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PLANNING FORUM

Events conducted during the year 2018-19:

- Leadership Training Camp
- Elocution Competition
- Tobacco Cessation Awareness Program
- A.D. Shroff Memorial Elocution Competition

Planning Forum organised a '**Leadership Training Camp**', arranged by M.R. Pai Foundation, jointly with Forum of Free Enterprise, Mumbai and SIWS College, Wadala on **20th and 21st August 2018.**

Fifty-one students registered for the program. Course material was provided by Forum of Free Enterprise. Dr Sanghamitra Mishra gave the welcome address and the purpose of the camp was explained by Ms Hoofreez Batliwala, General Manager, Forum of Free Enterprise.

The camp was inaugurated by Principal Dr Usha Iyer and Ms. Geeta Pai, Trustee of M.R. Pai Foundation. Dr Iyer motivated the participants with her encouraging words.

Dr. Gowri Joshi, consultant, corporate trainer, personal counsellor, researcher and management educator conducted sessions on setting and achieving goals, understanding self and others on the first day of the camp. She conducted different activities to make them understand about the concept of leadership and also the importance of team building with creative efforts.

On the second day, session on sharpening vital skills, effective communication and the power of habit was engaged by Mr. Sachin Kamath. Participants took keen interest and raised several queries related to leadership qualities and personality development for better understanding.

The camp ended with a valedictory session in which participants shared their experience. Feedback forms were collected from the participants. Dr. Usha Iyer distributed certificates of participation and Mr. Jayesh Mishra, Student Secretary, Planning Forum proposed a formal vote of thanks.

An **Elocution competition** was organized on **30th August, 2018** in which ten students participated in the competition from various streams. The participants could speak on any one of the following topics:

- A. Modern Technology for Enhancing Agricultural Productivity
- B. Challenges of Moving Towards Cashless Economy



- C. Combating Pollution and Improving Quality of Life
- D. Healthcare Mission- Issues and Challenges
- E. Skill Development for Employment Growth

Following students were the winners of the competition:

1. Rose (T.Y.BMS) and Vandana Nishad (S.Y.B. Com)
2. Bushra Khan (F.Y.B. Com) and Tabassum Shaikh (F.Y.B. Com)
3. Rukhsar Shaikh (S.Y.B. Com)

An **awareness program** for youngsters was organized on the repercussions of smoking, chewing tobacco by Ms Gita R. Pai from GSBS Medical Trust on **Friday 31st August, 2018**. Fifty students were present for the same.

Ms Pai gave an introduction about Angarakshak, a tobacco cessation clinic. Two videos were screened which was followed by a discussion. Dr Shruti Madgavkar, clinical psychologist at GSBS clinic counselled the students. She concluded her session with a quiz assessing students' awareness.

Mr. Arun Raut, a habitual smoker for 40 years shared his journey on tobacco cessation and forewarned the students on the repercussions of smoking.

The programme concluded with a vote of thanks proposed by Planning Forum Student Secretary Mr. Jayesh Mishra (SYBCom)

A. D. Shroff Memorial Elocution Competition on held on 12th December, 2018.


Eight shortlisted students participated in the competition from various streams.

Winners of the competition were as follows:

1. Vandana Nishad (S.Y.B. Com)
2. Alphiya khan (T.Y.B. Com)
3. Rukhsar shaikh (S.Y.B. Com)


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