



Teachers' Day Celebration 5th September

Teachers' Day was celebrated with great pomp at Indus International University. The tradition of celebrating this special day on September 5 is associated with the birth anniversary of former President of India Dr. Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan, who made a special identity for his dedication and excellence towards education. Dr. Radhakrishnan was born on 5th September 1888 in Tirumala, Tamil Nadu. To recognize his vision towards education and the contribution he made, it was decided to celebrate his birthday as Teachers' Day. Dr. Radhakrishnan believed that the purpose of his life as a teacher is to guide people towards knowledge, and that is why celebrating this day as Teachers' Day was a respect for his wish. On the occasion of Teachers' Day, Chief Guest Dr. Satish was honored at Indus International University. On this occasion, Vice Chancellor of the University Professor Dr. Sanjay Kumar Bahl highlighted the importance of teachers and their contribution. He told that a good teacher not only teaches but also inspires. The purpose of a teacher is not only to impart knowledge but also to shape the lives of students. He said that a great teacher is one who inspires students and teaches important lessons of life. Students also organized various events to make Teachers' Day special. Students honored their teachers through dance, lectures, scripts and games. Students presented speech and dance, while various games like Cold Drink Challenge, Musial Chairs and Balloon Game were organized. Dr. Jagdev Singh Rana, Registrar, Indus International University, emphasized the qualities required to be a good teacher to the students, which include good communication, listening skills, color adaptability, empathy and patience. In this way, the celebration of Teachers' Day underlined the respect and importance of teachers and everyone together made this day special.



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Webinar on AI 10th September

Indus International University's Department of Commerce and Management recently organized a highly engaging webinar titled "The Future of Artificial Intelligence: How AI Will Transform Industries in the Next Decade". The event brought together an esteemed panel of experts and delved deep into the transformational power of AI across various sectors. Prof. (Dr.) Moeed Ahmad, a renowned expert in Artificial Intelligence, was the guest speaker for the webinar. Dr Ahmad gave an enlightening presentation, highlighting the many ways in which AI is set to revolutionize industries in the coming decade. He emphasized that AI will significantly enhance operational efficiency by automating routine tasks, allowing human resources to focus on more strategic and creative activities. Dr Ahmad also highlighted the role of AI in predictive analytics, which will enable businesses to make data-driven decisions with unprecedented accuracy. He elaborated on several key trends, including the integration of AI with IoT (Internet of Things), which will drive the development of smarter and more responsive systems. Dr. Ahmad discussed how AI will advance personalized customer experiences through advanced algorithms that predict and cater to individual preferences. In addition, he also discussed ethical considerations and challenges associated with AI, such as ensuring data privacy and minimizing biases in AI systems. His insights into AI's potential to drive innovation in sectors such as healthcare, finance, and manufacturing were particularly compelling, illustrating how these advancements can lead to more efficient processes and improved decision-making. Dr. Sanjay Kumar Bahl, Vice Chancellor, Indus International University, welcomed the attendees and set the stage for the discussion. Dr. Bahl emphasized the importance of embracing technological advancements, especially AI, as an integral part of the university's mission to prepare students for future challenges. He highlighted how the rapid evolution of AI requires a proactive approach in curriculum development and industry partnerships to keep pace with these changes. Dr. Jagdev Singh Rana also presented valuable perspectives during the webinar. Dr. Rana discussed the widespread impacts of AI on global economies and job markets. He underlined the need for academic institutions to focus on AI literacy and skill development to prepare the next generation of professionals for an AI-driven world. Overall, the webinar provided an excellent opportunity for students, academics and industry professionals to gain insights into the transformational potential of AI and its implications for various sectors. The event highlighted not only the exciting possibilities that AI offers, but also the importance of addressing its challenges in a responsible and informed manner.



Painting Competition 12th September

The Painting Competition held at Indus International University mesmerized everyone with its world of creativity and colors. The event was aimed at celebrating the artistic talents of students. The event highlighted the importance of arts in student life and the benefits of participating in extra-curricular activities. The competition was enthusiastically attended by students of BCA, B.Tech Civil Engineering, B.Tech Computer Science Engineering, B.Tech Mechanical Engineering, B.H.M. The competition was attended by an esteemed jury panel who evaluated the artworks on the basis of originality, technique and emotional impact. Dr. Sanjay Kumar Bahl, a prominent personality of the University, delivered an inspirational speech in which he motivated the students to take part in creative endeavors. "Participating in extra-curricular activities like painting not only promotes artistic expression but also strengthens critical thinking, problem-solving and emotional intelligence," said Dr Sanjay Kumar Bahl. He also explained how these skills are helpful in personal and professional growth. Registrar, Indus International University, Dr Jagdev Singh Rana congratulated the winners and offered his blessings for their future. "Organising such an event to promote talent and critical thinking is extremely important. I feel proud of all the



fellows and wish them success in their future,” said Dr Rana. In the competition, the first prize was won by Kumari Ashika of B Pharmacy, whose painting excellently depicted innovation and nature. The second prize went to Rajni of BSc Mathematics, whose artwork skillfully combined mathematical precision and artistic creativity. The third place was bagged by Rinakshi of BSc Medical, whose painting vividly depicted the confluence of science and art, reflecting a deep understanding of both the fields. This painting competition not only provides a platform for students to showcase their creative talents, but also reinforces the university's commitment to a comprehensive educational experience. By encouraging participation in such events, Indus International University supports students' artistic and personal growth, demonstrating that art and creativity are an essential part of a holistic educational journey.



Paragraph Writing Competition 14th September

Indus International University recently organised a thoughtful paragraph writing competition, which focused on important issues of the present times. These issues included the role of youth in nation building, the impact of modern science on human life, the rising crime rate in cities, and discussions on both the blessings and curses of science. The coordinators of this competition ensured that this

competition became a platform for students to present their views and perspectives on these important topics. The jury members paid attention to depth and clarity while evaluating the submissions. Dr. Sanjay Kumar Bahl, who organised the event, encouraged and motivated the students to participate in this competition. He stressed that paragraph writing is an important skill that promotes the thinking and writing abilities of students, which are essential for their future career and intellectual development. This competition highlighted the importance of effective written communication, which is not only important for academic success but also essential in various professional fields. At the conclusion of the competition, Dr. Jagdev Singh Rana felicitated the winners in a prize distribution ceremony and blessed all the participants. The winners of the competition, Tanvi Rajan of B. Pharmacy Department in first place, Ishu of BBA Department in second place and Palak of Hotel Management Department in third place, displayed their excellent writing ability. The event not only honoured the writing talents of the students but also showed how paragraph writing can enhance the students' analytical ability on complex topics and effective expression of ideas, providing a strong foundation for their future academic and professional success.



First Aid Day 16th September

Indus International University celebrated World First Aid Day with a dedicated and impressive event dedicated to enhancing emergency preparedness among students. The event began with an explanation of the fundamentals of first aid by Mr. Kumar and Dr. Sharma, highlighting the importance of prompt and informed action in emergency situations. Their

presentation presented a holistic approach by combining traditional first aid methods with Ayurvedic approaches, making it clear that first aid methods are universal and Ayurvedic practices can be helpful in overall health and effective recovery. An important part of the event included practical training and demos. Mr. Kumar demonstrated the correct techniques of performing cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR), including the actions required to ensure the effectiveness of chest compressions and rescue breaths. The students practiced on mannequins, enabling them to gain confidence and proficiency in CPR techniques. Next, Dr. Sharma gave a detailed overview of the methods of treating common injuries such as cuts, burns, and fractures. He highlighted the first aid procedures, correct use of medical supplies, and necessary steps to prevent infection. Dr. Dunjay Kumar Bahl and Dr. Jagdev Singh Rana also actively participated in the event and guided the students with their valuable experience. Dr. Bahl focused on

important aspects of shock management, including explaining the signs and symptoms of shock and methods to stabilize the person until professional medical help arrives. His presentation explained the complexity of shock management and highlighted the importance of prompt intervention. Dr. Singh Rana discussed the management of severe allergic reactions, including the administration of epinephrine and the need for immediate medical evaluation. His views deepened the understanding of how to effectively handle severe allergic reactions. The event concluded with a reflective discussion, which discussed the wider impact of first aid training on individual and community health. The contributions of Mr. Kumar, Dr. Sharma, Dr. Bahl, and Dr. Singh Rana highlighted the University's commitment to public health and safety. The day was a successful event, combining traditional and modern emergency care methods to equip students with critical life-saving skills. World First Aid Day 2024 at Indus International University was an example of the University's commitment to public health and safety. The combined efforts of the event coordinators and participating faculty provided a memorable and educative experience that set a high standard for future events and highlighted the importance of first aid in daily life.

Badminton Competition

27th August

Indus International University organized the much-awaited Inter-Departmental Badminton Competition 2024, which saw participation of students from all the five schools of Indus International University. The event reflects the commitment of the University towards promoting sports culture. The competition saw students supporting their favorite teams, creating a rousing atmosphere. Vice-Chancellor, Dr. Sanjay Kumar Bhal and Registrar, Dr. Jagdev Singh Rana also attended the event, and were seen enjoying the competitive matches. Their presence reflects the University's commitment towards considering sports as an important part of students' lives. Sports hold immense importance in student life. They not only promote physical fitness but also develop qualities like teamwork, discipline and endurance—essential for success in academics and life. The competition provides an excellent platform for students to showcase their abilities and develop lasting friendships. The excitement was at its peak during the finals, where Secretary, Mr. John Neelankavil made the moment even more special by distributing prizes to the winners. In the Girls Singles category, Krithika from B Pharmacy secured the first position, while in Boys Singles, Nishant from School of Computer Science and Engineering emerged victorious. In Boys Doubles, Vishal and Abhay from School of Management secured the first position, while Anirudh and Nishant from B Pharmacy secured the second position. The final prize, the overall trophy, was awarded to School of Computer Science and Engineering, a testimony to their outstanding skills and teamwork. As the matches ended and the applause resonated, it was evident that the Inter-Departmental Badminton Competition at Indus International University not only highlighted sportsmanship but also encouraged community spirit and school spirit. The University continues to promote the importance of sports, ensuring that students are prepared to face future challenges with well-rounded personalities.



Insurance Awareness

23rd September

With an aim to promote financial literacy and awareness, Indus International University organized an interesting guest lecture by eminent experts from the insurance industry. The event was graced by the keynote speakers Mr. Siddharth Sood, Cluster Head, State Insurance and Government Alliances, and Mr. Aman Vaidya, Regional Manager, who has over 15 years of experience in the insurance sector. The inaugural address was delivered by Dr. Sanjay Kumar Bahl, Vice Chancellor Indus International University. He said, "Insurance is not just a



financial product; it is a safety net that empowers individuals and families to tackle the uncertainties of life. By understanding its value, our students can secure their future and stand strong against unforeseen challenges.” Dr. Jagdev Singh Rana, Registrar, shared his views on the importance of insurance for the future. He said, “Insurance is not just a safety tool but it can also act as an investment for the young generation. Students should be aware of the various insurance options available so that they can plan their finances in a better way.” He further added, “We need education and communication at all levels to increase financial awareness in the society.” Mr. Siddharth Sood, who has three years of experience in the BFSI industry, shared his learning’s from his stints at IDFC First Bank, HDFC Bank and PNB MetLife. He said, “In today’s fast-changing world, having adequate insurance is like a trusted companion who stands by you in times of need.” Mr. Aman Vaidya further highlighted the transformative power of insurance for students and the general public. He said, “For students, understanding insurance is not just academic; it is a vital skill for planning for the future. And for the common man, it represents peace of mind in an unpredictable environment.” The event concluded with an interactive Q&A session in which students eagerly asked questions, reflecting their desire to learn. This awareness lecture not only enriched the participants but also underlined the importance of financial literacy as responsible citizens. Indus International University is committed to promoting a holistic education, providing students with essential life skills that are useful even outside the classroom.



Speech Competition 24th September

A very exciting Speech Competition was organized at the vibrant campus of Indus International University. The competition included seven diverse topics: the impact of social media on students, tourism in Himachal Pradesh, benefits of reading, climate change, impact of teaching on today’s business, lessons learned from sports, and importance of financial literacy for adults. Each participant showcased their creativity and speech skills, making the event informative and engaging. In the competition, Ms. Bhumika, a student of BCA, won the first prize, while Palak of BHM and Kritika of B Pharmacy shared the second place. The third place was shared by Rajni of MSc Mathematics and Anu of CSE Department. Their impressive speeches not only caught the attention of the audience but also gave rise to important discussions among peers. The event was graced by the presence of Vice Chancellor Dr. Sanjay Kumar Bahl and Registrar Dr. Jagdev Singh Rana. While blessing the participants, Dr. Bahl said that the art of public speaking is important in developing confidence and clarity. “Participating in such events promotes critical thinking and hones communication skills, which are essential for success in today’s competitive world,” he said. Dr. Rana also shared these thoughts and encouraged the students to participate in extra-curricular activities. The speech competition provided an invaluable experience for the students, enhancing their public speaking abilities, increasing confidence, and developing a sense of community. Such events not only hone the communication skills of the participants, but also encourage critical thinking and creativity, which prepares them for future challenges. As the event concluded, it was evident that the spirit of expression and collaboration had left a lasting impact on the participants and the audience, setting a precedent for future competitions at Indus International University.



Pharmacy Day 25th September

Indus International University, known for its commitment to excellence in education, celebrated World Pharmacist Day with a vibrant event organized by the Department of Pharmacy. The event, led by Dr. Mandeep Singh, Head of the Department of Pharmacy, brought together students, faculty and distinguished

guests. The event began with a lamp lighting ceremony, led by Dr. Sanjay Kumar Bahl and Dr. Jagdev Singh Rana, with all faculty members of the Department of Pharmacy in attendance. This symbolic act not only symbolized the light of knowledge but also set a positive tone for the day's activities, reflecting the importance of pharmacists in healthcare. As part of the celebration, a series of competitions were held, showcasing the talent and creativity of the students. The speech competition attracted enthusiastic participants who spoke passionately on the important role of pharmacists in modern healthcare. Their speeches resonated with the audience, helping them understand the importance of pharmacists as inseparable members of the healthcare team. The first prize in this competition was awarded to Radha, second prize to Krithika, and third prize to Anshika, all B. Pharmacy students. Apart from the speeches, the event also featured a poster making competition, where students creatively showcased various topics related to pharmacy practice. The vibrant posters made powerful visual statements about the contributions of pharmacists, community health, and innovations taking place in pharmaceutical sciences. The students showcased their artistic talent and scientific knowledge, making the posters not only informative but also visually appealing. The first place in this competition was bagged by Ms. Dikshita (B. Pharmacy), second place by Deepak (D. Pharmacy), and third place by Tanu (B. Pharmacy). The collage making segment allowed students to collaborate and express their understanding of pharmacy in an innovative format. Teams came together and created collages that highlighted the diverse roles of pharmacists, the impact they make in patient care and public health awareness. The creativity displayed was a testament to the students' dedication and ability to communicate complex ideas through art. A highlight of the day was a drama performance that both made the audience laugh and teach. Students skillfully acted out scenarios that depicted the challenges and successes faced by pharmacists in daily practice. This entertaining yet educational drama served as a reminder of the important work pharmacists do, showing how vital they are in educating patients and ensuring safe medication use. The event concluded with an awards ceremony where the winners of the various competitions were recognized for their outstanding contributions. The winners were presented with certificates that celebrated their hard work, creativity, and dedication to the field of pharmacy. First place in the model making competition in this section was bagged by Mansi and Radhika, second place by Manpreet and team, and third place by Vishakha. The enthusiasm among the participants and faculty was evident, promoting harmony and celebration of the pharmacy profession. Expressing pride in the students' efforts, Dr. Mandeep Singh said, "Today's celebration is a reflection of the dedication and talent of our pharmacy students. It is important that we recognize the vital role pharmacists play in health care and the continued need for innovation and education in this field." The celebration of World Pharmacist Day at Indus International University not only recognizes the contributions of pharmacists, but also inspires students to excel in their studies and future careers. As the day ended, the message was clear: pharmacists are partners in promoting health and well-being, and events such as these are meant to remind everyone of their important contribution to society. By promoting awareness and appreciation of health and community development, Indus International University paves a path for the next generation of pharmacists who are committed to making a positive impact on health care and the community.

NSS Cleanliness Drive

26th September

In a positive effort, a cleanliness drive was organized at the university campus this Saturday to promote environmental awareness and community engagement. 53 students enthusiastically participated in the initiative organized by the National Service Scheme (NSS) and National Cadet Corps (NCC). The drive began early in the morning, when students gathered with brooms, gloves, and garbage bags, ready to make a



concrete difference. Divided into teams, the participants collected garbage scattered across the university grounds, cleaned pathways, and worked to spread awareness about the importance of cleanliness. The students worked together with enthusiasm and cooperation to beautify their campus. Mandeep Kaur said, "Cleanliness is not just a necessity; it is a way of life. Through such events, we want to inculcate a sense of responsibility in students and

inspire them to take pride in their surroundings.” Such cleanliness drives have a profound impact on student life. Participating in community service motivates students to become active contributors to society. Participants reported that they felt a new sense of purpose and recognized how big a difference they can make when united for a common goal. Vice Chancellor Dr. Sanjay Kumar Bahl, who visited the site of the cleanliness drive, said, “I feel proud of the NSS and NCC members who are dedicated to making our campus clean and green. Such programs not only enhance the beauty of our university, but also promote a culture of responsibility among students.” Registrar Dr. Jagdev Singh Rana also appreciated the hard work of the participants. He said, “Your efforts reflect your commitment to environmental conservation, and I encourage you to move forward. Every small act counts in the larger struggle against pollution.” Such cleanliness drives have a lasting impact, not only by promoting a clean environment, but also by shaping the character of the students. This experience develops teamwork, leadership skills, and a sense of accomplishment, which are essential for personal and professional growth. In addition, these campaigns help students become more environmentally conscious, which positively impacts their lifestyle and choices. Many students expressed their desire to continue such campaigns in the future, understanding that it is important to sustain their efforts. The University plans to make this cleanliness drive a regular event, which will strengthen the commitment to maintaining a clean campus and developing responsible citizens. In these times of grappling with environmental issues, the cleanliness drive organized at Indus International University is a reminder of the power of collective action. As students took pride in their surroundings, they not only contributed to a clean campus, but also inculcated the values of responsibility and respect for nature.



Educational Tour 30th September

Indus International University organized an educational trip to the famous Bhakra Nangal Dam. The trip was attended by students from various departments. The visit to the Dam provided the students with a unique opportunity to understand the connection between engineering, environmental sustainability, and management practices. As

the students visited this massive structure, they were immersed in the complex tasks of water resource management, renewable energy generation, and hydropower engineering. For the Pharmacy students, the trip was significant in understanding clean water access and its vital role in public health. “It is important for us to understand the impact of infrastructure on health outcomes,” said Priya Sharma, a second-year pharmacy student. “This trip highlights the importance of sustainable water management.” Management students enjoyed the opportunity to learn about the project management and operational strategies used in dam operations. “It was inspiring to learn about the coordination and logistics in dam operations,” shared Rajeev Mehta, a management student. “It is interesting to see how effective management can lead to sustainable practices.” Computer Science and Engineering students were particularly fascinated by the technological advancements used in monitoring water levels and ensuring safety protocols. “The incorporation of technology in infrastructure management is an emerging field,” said Aman Kapoor. “This trip inspired us to think about innovation in this field.” The interdisciplinary nature of the trip provided students with a holistic view of understanding how their respective fields contribute to the broader goals of society. As they participated in discussions conducted by Dam experts, students were encouraged to consider their roles in future innovations. The educational trip to Bhakra Nangal Dam enhanced students’ understanding of their academic subjects, while also prompting them to consider the impact their work has on society and the environment. As these future professionals prepare to join the workforce, such experiences are crucial in shaping them into responsible leaders, ready to take on the challenges of tomorrow. Indus International University continues to demonstrate its commitment to experiential learning, encouraging students to bridge the gap between theory and practice in meaningful ways.