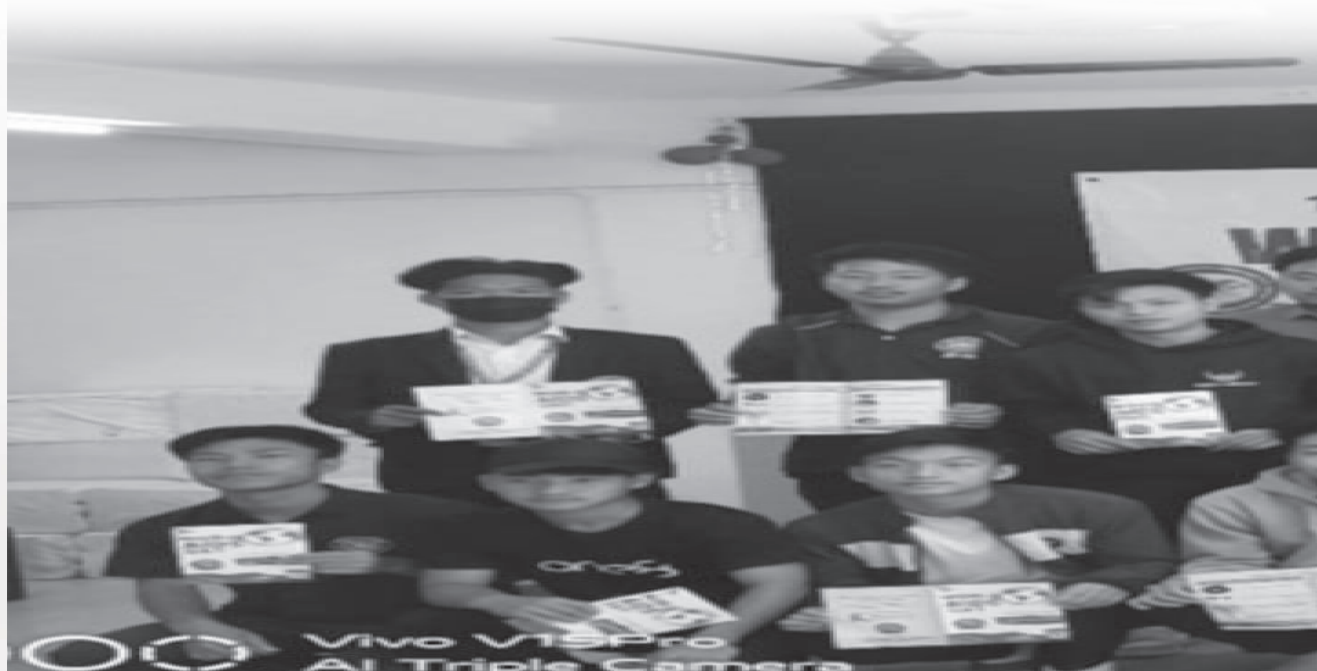
Sl. No	Students Name	Gender	Course & Semester
1	Mr. Samching Pansa	Male	B. Com 5 th Semester
2	Ms. Tech Mecha	Female	B.A 3 rd Semester

- 3. World AIDS Day:** The Red Ribbon Club of Don Bosco College, Itanagar observed the “World AIDS Day” on 1st December, 2023 at the Seminar Hall. Mr. Ravi Mihu, club coordinator spoke about the causes and preventions of HIV/AIDS and requested students to become brand ambassadors of the society to create awareness about HIV/AIDS. Moreover, Vice Principal, Fr. Phuvito Emmanuel spoke about the HIV/AIDS and how to prevent from spreading. To observe the “World AIDS Day”, the club conducted essay writing competitions on the topic, “Preventing of HIV/AIDS transmission through Education: in context of Arunachal Pradesh”. Following three students were awarded as winners:



Sl. No	Students Name	Semester	Rank
1	Ms. Pungam Rime	B.A III Semester (English Dept.)	First
2	Ms. Nyasum Loyi	BA I Semester (Political Science)	Second
3	Mr. Damba Lombi	B.COM I Semester (Commerce)	Third

- 4. Red Ribbon Club Raises Awareness for World Tuberculosis Day:** In line with their mission of promoting health awareness, the Red Ribbon Club at Don Bosco College observed World Tuberculosis Day on 24th March, 2024. Tuberculosis (TB) remains a significant global health threat. To address this challenge, club members conducted an awareness program on campus. During the program, members visited classrooms to educate students about the causes and prevention of TB. Club coordinator, Mr. Ravi Mihi delivered a speech highlighting how to prevent the spread of TB and the factors that contribute to the disease.
- 5. World Malaria Day:** As part of their focus on promoting health awareness, the Red Ribbon Club of Don Bosco College, Itanagar observed World Malaria Day on 25th April, 2024, at college campus. During the program, club coordinator, Mr. Ravi Mihi spoke about the causes and prevention of malaria. He also encouraged all club members to actively participate in spreading awareness about these topics. Additionally, members discussed various ways to prevent mosquito-borne diseases. The program concluded with all members pledging to clean the environment and raise public awareness.





QUIZ CLUB

Mr. Babu Jyoti Ghosh
Coordinator

The Don Bosco College Quiz Club is a new initiative by the college to build a competitive and academic spirit among the students community. The forum was inaugurated on 28/02/2024 with the motto 'explore, empower and excel'. The vision of the forum is to create a dynamic space where learning transcends traditional boundaries, and students are encouraged to explore and expand their intellectual horizons. The Quiz Club will host a wide range of activities and events throughout the academic year, including, Inter-Departmental Quiz Competitions, Inter-College Quiz Competitions, Training sessions with Hub Quizzes and Participation in external quizzes.

Objectives:

1. Through engaging quiz competitions and activities, we aspire to cultivate a culture of academic excellence and lifelong learning among our members.
2. The Quiz Club provides a platform for students from diverse academic backgrounds to come together, exchange ideas, and broaden their knowledge across different disciplines.
3. By organizing challenging and exciting quiz events, we aim to foster healthy competition among students, motivating them to strive for excellence and achieve their fullest potential.

Dr. Fr. Nicholas Memorial Inter-Departmental Quiz Competition

The Quiz Club at Donbosco College, Itanagar, organized the inaugural Dr. Fr. Nicholas Memorial Inter-Departmental Quiz Competition on 26th March 2024 in the college's auditorium. The ceremony commenced with the traditional lighting of the lamp by esteemed administrative heads, including Fr. CD Mathai, Rector, Dr. Fr. Jose George, Principal, Sr. Anusha, and Fr. Phuvito Emanuel, the vice principals of the college. Dr. Fr. Jose George, Principal of Donbosco College, formally inaugurated the quiz competition, setting the tone for the intellectually stimulating event. The quiz unfolded in two phases. Initially, the preliminary round engaged 14 teams representing various departments, with each team comprising two members and in the second phase the top six teams of the preliminary round were selected to the final round. The competition was conducted smoothly under the guidance of team of Quiz Masters Mr. Babujyoti Ghosh, Assistant Professor in the Department of Economics, Mr. SamsomMossang, Assistant Professor in the Department of English, and Dr. Ratul Mahela, Assistant Professor in the Department of English.

The Quiz winners are as follows:

First Place: HikaR Haji and NabinBarwa from the Department of Sociology.
Second Place: Gichik Anjali and JikkeTakar from the Department of Social Work.
Third Place: LoklangLokho and NangramMangkum from the Department of Sociology.

Other finalists include:

Biri Tada Peter and Zarnie Lollen from the History Department.
Logio Natung and Lumak Mangkhya from the Political Science Department.
Iken Lodo and Nykam Likha from the Economics Department.



Gandhi Jayanti 2nd Oct., 2023



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Gandhi Jayanti, 2nd Oct., 2023





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International Day of Older Persons, 12th Oct., 2023





8th Inter Semester Bosco Basketball Trophy 13th to 16th Oct., 2023





Marathon Race, 21st Oct., 2023





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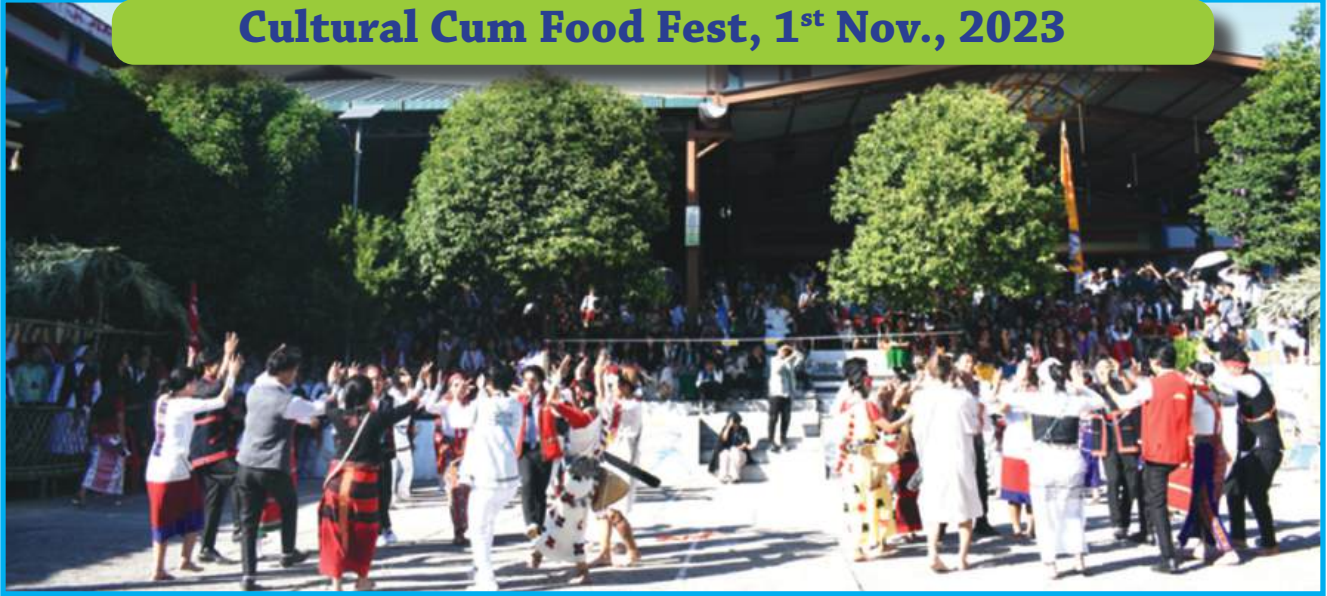


Chief Guest, Shri Lokam Tassar, Hon'ble MLA, Koloriang Constituency, A.P
Guest of Honour Rev. Dr. Benny Varghese, Bishop of Itanagar, A.P.





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College Week, 1st- 8th Nov., 2023





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College Week, 1st- 8th Nov., 2023



Chief Guest, Shri Alo Libang, Hon'ble Minister, Health & Welfare, Women & Child Development, Social Justice, Empowerment & Tribal Affairs, Government of A.P.
Guest of Honour, Shri Michi Paku, IPS IG (Security) Itanagar, A.P.





College Week, 1st- 8th Nov., 2023





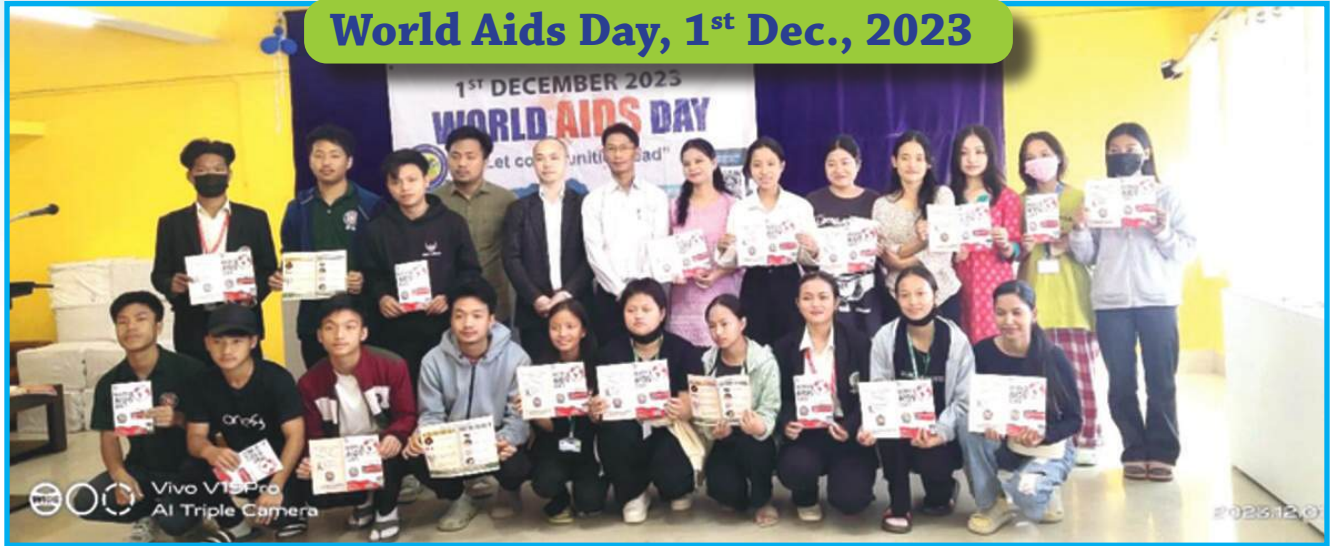
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Teachers' Pinic, 27th Nov., 2023







WOMEN CELL

Ms. Jasmine Kimsing
Coordinator

The Women Cell at Don Bosco College, Itanagar has been dedicated to promoting gender equality, women's empowerment, and addressing women's issues on campus. Throughout the 2023-24 academic year, the Cell organized impactful programs aimed at raising awareness, fostering entrepreneurship, and advocating for women's health and rights. The Women's Cell at Don Bosco College, Itanagar remains steadfast in its commitment to fostering a supportive and inclusive environment for all members of the college community. Through diverse programs and initiatives, the Cell strives to inspire positive change and empower women to thrive. We look forward to continuing our efforts in the upcoming academic year and beyond.

PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS:

Sl. No.	PROGRAM	DATE
1	World Contraception Day	26 th September, 2023
2	One-Day Workshop on Women Entrepreneurship Platform	24 th November, 2023
3	Menstrual Hygiene Drive	4 th March, 2024
4	International Women's Day Celebration	8 th March, 2024

- 1. World Contraception Day Poster Exhibition:** The Women Cell of the college organized a poster exhibition in the college premises on 26th September, 2023, showcasing information about various contraception methods and their importance. Around 30 students actively participated by creating informative posters and engaging in discussions.
- 2. One-Day Workshop on Women Entrepreneurship Platform:** On 24th November, 2023, 47 female students from Don Bosco College participated in a one-day workshop focused on the Women Entrepreneurship Platform (WEP). This initiative, organized by the Department of Industries in collaboration with NITI Aayog, provided a valuable platform for aspiring female entrepreneurs. The workshop featured established women entrepreneurs sharing their success stories and valuable insights. The Outcomes and Impact included- motivating and empowering female students to consider entrepreneurship, providing practical knowledge and resources to aspiring women entrepreneurs and postering innovation and creativity among the participants.





- 3. Menstrual Hygiene Drive:** The Women Cell organized a menstrual hygiene drive on 4th March, 2024 at the BPL colony Jollang. This initiative aimed to empower women and break the stigma often associated with menstruation. The students distributed 100 sanitary napkins and conducted educational sessions on menstrual health and hygiene. The program's positive outcomes included raising awareness about menstrual hygiene, addressing the stigma surrounding menstruation, and providing essential hygiene products to women in need, all of which contributed to their health and well-being.



- 4. International Women's Day Celebration:** The Women Cell of the college organized a special event to commemorate International Women's Day on 8th March, 2024, featuring speeches, cultural performances, and panel discussions. Ms. Yaro Taksing, Senior GCI, APBN, NCC Naharlagun, Arunachal Pradesh, the esteemed Chief Guest, delivered an inspiring address highlighting the importance of investing in women's empowerment for societal progress. The outcome of the Programme was it raised awareness about the importance of investing in women's education, health, and economic empowerment for sustainable development.





CAREER GUIDANCE & PLACEMENT CELL

Dr. Tengzing N. Drangtzidar
Coordinator



The Career Guidance and Placement Cell of the College functions with the objective of providing guidance and assistance to the students, thereby, helping them achieve their career goals. The Cell organizes certain programs after certain intervals to provide awareness on Higher Education or Studies, Self-employment and Job opportunities. Erudite personalities are invited as Resource Persons from various fields to deliver and motivate students. Besides, the Cell strives to establish strong affiliation with various reputed Educational Institutions and Companies so as to provide an access to the facilities/ benefits offered by those organizations in terms of further studies or employment in their respective organizations.

Mission: To offer valuable guidance and training to our students in line with the opportunities available after graduation and to provide them placement opportunities by establishing good rapport with reputed companies or organizations across the country.

Vision: Preparing students with all necessary skills and assisting them to begin a successful career.

Activities conducted by the Cell during the Academic Year 2023-24

- 1. One-day Career Guidance and Motivational Talk:** A Career Guidance and Motivational Talk was organized on 26th September, 2023 by the Career Guidance and Placement Cell, DBC in collaboration with ALS IAS Academy, Itanagar, for final year students and fresh graduates of 2023. The program featured esteemed speakers, Shri. Manish K. Gautam, Director of ALS Academy, and DGP Shri Robin Hibu IPS, President of Helping Hand NGO. They presented their insights about Civil Services, competitive exams and individual talents. They encouraged students to pursue careers in Civil Services and other competitive exams, while emphasizing the importance of recognizing individual talents and pursuing careers aligned with them.



Group photo with the Resource Persons.



2. **One-day awareness programme on the theme “Financial Literacy”:** On 28th February, 2024, the Career Guidance & Placement Cell (CGPC) had organized an Awareness Program on the theme, “Financial Literacy” in collaboration with the RBI, Itanagar. Shri. Abhijit Majumdar, General Manager, RBI, Itanagar and Mr. Chhouraj Kumar Deori, Assistant Manager, RBI, Itanagar, in their deliberations highlighted about Financial Independence (Gaining control of financial future and make informed decisions about saving, investing, and managing debt), Financial Security (Build a safety net to weather unexpected expenses and achieve long-term financial stability) and Financial Freedom (how to unlock the potential to achieve goals, whether it’s travel, education, or starting a business).
3. **One-day Interaction-cum-Career Guidance Programme:** The Career Guidance & Placement Cell (CGPC) had organized an Interaction-cum-Career Guidance Programme in collaboration with the Rajagiri Business School (RBS), Kerala on 18th March, 2024, for Final semester students of the College. The primary purpose of the event was to provide students with a platform to interact and know more about the courses and other facilities available at RBS for further studies. The Director of RBS, Fr. Francis graced the occasion as the Resource Person and had thorough interaction with students present.
4. **One-day Career Guidance Programme:** The Career Guidance & Placement Cell partnered with Mahendra’s Coaching Institute, Itanagar on 2nd April, 2024 to empower final year students with the knowledge and tools to prepare for their professional careers. The programme aimed to equip students with the knowledge to make informed career decisions, increase their awareness of job prospects and relevant exams, and provide them with the tools to succeed in their chosen paths. The experts provided insights on relevant government and entrance exams, including strategies, resources, and exam patterns. Students explored diverse career paths aligned with their disciplines, gaining a broader understanding of job roles, industries, and future trends. The programme offered guidance on building essential skills like communication, problem-solving, and technical skills specific to their chosen fields. Interactive sessions with industry success stories motivated students and encouraged them to pursue their career goals with confidence.



Image with the Resource Persons and the student participants.



BOSCO GYM

Mr. Francis Hasdak
Coordinator and Instructor

Don Bosco College, Itanagar marked a significant milestone with the inauguration of its state-of-the-art Bosco Gym on 3rd May, 2024. The inauguration ceremony was graced by the esteemed presence of Shri. Tadar Appa, Director of Sports, Government of Arunachal Pradesh, and Fr. CC Jose, who attended as the special guest.

The event commenced with a short cultural program followed by ceremonial ribbon-cutting by the chief guest, Shri. Tadar Appa, officially unveiling the Bosco Gym to the college community. The inauguration was witnessed by a gathering of students and faculty members of the College.

In his inaugural address, Shri. Tadar Appa emphasized the paramount importance of fitness and physical well-being in daily life. He commended the college's initiative in establishing a gym facility for the college students, highlighting its pivotal role in promoting a healthy lifestyle among the student community.

Fr. CC Jose, the special guest, also addressed the gathering, expressing his delight at the college's commitment to holistic development. He lauded the efforts of the college administration in creating an environment that fosters physical, mental, and spiritual well-being for its students.

The inauguration of the Bosco Gym marks a significant stride towards promoting a culture of health and fitness within the college community. It reflects the institution's commitment to nurturing well-rounded individuals who understand the importance of maintaining a balanced and active lifestyle alongside their academic pursuits.





Rules and regulations:

1. Enrolment is compulsory to access Bosco GYM.
2. Non- enrolled members are not permitted to access the gym.
3. Monthly fees to be paid on the first day of every month.
4. Proper and decent workout attire (shorts, t-shirts, sweatpants, sweatshirts) should be worn.
5. Do not bring in anything valuable (ring, necklace, bracelet etc... (We are not responsible for any lost or stolen items).
6. GYM is under CCTV surveillance.
7. Gym membership will be withdrawn if found to misbehave with Instructor / trainer/ co-ordinator.
8. Any damage done to the gym equipment, the person concerned will be responsible for repairing it.
9. Use separate shoes in the gym.
10. Return and Rack all weights (plates, dumbbells) after use.
11. Bring in your own water bottle and towel to wipe off the upholstery after your use.
12. Refrain from taking photos or videos of others without their consent, and avoid any unwanted physical contact.

Declaration:

I, hereby, declare that the information given above is true. I have gone through the rules and regulations for admission and I promise to abide by the same.

Date

Signature of the candidate

Signature of Co-ordinator



**NATIONAL CADET CORPS****Mr. Sandip Bose****Caretaker Officers****Sr. Suneetha Devasi**

Established in 2019, Don Bosco College NCC Unit has become an integral part of the college, fostering a spirit of discipline, teamwork, and patriotism among its cadets. Affiliated with the 1 Arunachal Pradesh Battalion under the Tezpur Group Headquarter, the unit falls under the regional hub of the NER Directorate, Shillong.

Led by Caretaker Officers, Sr. Suneetha Devasi and Mr. Sandip Bose, the unit boasts a sanctioned strength of 52 cadets, divided equally into the Senior Division (SD) and Senior Wing (SW).

These cadets are actively mentored and guided by a dedicated student council, which for the academic year 2023-24 comprised of - Podi Taipodia (SUO), Pajum Nalo (UO), Perker Bole (UO), Dawa Norbu Sona (UO), Token Soki (CQMS), Rocky Dong (SGT), Simini Babla (SGT), Taru Nalo (CQMS), Karma Chenzom (L/CPL) and Asum Golom (L/CPL).

Academic Achievements: In the 2023-24 academic year, the NCC Unit saw active participation from its cadets. Fourteen cadets appeared for the C Certificate examination, demonstrating their dedication to the program's advanced training. Additionally, twenty-six cadets took the B Certificate examination.

Recognition and Awards: The unit's commitment to excellence was further highlighted by the recognition of Mr. Pajum Nalo (UO) and Miss Perker Bole (UO) as "Best Cadets" for the 2023-24 session by DHTE on 8th February, 2024. They were presented with a cash incentive and an award in honour of their achievement.

Activities carried out in the academic year 2023-24:

- 1. Independence Day (15th August, 2023):** The day was celebrated in the college campus with enthusiasm. The day's program comprised a cultural program featuring the esteemed GPC Jollang as the chief guest, as well as a march past by 63 NCC cadets, showcasing the unit's discipline and dedication.





2. **NCC Enrollment Rally (21st August, 2023):** The NCC unit at Don Bosco College hosted a successful Enrollment Rally on 21st August, 2023. The rally attracted enthusiastic participation from students, with 39 students from the Senior Wing (SW) and 42 students from the Senior Division (SD) taking part. These potential cadets underwent a series of assessments based on different parameters to gauge their fitness and aptitude for the NCC program.
3. **Orientation for New Cadets (28th August, 2023):** An orientation program was conducted for the New Cadets by CTO, Mr. Sandip Bose on 28th August, 2023. Caretaker Officer (CTO) Mr. Sandip Bose led the program, guiding the enthusiastic recruits through the fundamentals of the NCC program. His presentation emphasized the significance of NCC participation, focussing on, discipline and leadership skills, life skills, exposure to military training and procedures and creating opportunities for personal growth and leadership.
4. **First Aid Training (12th September, 2023):** First Aid and Basic Emergency Procedures Training was conducted by NDRF on 12th September, 2023.
5. **Annual CATC Camp (18th – 27th September, 2023):** A CATC Camp was organized where 15 SD and 10 SW cadets took part and were given basic military training.
6. **Cadet Represents College at All India Trekking Camp (September 24th – October 6th, 2023):** Don Bosco College NCC Unit was well-represented at the All India Trekking Camp held in Odisha from September 24th to October 6th, 2023. Mr. Dawa Norbu Sona, a cadet from the college participated in this challenging and enriching experience.
7. **Gandhi Jayanti (2nd October, 2023):** On Gandhi Jayanti, 72 NCC cadets took part in a mass social service organized by the college to clean in and around the college campus.
8. **NCC ADG Visit (16th Nov., 2023):** The cadets of college took part in ADG visit cum gathering at DNGC College, Itanagar.
9. **Annual CATC Camp (18th to 27th January, 2024):** Thirty dedicated cadets from the Don Bosco College NCC Unit, comprising fifteen Senior Division (SD) and fifteen Senior Wing (SW) members, actively participated in the Annual Combined Annual Training Camp (CATC) held from 18th to 27th January, 2024 at NIT, Nirjuli.
10. **Short Camp for B and C Examination (15th - 19th February, 2024):** The cadets took part in a short camp organized at PTC, Banderdewa for NCC examinations.





DISCIPLINE AND VIGILANCE COMMITTEE

Dr. Tenzing N. Drangtzidar

Coordinator

Introduction

The Discipline and Vigilance Committee is constituted to address the indiscipline and unruly behavior of students to ensure disciplined and conducive environment on campus. They recommend rules and regulations to the Authority for implementation based on their experiences with student discipline matters. Once implemented, the Committee ensures strict compliance through regular monitoring and initiates stringent action if any student violates the College rules. The Discipline and Vigilance Committee primarily endeavors to maintain discipline, dignity, and decorum of the College.

Vision & Mission:

To take cognizance of indiscipline and unruly behavior of students with a view to ensure disciplined and healthy environment in the College campus.

Objective:

To ensure disciplined and conducive environment in the College campus.

List of important events where the Committee actively participated, during the Academic Year 2023-24:

- 1. Freshers' Meet (26th August, 2023):** This event welcomed new students (freshers) and involved a competition to choose Mr. and Ms. Fresher. The Discipline and Vigilance Committee ensured a smooth and orderly environment for the Freshers' Meet, allowing new students to feel welcome and participate comfortably in the festivities.
- 2. Graduation Day-cum-Felicitation of Class 2022-23 (2nd September, 2023):** This event celebrated the graduating class of 2022-2023 and included distinguished guests- Shri. Honchun Ngandam, Hon'ble Minister of RWD & Science & Technology, Govt. of Arunachal Pradesh as Chief Guest and Nabam Tadar Rikam, Registrar, Rajiv Gandhi University, Arunachal Pradesh as Guest of Honour. The committee facilitated a dignified and respectful aura for the graduation ceremony, ensuring a successful celebration for graduating students and their families.
- 3. Teachers' Day Celebration (5th September, 2023):** This event honored the teaching and non-teaching staff of the college. The Discipline and Vigilance Committee ensured a spirit of reverence for the Teachers' Day celebration by ushering guests, maintaining a quiet atmosphere during speeches, and ensuring a smooth flow of the program, allowing students and faculty to celebrate freely and express their appreciation.
- 4. Cultural-cum-Food Fest 2023 (2nd, November, 2023):** This event was part of College Week and featured cultural performances and food. It included distinguished guests. The Discipline and Vigilance Committee played a crucial role in maintaining a festive mood for the Cultural-cum-Food Fest, allowing everyone to enjoy the festivities and celebrate diversity.
- 5. Valedictory Function of the College Week 2023:** On 8th November, 2023, the College Week was concluded with a Valedictory Function which was graced by Shri. Alo Libang, Hon'ble Minister, Health & Family Welfare, Women & Child Development, Social Justice, Empowerment & Tribal



Affairs, GoAP as a Chief Guest and Shri. Michi Paku, IPS IG (Security), Itanagar as Guest of Honour. The Committee played a big role to maintain the decorum during the program by ensuring proper seating arrangements, ushering guests, and facilitating a smooth flow of events. This ensured a dignified and respectful conclusion to College Week.

6. **International Women’s Day Celebration, 2024:** The Women Cell of the College observed the said day on 8th March, 2024 on the theme “Invest in Women; Accelerate Progress”. The event was graced by Ms. Yaro Taksing, Senior GCI, APPBN, NCC, Naharlagun as a Chief Guest. The Discipline and Vigilance Committee played a crucial role behind the scenes in ensuring a safe, secure, and respectful environment for everyone to participate and celebrate the event.
7. **Other daily activities of the College:** Apart from the abovementioned activities, the Committee makes an effort on a daily basis to ensure disciplined environment in the College campus. The daily activities include:
 - Daily Morning Assembly at 9.30 am.
 - Enforce College guidelines regarding appearance and conduct during assemblies and extracurricular activities
 - Patrolling the campus grounds
 - Responding to reports of misconduct
 - Liaising with security personnel
 - Educating students about college rules and expectations.



MINORITY CELL
Dr. Naorem Sumanta Singh
Coordinator

The Minority Cell at Don Bosco College, Itanagar, demonstrates unwavering dedication to fostering diversity, inclusion, and cultural awareness. Throughout the academic year, the cell organized a multitude of events and initiatives aimed at celebrating diversity and addressing issues pertinent to minority communities. Noteworthy activities included cultural festivals, awareness workshops, community service projects, and mentorship programs.

Scholarships: The Minority Cell facilitates access to various minority scholarships offered by the government and collaborates with local organizations to promote social inclusion. The cell guides students through the application process for scholarships like the Arunachal Pradesh State Stipend Scheme and the Post-Matric Scholarship Scheme, alleviating financial burdens and enhancing access to higher education for Scheduled Tribe (ST) students.

Visit from the Ministry of Minority Affairs: A highlight of the year was the surprise visit of an official from the Ministry of Minority Affairs, New Delhi. This visit provided an opportunity to showcase the cell’s impactful initiatives and received valuable feedback for further improvement.



STUDENTS' AMENITY

Dr. Lalgin Chongloi
Coordinator

Don Bosco College, Itanagar's Students' Amenity Cell goes beyond just providing amenities; they actively cultivate a thriving college environment. Their proactive approach ensures student well-being and empowers students to get the most out of their college experience.

Activities carried out by for the session 2023-24:

1. Postal campaign on "Cleanliness and Hygiene."

The Students' Amenity Cell of Don Bosco College, Itanagar, successfully organized a postal campaign on "Cleanliness and Hygiene" on 20th October, 2023. The campaign's primary objective was to raise awareness among the student community regarding maintaining hygiene in the college campus, specifically in washrooms (both boys' and girls' commons), classrooms, and other areas. Dr. Lalgin Chongloi, the cell's coordinator, emphasized the importance of cleanliness and hygiene.

2. Awareness programme on "Effective Utilization of College Amenities."

On 26th April, 2024, the cell organized an awareness program on "Effective Utilization of College Amenities." The program aimed to promote proper utilization of college amenities. It employed a targeted approach to engage stakeholders and foster a culture of responsible use. This involved utilizing multiple communication channels, such as posters and social media, to disseminate information about available amenities, usage guidelines, and benefits.

The program also highlighted the integration of educational content into orientation sessions, student handbooks, and academic advising sessions to ensure widespread awareness among incoming students. Additionally, it emphasized conducting training sessions, workshops, and demonstrations to educate users on the proper use and maintenance of specific amenities, such as the computer laboratory and fitness facilities.



COUNSELLING CELL

Dr. Dominic Leo Thaikho

Coordinator

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In the academic year 2023 - 2024, the Counselling Cell at Don Bosco College, Itanagar, continues to be a beacon of support and guidance for students facing various challenges. It plays a pivotal role in supporting students' holistic well-being and offers a range of services, including individual counselling, group activities, and vocational guidance, tailored exclusively for DBCI students and staff. These services aim to address academic, personal, and emotional concerns, fostering self-awareness, self-esteem, and overall development.

This report provides an overview of the Cell's services, activities, impact, and plans.

About Us:

The Counselling Cell of Don Bosco College, Itanagar (DBCI) provides services like individual counselling, developmental group activities and vocational guidance to DBCI students. Individual counselling is conducted in the counselling room by qualified and experienced Counsellors to help students with their day-to-day concerns and also enhance their overall functioning. It is conducted on a one-to-one basis with each student where the Counsellors bring a non-judgmental attitude to the table. Besides career-related problems, personal issues are also dealt with. Confidentiality is a legal requirement of counselling and is strictly maintained. Thus, the Counselling Cell provides a platform for students to pursue both their professional and personal goals with greater self-awareness, self-esteem, understanding and focus. The counselling services are available only for DBCI students and staff. They are not available to the general public. The Cell is located in Room No. 01, Block No. 1, of the College.

Vision:

The Counselling Cell of DBCI strives to deliver effective therapeutic support, as part of a whole college approach to student well-being. We aim to create a collaborative environment from which students can grow, develop, and nurture their wellness, in the areas of academic, psychological, spiritual, physical and social wellbeing.

Mission:

To provide inclusive, non-judgemental, timely and confidential therapeutic services, which support students to engage in the full breadth of college life. We aim to achieve these goals through the delivery of high-quality therapeutic interventions, and psycho-educative support, in an environment that is safe, compassionate, professional and ethical.

Team of Counsellors

The Cell is led by a team of experienced Counsellors:

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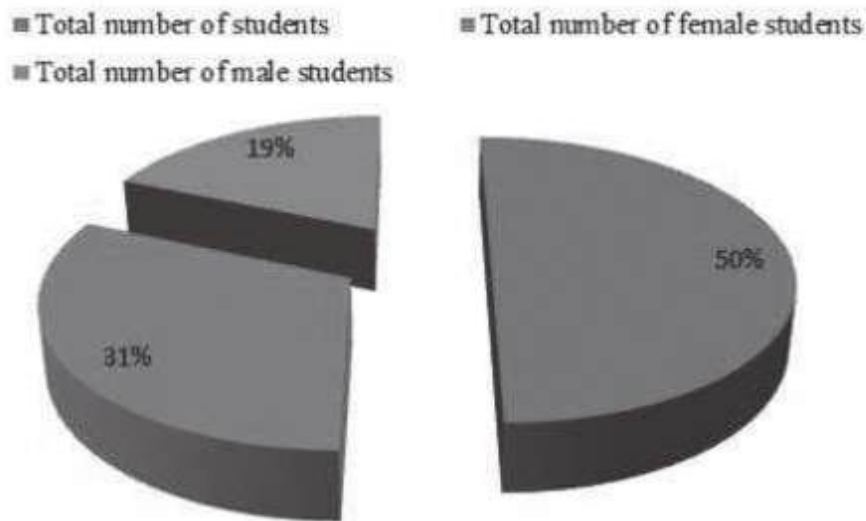
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Activities of the Counselling Cell:

In the academic session of August - December, 2023 and January - May, 2024, the Counselling Cell witnessed a significant number of students availing its services. A total of 568 students benefited from counselling sessions, addressing a wide range of concerns such as stress, family issues, substance abuse, and academic pressures. The breakdown by gender showed 357 girls and 211 boys who sought support from the Cell.

Chart 1: Total Number of Students who availed Counselling Facilities



Some of the common issues faced by students who had come for the Counselling:

1. Difficulty in Academic Performance:
 - Challenges in maintaining focus and concentration during studies.
 - Frequent absenteeism and anxiety related to examinations.
2. Adaptation and Coping:
 - Struggles with adjusting to the college system and developing effective coping skills.
3. Self-Development and Confidence:
 - Issues related to decision-making, self-confidence, self-worth, and assertiveness.
4. Emotional Well-being:
 - Feelings of anxiety, extreme fear, and depression impacting daily life and activities.
5. Behavioural Challenges:
 - Dealing with various types of addictions and managing relationships effectively.
6. Motivation and Engagement:
 - Lack of motivation and enthusiasm towards academic and personal goals.
7. Family and Financial Concerns:
 - Challenges related to family dynamics, financial pressures, and health issues affecting academic performance and well-being.



Impact of Counselling on Students:

Testimonials and case studies highlight the positive impact of counselling on students' lives. Many students who had availed of the facilities and came for several sessions of counselling gave their feedback and reported to the Cell that there was a reduction in stress levels, improved relationships, and a better overall quality of life after engaging with the Counselling Cell.

Future Plans and Improvements:

Looking ahead, the Counselling Cell aims to enhance its services further. This includes exploring new therapeutic interventions, fostering collaborations with external agencies, and implementing feedback mechanisms to continually improve the quality of support offered.

Frequently Asked Questions:

1. How do I make an appointment with the Counselling Cell?

To make an appointment with the Counselling Cell, you can write an email to dbcicounsellingcell@gmail.com or contact them via WhatsApp at +91 8451819056. Alternatively, you can also avail walk-in services in the counselling room during their specified timings.

2. Are counselling services confidential?

Yes, counselling services at Don Bosco College, Itanagar Counselling Cell are strictly confidential as per legal requirements. Your privacy and trust are maintained, ensuring a safe environment to discuss your concerns openly. Maintaining confidentiality and professionalism is paramount in counselling. The Cell strictly adheres to legal requirements, ensuring trust, privacy, and a safe environment for students to express their concerns openly.

3. Can I approach the Cell for both academic and personal concerns?

The Counselling Cell welcomes students to approach them for both academic and personal concerns. Whether you need assistance with academic challenges, personal issues, or a combination of both, the Counsellors are there to provide support.

4. What qualifications do the Counsellors possess?

The Counsellors at Don Bosco College, Itanagar, are highly qualified and experienced. Some of their qualifications include:

- Fr. C.D. Mathai: Licentiate from Salesian Pontifical University, Rome.
- Dr. Dominic Leo Thaikho: Ph.D from TISS, Mumbai.
- Sr. Lellis: MSW from School of Social Work, Mangalore, and Certificate in Pastoral Ministry and Counselling from the Catholic Health Association, Palai.

5. How has counselling benefited students in the past?

Counselling has greatly benefited students at Don Bosco College, Itanagar, in various ways. Students who have engaged in counselling sessions have reported:

- Reduced stress levels
- Improved self-confidence
- Better decision-making skills
- Enhanced coping mechanisms
- Positive changes in relationships
- Overall improvement in their quality of life.



BOSCO YOUTH CARE
Dr. Lalgin Chongloi
Coordinator

The Bosco Youth Care of Don Bosco College, Itanagar successfully organized the following events in the academic year 2023-24.

- 1. Talk on “How to Cope with Exam Stress” (24th November, 2023):** The main objective of the talk was to create awareness among the students’ community relating to exam stress and a way forward. Dr. Lalgin Chongloi, the coordinator of the club in his talk emphasized the significance of advance preparation, organized schedule, taking breaks, exercising, eating well, and seeking for support system. He exhorted that by following the above, students could find pathways in overcoming stress related to examination.
- 2. Drug Abuse and Alcoholism (30th April, 2024):** The Bosco Youth Care also conducted a talk on “Drug Abuse and Alcoholism” to shed light on the multifaceted dimensions of this issue and explore effective strategies for prevention and intervention. Dr. Tailyang Sirah, the Resource Person of the day, elucidated the intricate mechanisms underlying addiction. He highlighted how addiction hijacks the brain’s reward system, perpetuating compulsive drug-seeking behaviors. He also delved into the psychosocial determinants of substance abuse, emphasizing the influence of environmental factors, social networks, and psychological vulnerabilities. He emphasized the importance of addressing underlying trauma and stressors in addiction treatment. Similarly, he discussed innovative approaches to addiction treatment, such as pharmacotherapy, cognitive-behavioral therapy, and holistic rehabilitation programs. He underscored the need for personalized treatment plans tailored to individuals’ unique needs and circumstances.



MENTORING CELL
Dr. Dominic Leo Thaikho
Coordinator

The mentoring program at our institution is designed to offer valuable guidance to students across personal, academic, and social spheres of life. It operates as a collaborative partnership between mentors and mentees, with mentors being full-time faculty members who assist students during transitional phases and challenging moments. This relationship is built on principles of mutual trust and respect, establishing a healthy rapport between students and faculty members. The program's primary goal is to conduct a comprehensive assessment of learners' progress and provide inclusive spaces for their growth and development.

The objectives of our mentoring program include:

- Inspiring mentees and fostering their self-confidence to tackle challenging tasks and situations effectively.
- Recognizing mentees' potential and interests, guiding them towards active participation in co-curricular and extra-curricular activities.
- Improving the teacher-student relationship to create a supportive and conducive learning environment.
- Aligning with the institutional motto, vision, mission, and objectives through mentorship initiatives.
- Cultivating healthy relationships and collaboration among all stakeholders involved.
- Understanding the learners' profiles, abilities, and needs to offer appropriate support and facilitate decision-making processes.
- Encouraging and facilitating mentees to realize their academic, career, and personal aspirations.

In essence, the mentoring program at Don Bosco College, Itanagar, serves as a cornerstone for nurturing students' holistic development, promoting a culture of excellence, collaboration, and personal growth within the academic community.

The Mentoring Cell consists of Dr. Dominic Leo, as the Coordinator and Dr. Lalgini Chongloi as the Assistant Coordinator. The other members include all the heads of departments (HoDs).

Sl. No	Name	Designation.
1	Dr. (Fr) Jose George	Principal
2	Fr. Phuvito Emmanuel	Convenor Vice Principal (Academics)
3	Sr. Suneetha Devasi	Vice Principal (Student Affairs)
4	Dr. Dominic Leo	Coordinator, Assistant Professor, HoD-Dept. of Social Work
5	Dr. Lalgini Chongloi	Asst. Coordinator, Assistant Professor, HoD-Dept. of Sociology
6	Mr. Daikho Athishu	Member, Assistant Professor, HoD-Dept. of English
7	Mr. Ayu Poupu	Member, Assistant Professor, HoD-Dept. of Political Science
8	Dr. Prafulla Rajbanshi	Member, Assistant Professor, HoD-Dept. of Economics
9	Dr. Dusu Sambyo	Member, Assistant Professor, HoD-Dept. of History
10	Ms. Jasmine Kimsing	Member, Assistant Professor, HoD- Dept. of Commerce



The Mentoring Cell for the academic session January - May, 2024, organized the Mentor-Mentee division based on the teacher-student ratio. Each mentor met their mentees in group sessions and individually three times per semester, as per the mandatory requirements. However, there were no restrictions on mentees meeting with their mentors beyond these mandated sessions. The Mentoring Cell scheduled the first group meeting, followed by individual mentoring sessions, specifying the date, time, and location. Subsequent individual sessions were arranged by mentors according to their schedules with mentees.

During the successful Semester (January - May) of the academic year 2024, the Mentoring Cell effectively facilitated mentorship with 34 mentors guiding 46 mentees each. Each mentee received a personal copy of the mentoring logbook, serving as a guide for mentors and containing personal information entries for mentees.

Key activities of the mentoring cell during the academic session January - May, 2024 included:

1. A general meeting on 10th February, 2024 focusing on Mentor-Mentee Division and orientation on mentoring for faculty members.
2. Mentor-Mentee First Group Meeting on 27th March, 2024, with group meeting assignments provided by the Mentoring Cell.
3. Mentor-Mentee Individual Mentoring Sessions based on appointments scheduled by mentees with their respective mentors.

Key Highlights from the Semester Report:

1. **Mentorship Programs:** The Mentoring Cell organized a mentorship program, to foster learning and professional development opportunities for mentees.
2. **Feedback and Evaluation:** Regular feedback mechanisms were implemented to evaluate the effectiveness of the mentorship programs and to ensure continuous improvement in providing valuable mentorship experiences.
3. **Impact and Success Stories:** Several success stories emerged from the mentorship relationships, showcasing the positive impact of the Mentoring Cell in helping mentees achieve their goals and overcome challenges.
4. **Future Plans:**
 - i. Based on the feedback received, the Mentoring Cell aims to enhance its mentorship programs, strengthen mentor-mentee relationships, and explore innovative ways to connect mentors and mentees effectively.
 - ii. Collaborations and Partnerships: The Mentoring Cell plan to collaborate with Counselling Cell and external organizations, educational institutions, and industry professionals to expand its reach and provide diverse mentorship opportunities.

The Mentoring Cell had a successful year, connecting mentors with mentees and fostering valuable relationships. The impact of the cell was evident in the growth and achievements of the mentees. With a commitment to continuous improvement, the Mentoring Cell aims to expand its reach and further enhance mentorship experiences in the coming year.



A HARMONIOUS JOURNEY: BOSCONIAN CHOIR & PROCLAIMERS

Dr. (Sr.) Penny Rose Chinir
Coordinator

The Bosconian Choir and Proclaimers at Don Bosco College, Itanagar, embodies the transformative power of music, fostering an environment of peace and unity within the college fraternity. Through heartfelt performances and a commitment to sharing the Word of God, they forge connections with students and faculty, nurturing a sense of togetherness and enthusiasm. Throughout the academic year 2023-2024, the Bosconian Choir undertook several initiatives to strengthen their impact.

Creative Engagement: The choir explored innovative methods to track daily participation at morning assemblies, ensuring an inclusive and lively start to each day.

Enhanced Performance: They dedicated efforts to enhancing the quality of assembly songs and the delivery of the Word of God, captivating audiences with melodious hymns and profound messages.

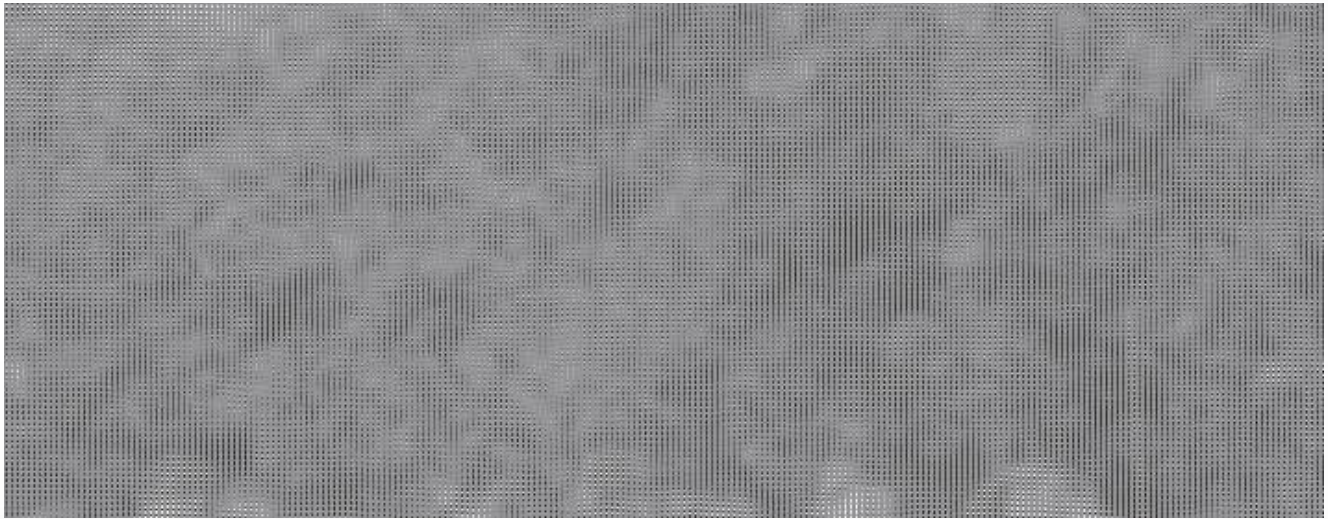


Promoting Equity: With a steadfast commitment to gender equity, the choir organized study tours, thematic singing competitions, and Bible quizzes, fostering participation and inclusivity among members.

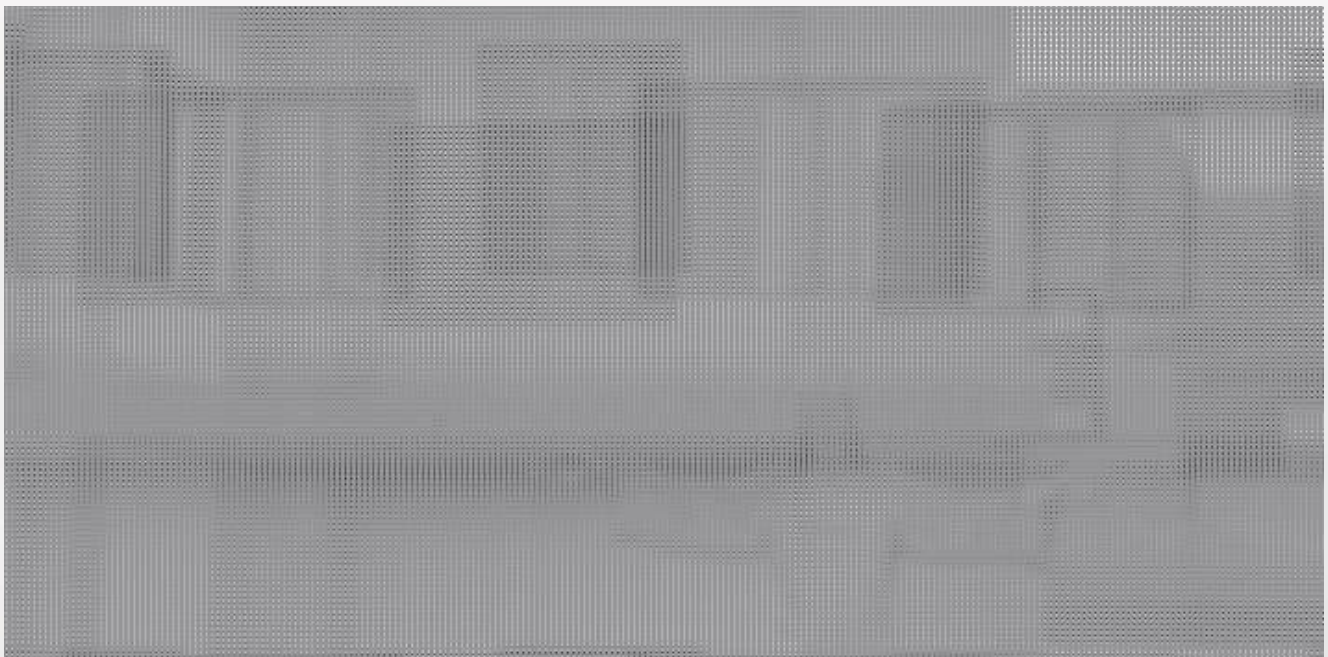
Fostering Fraternal Bonding: Regular meetings and effective communication channels, such as a dedicated WhatsApp group, facilitated seamless coordination and active engagement among choir members and the proclaimers. This collaborative spirit significantly contributed to the choir's fraternal bonding and maintained a consistent and impactful presence in college events and activities.



Platform for Dedicated Animation: In addition to their daily dedication to nurturing talents, fostering leadership, and seeking growth and fulfilment while embodying the spirit of selfless dedication and love, the Bosconian Choir and Proclaimers showcased their talent and dedication at numerous college events and beyond. Their performances during significant occasions like Graduation Day, Teachers' Day, and other celebrations reflected their commitment to excellence. Additionally, they also visited notable places like Raj Bhavan and engaged in cultural immersion experiences during the study tour.

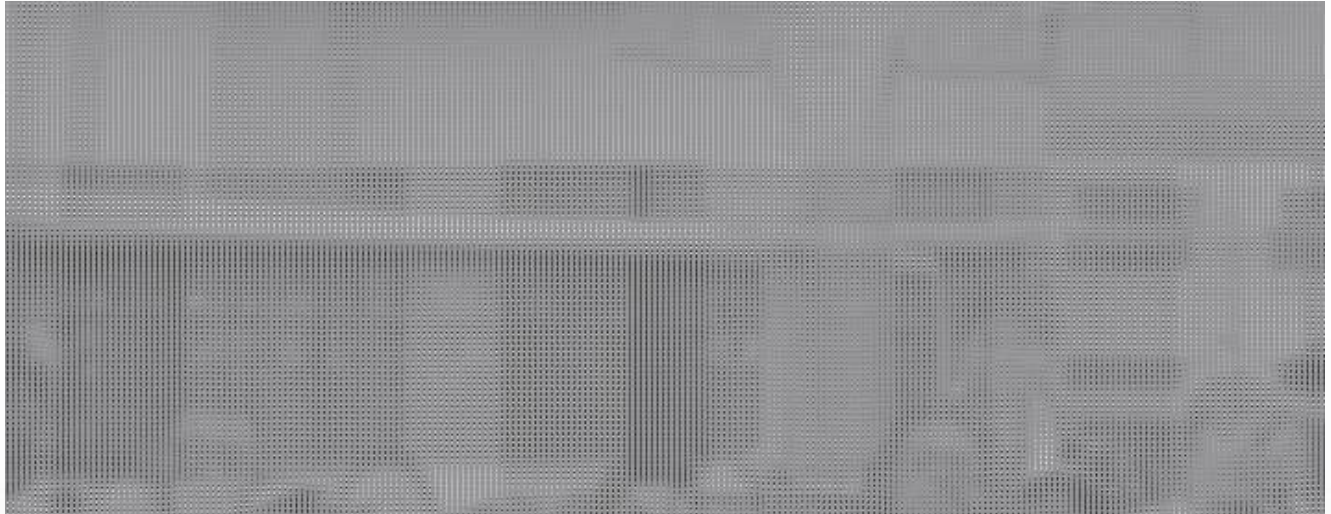


Educational Tour: A standout highlight of the academic year was the Educational Tour to Shillong and Cherrapunji from 15th to 18th March, 2024. Led by the coordinator and guide, Dr. (Sr.) Penny Rose Chinir, and co-guide Sr. Margaret Kanga, the tour brought together 26 girls and 8 boys from various departments and semesters of the college. The itinerary included visits to iconic sites such as Shillong Peak, Elephant Falls, Seven Sisters Fall, and Don Bosco Museum, offering an enriching cultural and educational experience for all participants.





Sparked Increased Interest and Enrolment: Despite the challenges of winding roads and lengthy journeys, the Bosconian Choir's energy and enthusiasm made the trip to Shillong and Cherrapunji unforgettable and insightful. Through meticulous planning, logistical arrangements, a well-planned itinerary route, group dynamism, and students' full cooperation, the tour ensured a comprehensive experience covering cultural, ecological, and natural aspects of Meghalaya. The tour culminated in a deeper appreciation for diverse cultures and ecological beauty, reinforcing the choir's commitment to holistic growth and community engagement. Notably, it successfully promoted gender equity and sparked increased interest, with nearly 70 members from different years and departments participating.



In summary, the Bosconian Choir's journey in 2023-2024 epitomizes their dedication to music, leadership, and inclusivity, leaving a lasting impact on the Don Bosco College fraternity. Through their harmonious melodies and meaningful messages, they continue to inspire and unite the college community in a shared spirit of joy and celebration.





RESEARCH CELL

Dr. Tailyang Sirah
Coordinator

The Research Cell of the college has been established with the vision of providing a holistic approach to scientific research among faculty members. This allows them to disseminate and exchange ideas and thoughts in the field. By fostering research, the Cell aims to contribute to finding solutions to real-world problems. The Cell facilitates access to information resources and professional support networks, further enriching professional learning.

Among others, some remarkable achievements and activities carried out by the Research Cell during the academic year 2023-24 include:

Completion of Two Research Projects:

1. **“Empowerment Through Education: A Study of Adi Tribe of East Siang District, Arunachal Pradesh”** by Dr. Tailyang Sirah, Principal Investigator (PI), with the total project amount of Rs. 8,65,000 (Eight lakh and sixty-five thousand) only.
2. **“Role of Education in Social Development among Tribal of Arunachal Pradesh: A Case Study”** by Dr. P. Namzidimbo Zeliang, Principal Investigator (PI), with the total project amount of Rs. 9,06,000 (Nine lakh and six thousand) only.

These research projects were sponsored by the Tribal Research Institute (TRI) – RGU, supported by the Department of Social Justice, Empowerment and Tribal Affairs (SJETA), Government of Arunachal Pradesh, Itanagar and funded by the Ministry of Tribal Affairs (MoTA), Government of India, New Delhi. The duration of the projects covered 12 (twelve) months (from 1st April, 2022 to 31st March, 2023). The final project reports were submitted to Tribal Research Institute (TRI) – RGU and the Department of Social Justice, Empowerment and Tribal Affairs (SJETA), Government of Arunachal Pradesh, Itanagar on 24th April, 2023.

Releasing of Two Books:

The Research Cell of Don Bosco College, Itanagar, organized a Book Releasing Program on 23rd March, 2024, to celebrate the publication of two research projects.

1. The first book, **“Empowerment Through Education: A Study of Adi Tribe of East Siang District, Arunachal Pradesh,”** (with ISBN: 978-81-958979-5-7) authored by Dr. Bikash Bage, Dr. Tailyang Sirah, and Dr. (Fr.) Jose George, explores the educational empowerment of the Adi tribe in Arunachal Pradesh.
2. The second book, **“Role of Education in Social Development among Tribals of Arunachal Pradesh: A Case Study,”** (with ISBN: 978-81-958979-6-4) authored by Dr. Bikash Bage, Dr. P. Namzidimbo Zeliang, and Dr. (Fr.) Jose George, examines the impact of education on social development within Arunachal Pradesh’s tribal communities.

These books are revised versions of research projects sponsored by the Tribal Research Institute (TRI) - Rajiv Gandhi University (RGU), supported by the Department of Social Justice, Empowerment and Tribal Affairs (SJETA), Arunachal Pradesh government, and funded by the Ministry of Tribal Affairs (MoTA), Government of India. The books were



released by Shri Yumlam Kaha, Director, Department of Social Justice Empowerment and Tribal Affairs, Government of Arunachal Pradesh, Itanagar in the presence of Dr. Bikash Bage, Head, Department of Sociology and Nodal Officer, Tribal Research Institute (TRI), Rajiv Gandhi University, Rono Hills, and Dr. (Fr.) Jose George, Principal, Don Bosco College, Itanagar.

Subsequently, copies of the book were later handed over to Prof. Saket Kushwaha, Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor, Rajiv Gandhi University, Doimukh, Dr. Nabam Tadar Rikam, Registrar, Rajiv Gandhi University, Doimukh, Prof. Otem Padung, Finance Officer, Rajiv Gandhi University, Doimukh, and Prof. Nani Bath, Director, CDC, RGU on 17th May, 2024, at their respective office chambers. This gesture was made to express profound gratitude for their approval and support of the research projects.



Implementation of Research Policy:

With the initiative of Research Cell, the Research Policy of the Don Bosco College, Itanagar has come into force w.e.f. 10th May, 2024, by providing financial and other incentives to the faculty members for presenting papers in the seminars. The prime objective of the Research Policy is to facilitate and encourage the faculty members to seriously engage in scientific research activities- like organising seminars, presenting papers in the National and International seminars, workshops and publication of research papers by providing financial and other incentives.

Submission of Collaborative Research Project Proposal to ICSSR

The Research Cell successfully coordinated the development of a collaborative research proposal submitted to the Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR) on June 30th, 2024. The proposal aligns with the theme “Vision Viksit Bharat@2047” (VVB@2047).

The collaborative research team comprised researchers from:

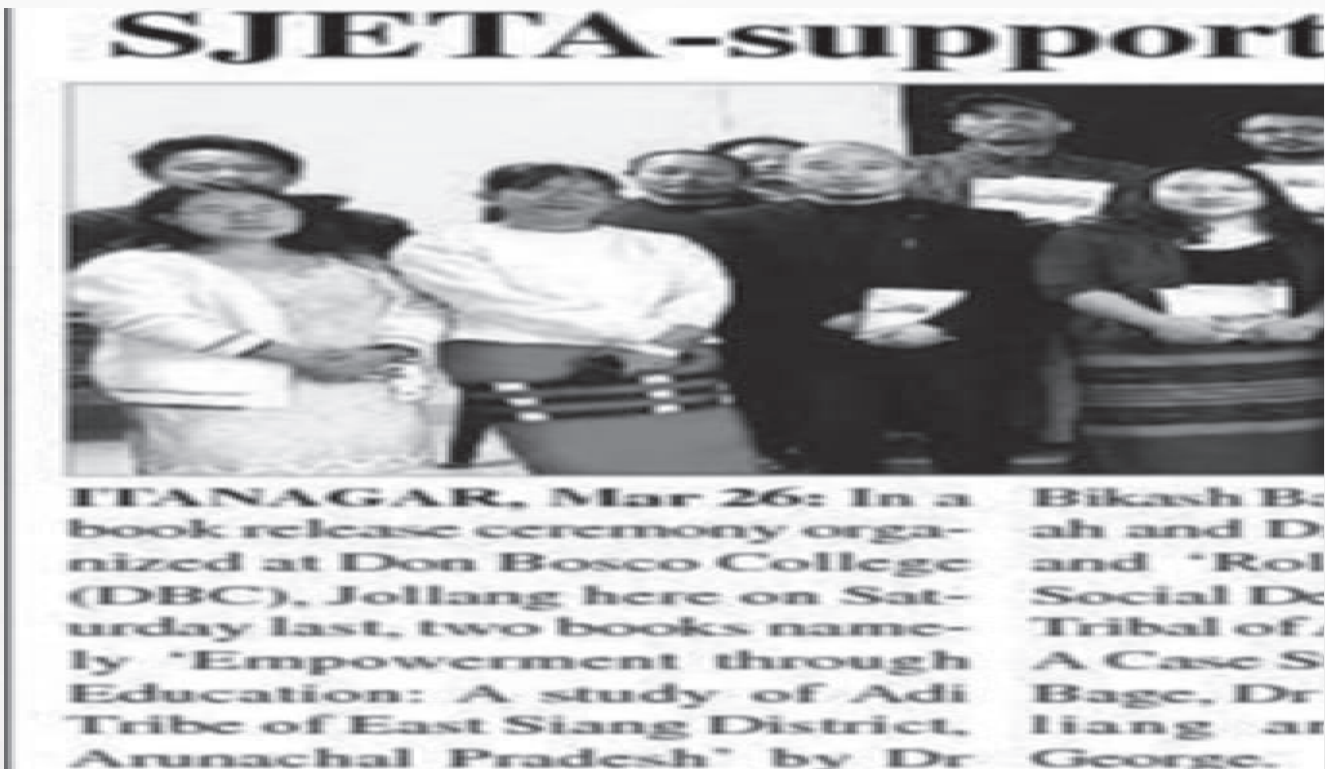
- Don Bosco College, Itanagar, Arunachal Pradesh
- Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), Bengaluru, Karnataka
- North East Institute of Social Sciences & Research, Dimapur, Nagaland
- Don Bosco College, Bongaigaon, Assam.



These accomplishments highlight the Research Cell's dedication to advancing academic excellence and innovation. It will pave the way for attaining a higher level of success in the coming years.



Release of two Books of DBC, Itanagar by Shri Yumlam Kaha, Director, SJETA, Itanagar



Media Coverage of Book Releasing Ceremony of two Books at DBC, Itanagar



NATIONAL SERVICE SCHEME (NSS)

Samsom Mossang

Coordinator

This academic session has been a fruitful session for the National Service Scheme Cell of the college. Following the motto, “Not Me but You”, the volunteers dedicated their time and energy for the benefit of society.

Activities carried out by the NSS volunteers:

- 1. Independence Day:** The NSS Cell of the college celebrated 77th Independence Day in the college premises in collaboration with National Cadet Corps Cell. The volunteers took part in marchpast and the “Panch Pran Pledge” was administered by the PO, Mr. Samsom Mossang. The PO also highlighted the importance of “Meri Mati Mera Desh” campaign to all present for the celebration. Shri Tana Taha Tara, Gram Panchayat Chairman of Jollang Panchayat took part in the celebration as the Chief Guest.
- 2. Initiation cum Orientation Day:** The NSS Cell organized its Initiation cum Orientation Day on 15th September, 2023. Dr. Ajay Kumar Mishra, State Liaison Officer NSS, Department of Higher and Technical Education, Government of Arunachal Pradesh participated in the event as the Resource Person. He highlighted the importance of NSS, its motto and symbol, and the activities to be carried out by the volunteers. The senior volunteers presented cultural and patriotic items for the new volunteers. A total of 107 new volunteers were initiated.
- 3. NSS Day:** The NSS Cell of the college celebrated NSS Day on 25th September, 2023. The PO, Mr. Samsom Mossang spoke to the newly inducted volunteers and highlighted the motto and role of NSS volunteers.
- 4. “Swachhata Hi Sewa” Campaign:** The NSS Cell observed “Swachhata Hi Sewa” Campaign from 15th September till 30th September, 2023. The volunteers were asked to clean their surroundings and post action pics daily in social media.
- 5. Voluntary Blood Donation Camp:** On 1st October, 2023, volunteers of the Cell participated in Voluntary Blood Donation Camp organized by the Department of Health, Government of Arunachal Pradesh at DK Convention Hall, IG Park.
- 6. Gandhi Jayanti:** The NSS Cell conducted social service on 2nd October, 2023 under “Swachhata Hi Sewa” Campaign in collaboration with Jollang Gram Panchayat. Shri Talo Potom, IAS, DC, Capital Complex, flagged off the Cleanliness drive. Fr. CD Mathai, Rector of the college administered the Non-Violence Pledge to all present. The social service was conducted from Jollang Central Jail to NES Secretariat, covering 5 kms.
- 7. Amrit Kalash Yatra:** On 13th October, 2023, the NSS Cell organized Amrit Kalash Yatra as part of “Meri Mati Mera Desh” Campaign. The volunteers brought rice grains as offering. The PO, Mr. Samsom Mossang highlighted the importance of the observation and PO, Dr. Tagam Dabi administered the “Panch Pran Pledge”. Later, the volunteers offered the grains as part of the observation. 2 potful of rice grains were collected.
- 8. State Level Pre Republic-Day Parade Camp:** On 17th October, 2023, 4 volunteers of the college took part in State Level Pre RD-Parade Camp held at Dera Natung Government



College, Itanagar. Out of the 4 volunteers, Ms. Tailyang Suma of English 3rd Semester, was selected to participate in the East Zone Pre Republic-Day Parade Camp to be held at Bhubaneswar, Odhisa from 15th to 24th November, 2023.

9. National Unity Day: The NSS Cell National Unity Day was organized on 31st October, 2023. PO, Dr. Tagam Dabi addressed the gathering on the importance of Unity, Integrity, and Diversity. He also highlighted the life of Sardar Vallabh Bhai Patel, his contribution and commitment towards unifying the nation. The volunteers showcased their talents by making sketches on the theme of Unity and Integrity. At the end of the program, PO, Ms. Mudang Tunya administered the Peace Pledge.

10. Mera Pehla Vote Desh Ke Liye: The NSS Cell of the college organized Voters' Awareness Campaign with the theme, "Mera Pehla Vote Desh Ke Liye" as per the instructions of the NSS Regional Directorate, Guwahati from 2nd to 6th March, 2024. The Campaign was organized in collaboration with the Department of Political Science and the Department of Social Work.

1. On 2nd March, a Lecture Series on the theme was delivered by the PO, Mr. Samsom Mossang, Mr. Ayu Poupu, HoD Political Science, and senior volunteers.
2. On 4th March, a poster making competition was organized on the theme.
3. On 5th March, the volunteers took online "Voters' Pledge" in MyGov portal.
4. On 6th March, a skit was staged in collaboration with the Department of Social Work.

11. Systematic Voters' Education and Electoral Participation: The NSS Cell of the college in collaboration with Central Bureau of Communication, Regional Office Itanagar, organized Integrated Communication and Outreach Program on Systematic Voters' Education and Electoral Participation on 8th March, 2024. Miss Bar Yakar, Assistant Professor, Dera Natung Government College, Itanagar attended the program as the Resource Person. Mr. P. Das, Publicity Assistant CBC, RO Itanagar also graced the occasion.

12. Annual Special Camp, 2024: The NSS Cell of the college, organized its Annual Special Camp from 22nd April to 27th April, 2024 at the adopted slum, BPL Colony Jollang. The volunteers were divided into 5 groups for smooth conduct of the Camp.

1. On 22nd April, the POs along with the captains of the 5 groups, visited the BPL colony. The team interacted with the colony dwellers and inspected the colony for the work to be executed during the Camp.
2. On 23rd and 24th April, the volunteers did social service in and around the colony. They collected garbage and repaired the fence. A truck full of garbage was collected and disposed at Holongi Dumping Zone.
3. On 25th April, Free Multispecialty Health Camp was organized in collaboration with Arunachal Pradesh Catholic Association, Medical Wing. 265 patients benefitted from the camp, including dwellers of the BPL Colony, Chimpu and Jollang area.
4. On 26th April, the volunteers made 10 bamboo dustbins and some more social services were carried out, including disinfecting the drains.
5. On 27th April, the volunteers cleaned the colony drains, social service in the college and ended the camp with a cultural evening. As a parting gift, Dr. Fr. Jose George, Principal handed over the bamboo dustbins to the colony dwellers.



TRANSPORT FACILITY AT DBC
Sr. Anusha

The college is cognizant of the importance of transportation in facilitating students' access and ensuring convenience for all. With the increase in students' enrollment and the demand for transportation, the management purchased a new bus on 2024.

The new bus will significantly augment transportation capacity, alleviating overcrowding and improving comfort during transit. It is a 60-seat bus. It is also equipped with advanced safety features, ensuring a safer commuting experience for students. The college owns three buses and the routes are strategically planned to cover major residential areas where students reside.

The acquisition of a new bus for students' transportation at DBC reflects our commitment to providing quality services that enhance students experience and support academic enhancement





NATIONAL BOXING CHAMPIONSHIP, 2023

Mr. Athishu

DBC, Itanagar co-hosted the 5th Junior Boys National Boxing Championship, 2023

The 5th Junior Boys National Boxing Championship, 2023 was organized by the Arunachal Amateur Boxing Association (AABA) under the auspices of the Boxing Federation of India (BFI) at Don Bosco College, Itanagar from 9th to 14th July, 2023. The objective of the championship was to provide a platform for the young boxers to showcase their talent and determination.

Don Bosco College, Itanagar co-hosted the event with the Arunachal Amateur Boxing Association (AABA) and supported by the Directorate of Sports, Government of Arunachal Pradesh. The gala opening ceremony began in the presence of Shri Pema Khandu, Hon'ble Chief Minister, Shri Mama Natung, Hon'ble Minister, Sports and Youth Affairs, Shri Taba Tedir, Hon'ble Minister, Education, Shri Hemanta Kumar Kalita, Secretary General, Boxing Federation of India and other dignitaries.

A total of 367 boxers from across different states and Union Territories of India participated in the championship. Services Sports Control Board (SSCB) emerged as the best team, claiming eight of the 13 gold medals, while Arunachal Pradesh was awarded with the 'Best Fair Play' team. Arunachal's Nenthok Hodong was adjudged the 'Best Boxer' of the competition.

The Championship will witness the participation of talented young boxers from across the country, competing in various weight categories, including 46, 48, 50, 52, 57, 60, 63, 66, 70, 75, 80, and 80+ kilograms.

The reigning champions services sports control board SSCB proved their mettle once again to finish on top at the 5th Junior Boys National championships in Itanagar, Arunachal Pradesh.

Improving their points tally of 59 points from the last edition, SSCB claimed 72 Points with 10 medals that included 8 gold, 1 silver, 1 bronze.





SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS

Sr. Anusha

Scholarships and Awards:

Scholarships and awards hold a profound significance within the college environment. They play a pivotal role by recognizing and rewarding excellence, effort and achievement among students. At our college, we are dedicated to fostering excellence and rewarding hard work through a variety of financial aid opportunities and merit based accolades. From academic scholarships to leadership awards, our programs are designed to support a diverse range of talents and ambitions, reflecting our commitment to nurture the potential of every student. We appreciate Dr. (Fr.) Jose George the principal of the college for his visionary leadership and outstanding initiative in enhancing the college's scholarship and award programs.

Merit Based Scholarship (Rank Holders)

Rank holders award is a prestigious honor bestowed upon students who achieve top ranks in their respective academic programs. It is being awarded to the toppers of the class in each semester (odd & even semester), in every department. This award not only celebrates their scholastic achievements but also uncourageous continued excellence and commitment to their academic goals.



Beti Padhao Award

The Beti Padhao is a special scholarship aimed at promoting and supporting the female students. This initiative underscores our commitment to gender equality and empowerment of women through education. The criteria for this award are the top female performers of each semester exam. 1st ever Beti Padhao award was given out in this year 2023-24. By giving out this award we aim to create a more inclusive and equitable educational environment.



Beti Padhao Award

Bosco Centenary Award (Attendance Award)

Bosco Centenary Award is established to commemorate the successful completion of 100 years of service rendered to education and youth development by Salesian community in North East. Don Bosco College considers that regular attendance is fundamental to academic success and personal development. Hence the management decided to honor students who maintain an attendance rate of 90% and above. This benchmark highlights the importance of consistent class participation and its role in enhancing the educational experience. These students are honored with cash awards. This award inspires students to embrace the importance of being regular and take to participate actively in the academic and other co-curricular activities.

Best Captain Award

The best captain award recognizes students who have shown exceptional leadership skills in their roles as captains or as a member of student council of the college. This award honors their ability to inspire and lead their peers, demonstrating qualities such as leadership, regularity, team work, sportsmanship, and positive contribution to the college's spirit and culture. This award is given to male and female captains respectively. This year 2023-24 the Best Captain award was given to Mr. Nabam Suraj the president of the student council and Ms. Taya Yania, the general secretary of student council.

Clean Classroom Award

The clean classroom award is an initiative to encourage and maintain cleanliness in the classrooms and the college campus. This award aims to foster a sense of responsibility and pride among the teachers and students regarding their surroundings and promote healthy and focused academic atmosphere. There are ten parameters for the evaluation. Based on these parameters the continuous evaluation of classrooms is carried out by faculty and student council members in each semester. At the end of each academic year the best clean classroom award is given out. This year Department of Economics IV Semester is awarded the Best Clean Classroom.



NEW TOILET BLOCK
Sr. Anusha

New Toilet Block in the college:

The laying of the foundation for a new toilet block is a significant step towards enhancing campus infrastructure. The foundation stone was laid on _____ by _____

The primary objective is to construct a modern and accessible toilet facility that meets hygiene standards. The selected site for the new toilet block is connected to all the three floors of the academic block -1. The design includes separate sections for males and females.



Two-Day Faculty Development Programme, Don Bosco College, Itanagar, 23rd-24th January, 2024



Resource Persons: Prof. Kalpana Sarathy & Prof. Kh. Siile Anthony



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Don Bosco Feast, 31st January, 2024



Main Celebrant, Most Rev. John Thomas, Bishop of Itanagar, A.P.







BSW, Rural Immersion Camp Cum Fieldwork, 3rd - 4th Feb., 2024





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Pre-Nyokum 17th February 2024



**Chief Guest, Shri Toko Onuj Chairman cum MD, Hydro Power Development Corporation of AP & Vice President, Nyishi Elite Society Headquarter
Guest of Honour, Shri. Tana Tahin, Social Worker**





Pre-Nyokum, 17th February, 2024





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Sr. Suneetha Devasi's (Phjc) Birthday, 19th Feb., 2024





Nyokum Celebration Day, 26th Feb., 2024





Awareness Program Organized by Career Guidance and Placement Cell (CGPC), 28th February, 2023





DBC Award, 5th March, 2024



NSS Reward, 5th March, 2024





Departmental Seminar, Dept. of Commerce, 6th March, 2024





International Women's Day, 8th March, 2024



Chief Guest, Ms. Yaro Taksing, Senior GCI, 1 APBN-NCC Naharlagun A.P.



Inspection Committee, RGU for Introduction BA in Geography & BCA March, 12th 2024





Bosconian Choir and Proclaimers, Educative Tour to Shillong and Cherrapunji, 15th -18th 2024





Inter Departmental Quiz Competition, 26th March, 2024





Rector Birthday Fr. C.D Mathai, 27th March, 2024





Departmental Seminar, Dept of Economics 4th April, 2024





Bosco Centenary Award 6th April, 2024



Chief Guest: Ms. Mepung Tadar Bage, Advocate, Supreme Court of India Member, Arunachal Pradesh Public Service Commission Former Vice Chairperson, Arunachal Pradesh State Commission for Women



Bosco Centenary Award 6th April, 2024





Departmental Seminar Dept. of Political Science, 06th April, 2024





BSW Orientation Visit to OICL, Doimukh Depot., April 08th 2024



Workshop on AI tools, April 22nd 2024



World Book and Copyright Day 23rd April 2024



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Book Club Visit to RGU, May 2nd 2024



Bosco GYM Inauguration May 3rd 2024





DHTE Inspection for Introduction PG Programmes in DBC, June, 13th 2024





NORMALISING MENTAL HEALTH CONVERSATIONS AMONG STUDENTS

Mr. Telesphore Topno
Assistant Professor
Department of Social Work (BSW)



It goes without saying that mental health is an integral aspect of our overall well-being, yet remains a taboo topic in many educational settings. More than anything, students are expected to prioritize academics over their mental well-being, leading to a culture of silence, stigma and stereotype. Given the need of the time, it is time to normalise mental health conversations among students.

Students face numerous challenges, from academic as well as peer pressure to social media comparisons which can take a toll on their mental health. According to a recent study in India, 60% of students experience anxiety and 40% experience depression. 1 in 4 students in India experiences mental health issues (WHO) and shockingly, suicide is the leading cause of death among students in India (National Crime Records Bureau, NCRB). Given this scenario, it is evident that a lot of these young minds bring these issues into the educational environment. What is more alarming is that many students suffer in silence, fearing judgment or rejection from their peers.

It is essentially important to normalise mental health conversations among students in the educational settings, open conversations to break down the stigma surrounding mental health, encourage students to seek help without fear of judgment. Platforms should be created for students to share their struggles where they can find support and understanding from their teachers and peers creating a sense of community and belonging. Mental health and emotional intelligence have to be enhanced among students which helps them to better focus and navigate life's challenges and overall academic success.

The job of normalising mental health conversations does not end with the management and teachers, students have to roll up their sleeves to participate in this whole process. Students should spearhead movements among peers that shatter the silence surrounding mental health. By sharing their personal struggles and triumphs, they can create a ripple effect of empathy and understanding, inspiring their peers to do the same. Through their courage, they pave the way for a culture of openness and support. They must become ambassadors of mental health awareness, organizing campaigns that educate and enlighten their fellow students. With creativity and passion, students need to challenge harmful stereotypes and stigmas, replacing them with a culture of understanding and empathy. It is also equally important to offer a listening ear and a helping hand to their peers in need which creates safe spaces, both online and offline, where mental health conversations flow freely.

Normalising mental health conversations among students is crucial for creating a supportive and inclusive educational environment. By breaking the silence and encouraging open discussions, students are able to prioritize their mental well-being, leading to happier, healthier, and more successful individuals. Let's work together to create a culture where mental health matters!



MY COLLEGE EXPERIENCE

Mr. Bengia Radhe
BA 6th Semester (Dept. Eng)

The college experience is a transformative journey that shapes individuals in profound ways, moulding them into the architects of their own futures. It is a time of exploration, growth, and self-discovery, where students are empowered to pursue their passions, challenge their limits, and forge lifelong connections.

At the heart of the college experience lies academia. Here, students are exposed to a diverse range of subjects, ideas, and perspectives. Through lectures, seminars, and hands-on experiences, they develop critical thinking skills, hone their problem-solving abilities, and cultivate a thirst for knowledge that extends far beyond the classroom walls. Whether studying the sciences, humanities, or arts, every discipline offers its own unique insights and challenges, contributing to a rich and multifaceted educational experience.

Beyond the confines of academia, the college experience offers a spectrum of extracurricular activities, from clubs and organizations to volunteer opportunities and internships. These experiences provide students with the chance to explore their interests, develop leadership skills, and make a difference in their communities. Whether it is joining a sports team, editing the student newspaper, or participating in a research project, every activity contributes to a rich and multifaceted college experience.

Moreover, the college experience is enriched by the myriad opportunities for extracurricular involvement. Students have the chance to explore their passions, develop leadership skills, and make a positive impact on the world around them. These experiences not only complement their academic pursuits but also help shape their values, interests, and aspirations for the future.

Of course, the college experience is not without its challenges. From academic pressures to financial constraints, to the inevitable homesickness that comes with being away from home, students must confront obstacles both big and small. Yet, it is often through overcoming these challenges that the most profound growth occurs, transforming setbacks into opportunities for learning and resilience.

But perhaps the most profound aspect of the college experience is the relationships forged along the way. From dorm roommates to classmates, professors to mentors, the people we meet in college play a pivotal role in our personal and intellectual growth. They offer support, encouragement, and perspective, helping us navigate the complexities of college life and discover our true selves in the process. And long after graduation, it is these connections that endure, serving as a source of inspiration, camaraderie, and lifelong friendship.



The college experience is a journey of discovery, a voyage of self-exploration that shapes individuals into the best versions of themselves. It is a time of excitement, adventure, and endless possibilities, where every experience leaves an indelible mark on the heart and mind. As students embark on this journey, they are not just preparing for a career; they are embarking on a lifelong quest for knowledge, meaning, and fulfilment.

In conclusion, the college experience is a transformative journey - a time of intellectual curiosity, personal growth, and meaningful connections. It is a period of exploration and self-discovery, where students are empowered to pursue their passions, challenge their assumptions, and embrace the richness and complexity of the world around them. And though the journey may have its ups and downs, its twists, and turns, it is ultimately a voyage of self-discovery, one that prepares us not only for a successful career but for a life of purpose, fulfilment, and lifelong learning.



A SILENT RYTHM

Ms. Fenia Dada
BA 4th Semester (Dept. Eng)

The silence I poured between us
Failed to bear your delusion,
I gaze at the meadows, the sky
Felt the zephyr, the dews
Still, you phrased me dull;
You grieved at my silence
Though my energy narrated stories
The lips had sealed.

I yearn for silences,
Our energies to confess
The things deep hidden
Lifting off our burden
Allowing the tender hearts to heal.

Yet, you're walking away
With all your sorrows,
All your love untold.

I'll still wait,
Under the moon and the stars,
Maybe the voices and noises
Might make you deaf,
Leaving you with just silences.





SORROW OF MINE

Ms. Bamang Menya
BA 4th Semester (Dept. Eng)

Wish we could start it all again
This time with the absence of fear
So that the Queer me won't be terrified
Of what they say,

Can we go back to the time
When you were only mine?
The time when we didn't fall apart yet
And my heart and ache were strangers.

How do I apologise for being too naïve
How am I supposed to hold my tears
When we ended up here,
Maybe you deserve someone better.

Maybe I deserve to long for you,
But if you ever decide to return home
I would love you with
All the Grace that I carry!



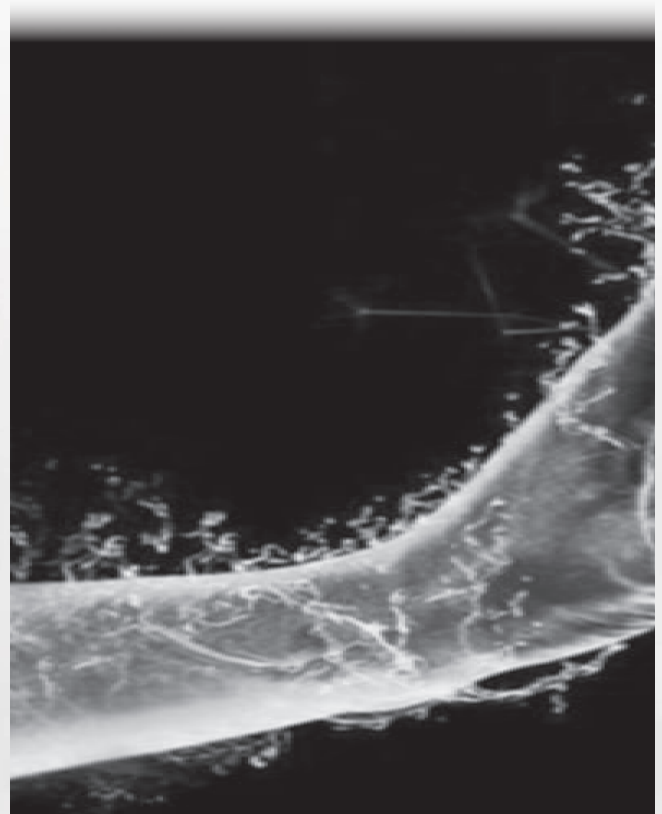
A SOULMATE'S JOURNEY

Mr. Jadia Murphew
BA 2nd Semester (Dept. Eng)

Designed for destiny, two souls congregate
Bound by the stars, in a love divine,
Through the twists and turns, their paths align
In each other's arms, they find their sign.

Across the miles, their hearts beat true
Entwined forever, a bond eternally decreed
In love's embrace, they find their cue
The souls united, where they belong.

Through trials faced and storms weathered
Unbreakable and pure, the love endures
In each other's gaze, they're tethered
Two destined souls, on sacred ground.





**IN THE COLLEGE, WHERE
WE GROW**

**Ms. Jelina Mili
BA 6th Semester (Dept. Eng)**

In the college's bustling halls, we meet
Where dreams and ambitions take their seat;
Amidst the chaos of academic strife,
The literary club, a beacon of life.

In the heart of campus, where ideas flow
In the Literary Club, stories grow;
From depths of imagination's well,
We craft our tales, each with a spell.

Through workshops held and critiques shared,
In the club's embrace, we're unimpaired;
In the echoes of literary discourse,
We find our voice, our unique force.

In the late-night discussions and passionate
talks,
In the Literature Club, we walk in the walks,
Through novels read and poems sung,
In the club, our hearts are forever young.

So let us raise a toast today,
To the college years that slip away.
For the Literary Club, we find our home,
Where experience blossom and memories
roam.



SHE

**Ms. Kabak Yarmin
BA 4th Semester (Dept. Eng)**

She is like the sun
the hottest star
but when she smiles,
She reminds me of flowers.

The way she carries
herself. It's like she
is the water
so graceful so calm,

She is the moon
everyone's first love,
she is the creation of
God's greatest love!



EVOICATION

**Ms. Kiotum Lui
BA 6th Semester (Dept. Eng)**

Spring has come again,
I can smell that sweet breeze,
That flows through the flower,
The touch that evokes your memory.

In the night with Moon light,
taking my steps mid-night,
I can feel the forest alive,
Hearing every voice.

As the Spring brings life,
You have done that too,
Make me grow to full bloom,
Now here stands a man.



BEYOND IMPERFECTION

**Ms. Tsering Dolma
BA 2nd Semester (Dept. Eng)**

What am I, if not obsessive?
What is it that I am allured to?
All I am left with is the song you sang!
What am I, if not the song you sang?
You, blithe, not knowing thy potential of being
altruistic!

You see me and claim me yours,
You have done it like no one else has.
The melancholy runs away as I hear you sing,
Thy beauty is all refined, as it identifies my
beauty amongst the flaws.
It was never me but you, because
What am I, if not the songs you sing!



A FURRY FRIEND

**Mr. Logyo Tagar
BA 2nd Semester (Dept. Eng)**

In a world of barks
and wagging tails,
There's a furry friend
Who never fails.

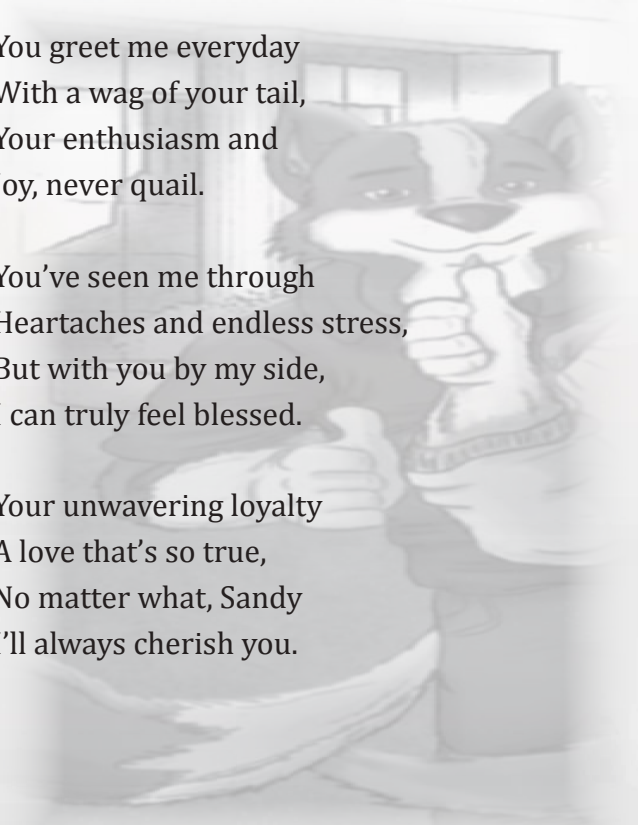
My loyal companion
My gentle guide,
Forever by my side
My loyal guide.

Oh! Sandy, sweet Sandy,
As soft as you can be,
Your eyes full of love,
Your heart so free.

You greet me everyday
With a wag of your tail,
Your enthusiasm and
Joy, never quail.

You've seen me through
Heartaches and endless stress,
But with you by my side,
I can truly feel blessed.

Your unwavering loyalty
A love that's so true,
No matter what, Sandy
I'll always cherish you.



**THOUGHTLESS TIMES**

Ms. Noimem Mossang
B.Com 2nd Semester

Indulgence in thoughts may vary,
Of all the burdens I carry,
Living on with futile dreams, I ought to bury,
Days came and gone, ever so continuously
Dubious aims of uncertainty, on how cowardly.

The old past, that lives within us
Engraving itself in or ruthlessly leaving us
Of happy moments, that remind what's gone.
Looking back, I'm quite envious.
To the me, unaware of what's going on.

Expectations paving for uncertain years
The unknown whispers falling on deaf ears
Promising to oneself for years.
The future I wish to have, is what I fear
For the life I've longed for, no matter the wear
and tears.

**A NIGHT TO BE CHERISHED
FOREVER OUR LIFETIME**

Ms. Nyasum Loyi
B.A 2nd Semester
(Dept. Pol. Sci)

A beautiful night which was all ours,
Stars were shining above,
With the lights of love...

Eyes had the best view
and hands were holding it too...

I hope you could hear what my
lips couldn't utter...

Fireflies with their blinking lights,
Showing us how beautiful was
That riverside...

A kiss on a forehead and your hands
On my waist...

Just for a second, you cleared all of
my doubts, when my eyes met
yours... as if everything
was right for a while.

A night to be cherished forever our lifetimes...





FOR I MUST LET YOU GO

Ms. Tamuk Yani
BA 2nd Semester (Dept. Eng)

It's like you made flowers grow in my lungs,
A beautiful sight to see, but as they bloom and
fill my chest,
I find it hard to breathe.

Each petal bursts with colour bright, a rainbow
In my chest, but the weight of all the beauty,
Has left me feeling stressed.
I want to breath the open air, to fill the wind.

Upon my face, but these flowers keep on
growing,
Filling up the empty space,
I try to catch my breath in vain, as the blooms
Begin to close, their fragrance suffocating me,
as their beauty overflows.

So, I pray for strength to let them go, to cut them
From my chest, and breath the air that fills my
Lungs, in its pure and simple rest;

For though they're beautiful to see, these
flowers
Are not for me, and I must learn to live and
breathe in a way that sets me free.



MY BOSOM FRIEND

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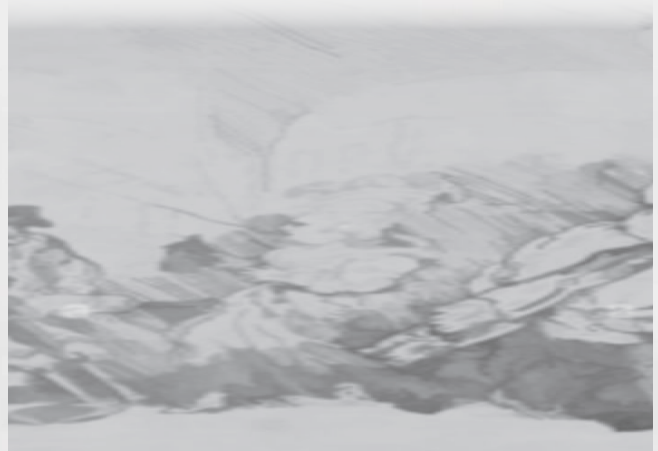
In a world full of chaos,
When I was wrapped in tears,
Oh! My Bosom Friend! It was you,
Who brought a shelf of white cloth,

And helped me paint the pain of sorrows,
That bled from my veins, tickled through my
bones and drowned my heart.

In a world full of cheeriness,
My Bosom Friend! It was you,
Who presented me the wide floor,
Where my thoughts danced,
In tones of expressions and joyful emotions,

Accumulated all the warmth of my living.
And placed in a piece of art.
The Burden Mind of mine felt lighter,
When all the past, present and future rested on
a soft blank sheet.

But the job of the quill pen felt heavier,
As it had to express the depth of the heart,
And tell many stories of a weighted soul.



**LOSAR, TRIUMPH OF LIGHT**

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The wind howls a fierce song,
Whipping the prayer flags on the rooftop,
Upon Winter's retreat and early dawn of Spring.

Is it that time already? The joyous call echoes,
For the fifteen days of liberation upon us!
A time for feasting, for purging the past year's
shadows,
A chance to shed my own burdens and rise
anew.

Young and old, adorned in colours and finest
clothes,
The aroma of khaptse with butter tea invites,
A joyous chaos erupting, everyone, covered in
flour,
Their laughter falls like a waterfall.

Monpa cuisines grace the tables in display
Some dance, songs, and greetings to the
almighty.

It indeed is a new year,
A new year which boosts every soul in and out!
Every Losar is a reminder of the triumph of
good over evil,
It's not just a festival to me, but an emotion,
A strong invisible bond which connects
everyone all over again

**DAWN OF SPRING**

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It's the dawn of Spring season today
I'm in classroom, it's the same usual day;
The breeze blowing light and sweet
Like its calling me out of the window just to
meet.

Though the classroom is too noisy here,
Yet, it seems I'm laying on a noiseless grassy
sphere
Where trees whispering through the breeze
Like all my stress vanished it seems.

It's reminding me of you as spring arise
Wherever I look, I still see your eyes;
It seems time is moving so slow indeed,
So just want to close my eyes and sleep.

The season will change
But I will still remain the same
Waiting here for you,
Just like cherry blossom
Await the dawn of spring.





**REFLECTIONS ON TIME'S
UNSEEN PASSAGE**

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There'll be a moment you realize you're 27,
Yesterday, you were just 17;
A decade passed, and you can't quite tell
How your life got divided, before and after fell.

The fury of youth will eventually subdue,
Nothing will truly change, it's mostly a feeling's
hue.

But when you look at old photographs, blurry
and cheap,
Everything feels different, memories bittersweet
and deep.

Childhood sense will bring back forgotten
friends,
Faces you haven't seen, connections that now
have ends.
Hangouts morph into reunions,
Mom's burnt pie, a taste from a long-gone day.

Some days, those ten years might feel a blur,
But even then, find solace, a calming inner stir.
Breathe deep, let go of the weight upon your
chest,
For tomorrow brings 37, another life's sweet
test.

Each passing year whispers a goodbye to
youthful days,
A bittersweet longing for a simpler life's maze
But hold onto hope, for life's a journey to
embrace.



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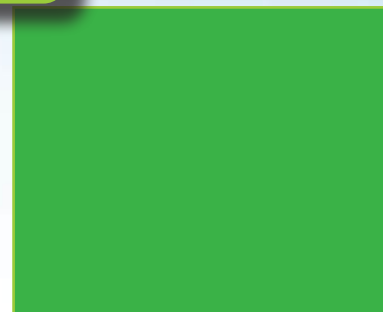
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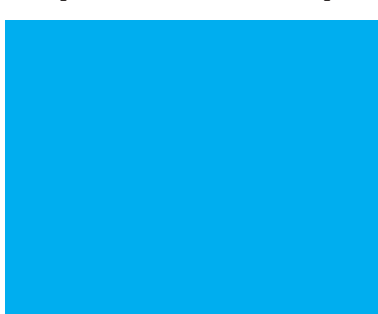
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