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5.4.1_ Alumni Association



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Report on Alumni Activities 2019-2020

Under the initiative “Know Your Alumni”, the Department of Computer Science invited Ms. Prerana Polekar, one of our prestigious alumni of Batch 2009-10 for an interactive session with the students on 25th January 2020. Ms. Polekar is currently working with ‘Accenture’ as an Application Development Lead. She shared her experience during her college days and guided the students on the career prospective. She also shared the 10 motivational things she has learned in her journey at college and at work. It was an interactive and happy event of meeting ones ‘senior’ and the students had many queries of their own on studies, career and many other things.

Ms. Aparna Prabhudesai, our alumna from the B.Com, 1990 batch was the Chief Guest for the Annual Sports Day Celebrations on 19th December 2019. Ms. Prabhudesai is an athlete who has run more than thirty half marathons and half a dozen full marathons. She is first woman from the State of Maharashtra to have summited the Mount Everest from the North side and holds the distinction of being India's oldest woman on Mount Everest. Ms. Prabhudesai, expressed her gratitude to her alma mater for her success. The students cheered as she shared memories of her college days and her journey to a successful life amidst all challenges.

Ms. Rupal S. Gesota, our alumna of 1995, BA-Economics, conducted a compulsory credit course on Yoga for the Post-Graduate students of our college across all streams from 29th August 2019 to April 2020. Ms. Gesota, on completing her Yoga Therapist course from the SKY Institute, Pune is working as Yoga Teacher cum Therapist since 2013. The students immensely benefitted from the yoga training and practical sessions by Ms. Gesota.

The Alumni Meet 2020 experienced the indomitable spirit of the Miraites as the past met the present on 29th February 2020. The Meet unfurled the milestones reached through the Annual Report presented by Mrs. Kashmira Parekh, the Alumni Association President. The Miss Alumni Contest; a cultural extravaganza organized by the alumni and current students and the felicitation of eminent alumni adorned this year’s Meet. The Alumni contest was won by Ms. Kavita Desarda (1973 batch), Ms. Ashwini Motadu (2005 batch) and Afreen Sabooni (2019 batch). The Association proudly felicitated the Shiv Chatrapati Awardees, Ms. Gurbans Kaur and Ms. Aparna Prabhudesai as distinguished alumni. It also honoured the invaluable contribution of Ms. Rama Balakrishnan, Ms. Dolly Pundol and Ms. Indra Parwani towards their alma mater.



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The alumni of the department of Psychology actively conduct Stress Management Workshops for various departments of our college as well as provides these sessions to other colleges too for the year 2019-20.

The Dept of English was Conducted various Alumni Activities in the year 2019-20

Placement Drive: Shazia Lalljee from MA English class (2018-2020), who is currently working with Stones2Milestones as Content Manager level 2, conducted a placement drive which resulted in more than 10 girls being hired as online teachers for school children at Stones2Milestones, a Delhi based company.

Safiya Savliwala from MA English class (2018-2020) currently works at Scepter Tech Media a start-up Media company and is conducting a placement drive for the English special students.

Internship: Maryam Shaikh from MA English class (2017-2019) is Pune head for India Lost and Found. Rutuja Dumbre (2018-20), Ayushree Nair (MA), Khadija Lokhandwala (MA) and Ummesalama Karu (TYBA) did internships under her at India Lost and Found headed by Amit Pasricha.

Club Activities: Shreya Humnabadkar (2019-20) and Anoushka Gutain (2019-20) actively engaged in the organisation of all JNK activities for 2020-21 and participated enthusiastically in several LitWits sessions which helped the new committee members of the club get guidance and feel inspired.

Mentoring: Swathi Satish (2019-20) who is currently appearing for the IAS interviews took a 2-hour mentoring session with the SYBA English special IAS aspirants giving them detailed information on approaching the IAS entrance exams and the IAS as a career option. She will guide the girls further, in intervals of 6 months to help them progress.



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Annual Sports Day- 2019 Inauguration Function_ Mrs. Aparna Prabhodesai lights the ceremonial Torch



Ms. Aparna presiding over Tug Of War



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Yoga Credit Course_RupalGesota explaining the importance of Yoga



Yoga Credit Course_RupalGesotawhile teaching Yoga



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The winners of Ms Alumni Contest with the Judges



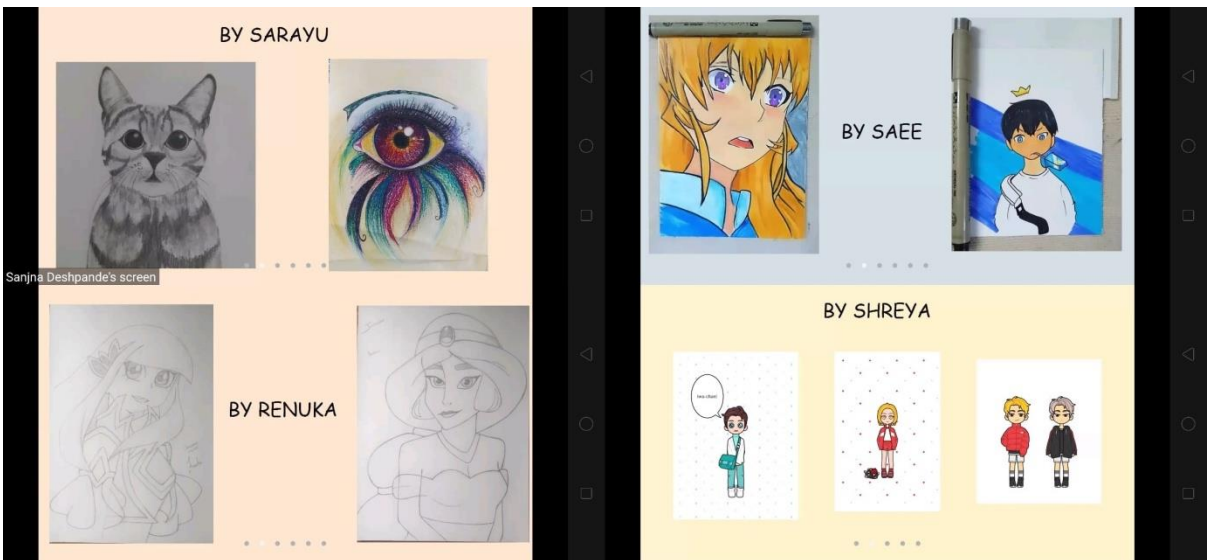
The Proud Miraites



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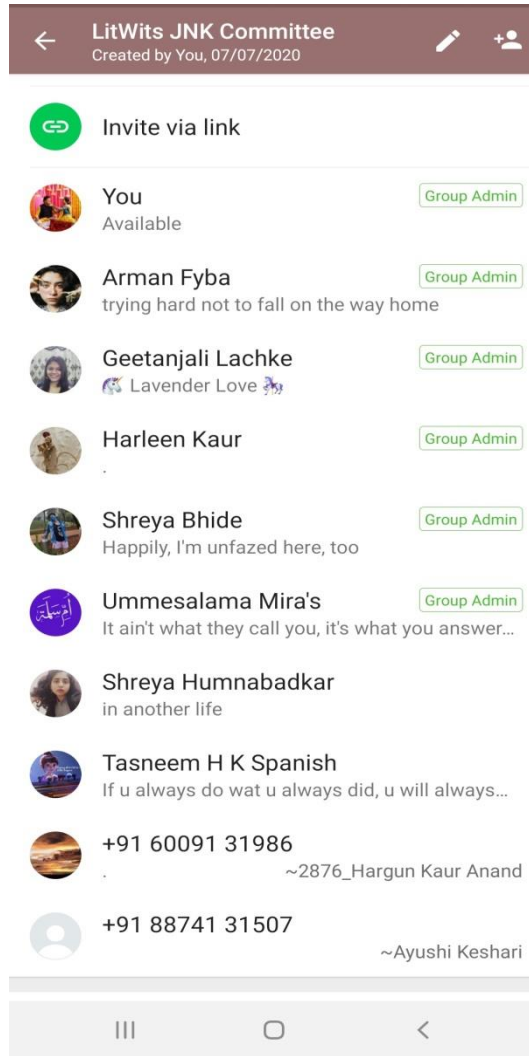
Stress Management Workshop for BBA students_2019-20



English Department_Alumni_LitWits Club_Artwork by Shreya Humnabdkar 2019-20



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Alumni_LitWits Club_Committee with Alumni Shreya Humnabadkar 2019-20



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Kashmira Parekh, Asha Panicker and RupalGesota-Pillars of the Association



Ms. Kashmira Parekh presenting the Annual Report



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