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## AND...WE DID IT AGAIN...!!



**M**s. Teena Johny of B.Ed made our college proud by getting selected among various national and international student speakers, at the 4th Bharatiya Chhatra Sansad held from 27th-30th Jan, 2016. It is the largest youth parliament held each year at MIT Pune. Teena spoke about the role of Indian youth in politics. She emphasized that our country needs some young leaders, who personify energy, enthusiasm, morality and diligence in their work. She was selected as the speaker for the inaugural session. We are proud of her hard-work and commitment for having participated in this youth parliament, and winning accolades for the college. Congratulations !

*'Change is the only unchangeable law of nature and that the indomitable spirit of the youth needs to be harnessed to it.'*

**Teena Johny at 4th Bharatiya Chhatra Sansad at MIT, Pune**



## UNITED FOR ANOTHER BIG DAY...

*"Education is the most powerful weapon which you can use to change the world"-Nelson Mandela.*

**T**eachers occupy an eminent and enviable position in the workforce, with the values they add to their organization/school. Our college hosted its Degree Distribution Ceremony on the 21<sup>st</sup> Jan, 2016, for the students of B.Ed, M.Ed and B.PEd in the college premise. The guests for the day were Sh. A.L Tripathi –Deputy,

CEO of Mahatma School, along with our respected Principals of our college. It was a proud and unforgettable moment for all the students to earn their degrees.



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**FOUNDATION DAY  
ON 9TH DECEMBER,  
2015.**



## A STEP TOWARDS HUMANITY...

As per the tradition, like every year, this year too Mahatma Education Society's Pillai Group of Institutions celebrated Community Service Day on 23rd January, 2016, at Dr. K. M. Vasudevan Pillai Campus, New Panvel. Our student teachers, along with the staff members, spent quality time with the orphanage-Immunuel Mercy Home near Chipley, Panvel. Around 22 kids of age group 7-15 years had participated on this fun-filled day. We played games, distributed prizes to the winners, explored the talents of these kids, and in



the bargain, learnt a lot about life skills and how to remain happy unconditionally. This day has been special always as many NGO's kids and old age people mingle together and share smiles with one another.



## GOING THE 'WOMEN' WAY...!!!

International Women's Day was celebrated on 8th March, 2016 with the objective to celebrate womanhood and pay tribute to the indomitable spirit of women. B.Ed students had put up a street play at two different places in the slums near the Trifid Tower, Kamothe titled: "Har aangan ki shobha naari, isse base duniya saari". The purpose served was to spread awareness about the

importance of Education for girls, and to sensitize them to maintain health and hygiene. We received lot of blessings from all.



"I slept and dreamt that life was joy. I awoke and saw that life was service. I acted and behold, service was joy."

— Rabindranath Tagore

## FLASHING THE MESSAGE OF SAFETY FOR MANKIND



Flash mob at CBD-Belapur station in collaboration with Jyothis Care Centre, Kamothe on International Condom Day on 13th Feb, 2016.

# EXTENDING OUR HORIZONS TO LEARN...



M.Ed workshop on **Life Skills** creative thinking, empathy, problem-solving skills and interpersonal skills with B.Ed student teachers on 10/03/16.



On 11/12/15 our Alumnus Ms. Mrudula Naik conducted a session on the **types of manuscripts** namely Bramhi, Modi and Sharada. She spoke about their origin and highlighted the beauty of each script.

**Dynamic exercises by Bharti Iyer for B.Ed students**



**Marathi Diwas celebration on 29/02/16 .**



Session on **Navrasa** by Ms. Ketaki Deuskar and Ms. Radhika Rangparia on 5/03/16.



**Origami craft session** by Mr. Rajendra Kumar on 10/03/16



An **Educational trip** done for B.Ed. and M.Ed. on 5th December, 2015 to Kardi Village in Rasayani with Mr. Satish Joshi, Modern Potter.



**Meditation session** by from Sri Chandra Mission Ashram, New Panvel.

**Visit at HBCSE on Science Day**

**Indoor games**

**Saree draping session** by Dr. Geeta .R Thakur

**Counseling session** by Yvette Lee



# NATIONAL LEVEL SEMINAR

**M**ahatma Education Society's Pillai College of Education and Research, Panvel, organized one day National Level seminar on - INCLUSIVE EDUCATION: A SYSTEM RECULTURATION on the 7<sup>th</sup> April, 2016, with a



mission to share our ideas and thoughts on inclusive education, to bring about this positive shift of inclusion within our classroom. The day began with the inaugural session and lamp lighting. Dr. Pratima Pradhan— Organizing Secretary of this seminar, unveiled the theme of the seminar and offered a warm welcome to all participants for fruitful sessions in the day ahead.

This was followed by **Session -1**



*Inclusion: Can we make it a reality?* The guest - Dr. Smita Desai, enlightened the audience and emphasised how inclusion is nothing but people's mindset. Dr. Desai spoke about the core issues

on integration, and inclusion with respect to inclusive education.



She clarified the basic concepts of exclusion, segregation, integration and inclusion. This session threw light on finding the solution wherein each one of use needs to develop the right sentiment towards inclusion and being non-judgemental towards each individual.

Next was **Session 2-Issues and challenges in inclusive education: an Aerial view** by the speaker- Dr. Roda Billimoria- An Honorary Managing Trustee of Sir Shapurji Billimoria Foundation. Ma'am stressed on inclusion being a process. The concern of kids being the concern of schools. And their concern is concern about a system, a system to accommodate inclusive education.

She stressed on whole-school approach which is not intended to



be restricted within the barriers of any kind. Ma'am enthralled the audience by her words of wisdom. Post lunch was **session 3: paper presentations** chaired by Dr. Rekha Chavhan, SNDT University, Churchgate.

The presentations focussed on several aspects of inclusion. Ma'am expressed joy in her remarks on the papers presented and felt they brilliantly brought out the importance of inclusion in education.



*The seminar was a complete success as it gave deeper insight on inclusive education..*

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