GOBINDGARH PUBLIC COLLEGE ALOUR (KHANNA)

(Affiliated to Panjab University, Chandigarh)



ANNUAL REPORT

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Chief Guest of the function:-

Sh. Bikramjit Singh Khalsa, Hon'ble Chief Parliamentary Secretary, Technical Education & Industrial Development Minister, Govt. of Punjab, Gobindgarh Public College, Alour alongwith Gobindgarh Public School, Punjab Institute of Management and Technology and Gobindgarh College of Education is an Institution of Gobindgarh Educational and Social Welfare Trust which is providing excellent opportunities for comprehensive and quality education to the people of the steel town and its surrounding areas. Gobindgarh Public College, Alour is the result of the steely resolve shown by the Trust to take steel Town higher and higher on the educational map of the State of Punjab. Formal inauguration of the building of the College was done by Prof. K.N. Pathak, Vice- Chancellor, Panjab University, Chandigarh on September 29, 2003 on the auspicious occasion of the Silver Jubilee of the Trust. The College is located in a magnificent building having an ultra modern infrastructure and excellent academic environment. In its short span of life the college has achieved tremendous success in the academic, cultural and sports activities.

In the academic sphere, our students have shown very good results. The College has four streams- Arts, Commerce, Business Administration & Computer Applications. Performance of our students in all the streams is remarkable. 19 students of B.Com-III, 20 students of B.Com-II, 49 students of B.Com-I, 20 students of B.A-III, 42 students of B.A-II, 34 students of B.A-I, 24 students of B.C.A-III, 14 students of B.C.A-II, 15 students of B.C.A.-I, 18 students of B.B.A-III, 16 students of B.B.A-II and 11 students of B.B.A-I bagged first divisions in Panjab University Annual Examinations, 2010. Kiranpreet Kaur of B.Com-III stood first in the College in Panjab University Annual Examinations-2010 by securing 80.38% marks, Rimple Sharma of B.Com-II stood first by securing 75.04% marks, Chesta Sachdeva & Reeva Mittal of B.Com-I stood first by securing 80.54% marks, Rani Kumar of B.A-III stood first by securing 73.04%, Preeti Mishra of B.A.-II stood first by securing 75.87% marks, Pallavi Mittal of B.A-I stood first by securing 76.12%, Amandeep Singh of B.C.A-III stood first by securing 72.79%, Shaweta Goyal of B.C.A II stood first by securing 72.5%, Manpreet Kaur of B.C.A-I stood first by securing 79.37%, Ritika Sharma of B.B.A-III stood first by securing 74.65%, Shyna Kapoor of B.B.A II stood first by securing 72.82% & Satish Kumar of B.B.A-I stood first by securing 72.93%,

It is matter of great honour for our College that Teachers of this College are also actively participating in off the campus academic activities. It is immense pleasure to announce that Prof. Bhupinder shahi, Assistant professor in Punjabi, attended Inter-

National Hayaku Conference on 8th November, 2010 at Punjabi University, Patiala. He also attended 2 days national seminar on literature cultural & media (Inter-Debate) on 6-7th January 2011 at Punjabi University, Patiala. Prof. Amit Narula, Assistant Professor in English, acted as Judge in Literary Items in GNDU Zonal Youth Festival held at GNDU Campus, Amritsar. His article on 'Relevance of Mahatma Gandhi **Today**' published in a National Level book. He attended North-Zone Inter University Zonal Youth Leadership Camp organized by GNDU at Dalhousie from 23rd August to 27th August, 2010 as Administrative Officer. Prof. Rajiv Bhatia, Assistant Professor in Economics, presented Research paper entitled Corporate Governance and Foreign Financial Institutions in National Conference Sponsored by UGC at Arya College, Ludhiana, he also presented Research Paper on Human Rights Education in National Conference sponsored by UGC at DAV College, Dasuya, he also published Research Paper in the Edited book published by Arya College, Ludhiana in year 2010. He also organized 7 days NSS Camp in the College as NSS Co-ordinator from 22/12/2010 to 28/12/2010. Prof. Sushma Miglani, Assistant Professor in Hindi, supervised the students for Essay Writing Competition (Shree Ram Charit Manas). Prof. Gopal Krishan, Assistant Professor in Political Science, presented paper on the topic Human Rights-An overview at National Seminar held at DAV College, Dasuya, he also presented paper on Human Rights Violations at International conference held at PU, Chandigarh. He also registered for Ph. D. at Department of Human Rights and Duties at Panjab University, Chandigarh. Prof. Rishi Kesh, Assistant Professor in Business Administration, presented a paper at National Seminar on "Changing Dimensions on Indian Financial Sector" (ICSSR Sponsored) at GNN College, Doraha on 30th January, 2010 and got paper published on "Mutual Fund Industry in India". He also attended National Seminar on "Changing Scenario of Corporate Governance" (UGC Sponsored) at Arya College, Ludhiana on 27th August, 2010. He got paper published on "Corporate Governance in India" Presented a Research paper on "Marketing and Public Policy" at International Conference on "Strategic Marketing of Consumer and Technology Products" at University Business School, PU Regional Centre, Ludhiana on 10th December. 201, he attended GOC organized by Academic Staff College, Panjab University, Chandigarh from 19th May to 15th June 2010. Prof. Varinder Kumar, Assistant Professor in Commerce, attended GOC

organized by Academic staff College Panjab University Chandigarh, from 19th May to 15th June 2010. He also got 6 points out of 7 in Micro level teaching in GOC. Prof. Manoj Arora, Assistant Professor in Business Administration, attended Orientation Course Organized by Academic Staff College, Panjab University, Chandigarh from 19th may to 15th June 2010. He Wrote a book entitled (international marketing) for students of BBA-3rd of Punjab university. This book was published by 'Kalyani publishers'. He also performed duty as convener & instructor of fine Arts & craft unit in the college and college got four 1st positions, Two second positions & one 3rd position in fine Arts & Craft items in Panjab University Zonal Youth Festival-2010. Prof. Rajesh Kumar, Assistant Professor in Business Administration, presented a research paper titled, "Retail Lending" an attractive segment in retail banking in National Seminar at DIMT, Doraha on 2nd March, 2010. He also presented a research paper on "Role of Audit Committee in a Corporate Governance" in a UGC sponsored National Seminar on Changing Scenario of Corporate Governance at Arya College, Ludhiana on 27th August, 2010. He also attended UGC sponsored National Seminar, "Violation of Human Rights", at GNN College, Doraha on 22-23 January, 2011. Prof. Ruchika Jain, Assistant Professor in Commerce, Published a research paper on the topic "Perception of management graduates towards corporate governess" presented at national conference at Arya College Ludhiana. Prof. Baljeet Kaur, Assistant Professor in Computer Science, Completed MCA from Punjab Technical University, Jalandhar. Prof. Jasvir Kaur, Assistant Professor in Punjabi, registered as for Ph.D. on the topic "Folk & Culture" at Punjabi University, Patiala. Prof. Rishi Kesh, Prof. Jasbir Singh, Prof. Varinder Kumar, Prof. Narinder Pal, Prof. Manoj Arora, Prof. Ruchika Jain, Prof. Mandeep Singh, Prof. Baljeet Kaur, Prof. Himani Thakur & Mr. Shiv Kumar, Office Superintendent, attended the 7 days N.S.S. Camp at College Campus and adjoining areas from 22/12/2010 and 28/12/2010.

In order to improve the tally of First Divisions, system of conducting monthly class tests has been introduced and special classes for weak and brilliant students are being organized. Assessment of the students is a regular feature of the College. All these efforts are bound to bring good fruit in Annual University Examinations, 2011. Extension Lectures are organized in the College to provide wider information on specific issues.

The College team is visiting the schools of surrounding areas to aware the students regarding courses running in the College and to improve the strength of the students every year. Prof. Bhupinder Shahi, Prof. Sushma Miglani, Prof. Jasbir Singh, Prof. Rupinder Singh, Prof. Ruchika Jain, Prof. Mandeep Singh & Mr. Rohit Kaushal visited the schools.

Hindi Divas was celebrated on 14th September, 2010. On this occasion a poetry recitation competition, declamation contest and a small skit was performed by the students in the supervision of Prof. Sushma Miglani, Assistant Professor in Hindi.

Youth Day was celebrated by the College "HISTRO-POLITICAL SOCIETY" on 3rd February, 2011, Dr. Dalip, Head of Department of Bio-Technology, Govt. College, Chandigarh delivered an inspiring and thought provoking Lecture on 'Hazards to the Environment in Contemporary Times' Sh. Swaranjit Singh Bagli, Chairman, G.P.C. appreciated Dr. Dalip for giving a informative lecture.

The College campus is fully **Wi-Fi** enabled and computer labs are fully equipped with internet & networking facilities to enable the students to access to web services and all the latest softwares as per need of the curriculum.

The current academic session was started with the blessings of the Almighty and Havan was organized in the College Campus on 23rd July, 2010. This session has been a session of achievements for the College in cultural activities. Talent Hunt Competition was held on 1st September, 2010 in which a large number of students participated in various items. This function was organized to provide an opportunity to the students to express themselves through various arts and an opportunity to the teachers to explore such talent in them. The students participated in various activities such as singing, collage making, mimicry, poetical recitation. This competition helped in searching meritorious students for participation in the Youth Festival of Panjab University.

NRI sponsored Scholarships of Rs.4,58,630/- for needy and meritorious students of the college for facilitating them to continue their education. This fund is going to be funded by more NRIs during the next session. Mr. Desh Deepak Karir, NRI doner visited the College to interact the beneficiaries on the eve of Martyrdom of Sri Guru Teg Bahadur Ji on 2nd December, 2010.

A **Placement Cell** has also been constituted under the supervision of Prof. Sushma Miglani, Prof. Gopal Krishan, Prof. Rishi Kesh, Prof. Varinder Kumar, Prof. Narinder Pal Singh & Prof. Jagmohan Goyal to help the meritorious and deserving students of the College. Many students have been selected by the famous Companies like-**Sunil Khullar Infotech Co. & Pramerica Insurance Co.**

Students of the College participated in the Zonal Youth Festival of Panjab University held at S.D. College, Ludhiana from **9-10-2010** to **12-10-2010**. It gives me immense pleasure to mention here that "MAA SARASWATI" showered her blessings in abundance on our students in this Youth Festival. Fifteen items of the College bagged positions. It is an outstanding achievement for a new College. The College stood 1st in Rangoli, Knitting, Cross Stitch, Pakhi Making, Poem Recitation & Folk Song. In Rangoli, Crochet Work, Vaar Gayan (Individual), Geet & Group Song of the College stood Second positions and in Clay Modeling, Poem Writing & Groups Song (Individual) the College stood third positions.

Six items participated in Inter Zonal Youth Festival held at Guru Nanak National College, Doraha from 25th October to 26th October, 2010. **Folk Song** of the College won **second** prize in Inter Zonal Youth Festival.

Nitish Khanna of B.Com-III, Brij Bhushan Shastri of B.Com-III attended Pre-Republic Day Camp-2010 organised by N.S.S. Department, Ministry of Youth Welfare, New Delhi.

The College organized Ram Charit Manas Competition in the College Campus. More than **200** students of the College participated in this Competition.

30 students donated Blood at Blood Donation Camp at PIMT, Mandi Gobindgarh organized by Lions Club, Mandi Gobindgarh.

The Youth Club has been established under the leadership of Prof. Amit Narula to channelize the energies of Youth in proper direction to face the global challenges. The students associated with this Club attended various camps organized by the Department of Youth Welfare, Panjab University, Chandigarh.

8 students participated in the Four Inter University Zonal Youth leadership Camps organized by GNDU at Dalhousie from 23rd August to 27th August,2010 and they were accompanied by Prof. Amit Narula.

The Martyrdom Day of Shri Guru Teg Bahadur Ji was observed on 2nd December, 2010 in the College Campus. Akhand Path and Divine Langar was also organized on this occasion.

One day trips to **Kasauli, Amritsar, Wagah Border**, **Chintpurani & Jawala Ji** were organized in the month of **November**, **2010**.

The College aims at providing good Sanskars to the students, so that they are sensitized about human values and their duties towards their surroundings. N.S.S. Unit of the College is contributing a lot in linking the students to the social problems. The College organized its seven days Camp form 22nd December to 28th December, 2010. Teachers and Volunteers participated enthusiastically in all the activities of NSS. Valedictory function was held on 28th December, 2010. All the Trustees were highly impressed by the interest being taken by the Programme Officers and Volunteers in various projects. I put on record with pride that the NSS Unit of this College has got appreciation from the Panjab University, Chandigarh. I shall be failing in my duty if I do not appreciate the contributions of Sh. Swaranjit Singh Bagli, Chairman, College Managing Committee, Prof. Rajiv Bhatia, Prof. Sarbjit Kaur (Programme Officers), Non-Volunteers and Volunteers in making this Camp a great success. Existence of NSS Unit in the College is really a landmark in the History of the College.

The College students participated in various items at **Roshni-2010** held at DIMT, Doraha and won two prizes in various items. Navdeep Mohammad of B.A-I got first prize in Folk Song, Naina Sharma of BCA-I got third prize in Dance to the Tune. An Inter-Class Mehandi Competition was organized on the eve of **Karva Chauth** in the College Campus.

The students of Mass Communication also visited the Printing Press of **Dainik Bhaskar** on **2nd February**, **2011** alongwith Prof. Neetu, Assistant Professor in Journalism & Mass Communication & Prof. Rajesh Kumar, Assistant Professor in Business Administration.

It gives message to the people around that we focus not only on the academic achievements but the all round development of the students. With the blessings of

Almighty and illuminating guidance of the Trustees, I am sure that such successes are bound to come in future also.

Annual Day of the college is dedicated to Youth Day which is celebrated throughout the country to mark the birth anniversary of great young pragmatic Saint. Swami Vivekanand. I shall be failing in my duty if I do not pay my rich tribute to Swamiji. Through his spell binding lecture in 1891 at Chicago he awakened the West to the glory of Indian Philosophy and thought. He gave the message of Vasudeva Kutumbkam. He preached compassion for the poorest. His vision of Indian Youth was the one who is physically and mentally strong capable of facing all types of crualities heroically. Swamiji also laid stress on the education of women. He said, "If you do not raise the women who are the living embodiment of Divine Mother, do not think you have any other way to rise, **His message "Stand, Awake and stop not till the end is availth"** will always remain the guiding force for the Indian Youth.

Although the College is having at present classes of four streams and numerically we are small as compared to other Colleges, yet qualitatively we are not behind any big and old institutions. Our good results and excellent performance in academic, sports and cultural activities speak of its rising graph.

I on behalf of the Gobindgarh Educational & Social Welfare Trust, College Managing Committee, Staff and Students of the College express my heartiest thanks and gratitude to the Chief Guest, Sh. Sh. Bikramjit Singh Khalsa, Hon'ble Chief Parliamentary Secretary, Technical Education & Industrial Development Minister, Govt. of Punjab, for presiding over the Prize Distribution Function. Students are lucky to receive prizes from the hands of such a great personality. I am thankful to all the members of Gobindgarh Educational & Social Welfare Trust, Press Club, teaching and non-teaching staff, students and those who are witnessing this function, for their benign presence. Function of today could not have become reality without your co-operation. I hope we shall be able to march towards our goal of overall excellence with the blessings of the Almighty and the able stewardship of the Trustees.

Thanks of the Chief Guest

Hon'ble S. Bikramjit Singh Khalsa, Chief Guest of today's function, Fellow Trustees & Trustees wives, distinguished guests, Principal Dr. Neena Seth Pajni, Dr. Suresh Tandon, Vice- Chairman, PSEB, dear faculty members and students, Good evening to all of you.

I, on behalf of members of Gobindgarh Educational & Social Welfare Trust, College Managing Committee, Teaching, Non Teaching & Students of the College, heartily thank Hon'ble S. Bikramjit Singh Khalsa, who has encouraged all with his inspiring words. He has all the qualities of good administrator, good knowledge, dutiful and an embodiment of truth and honesty. He has landed grace to the Ministry of Technical Education, Industrial Development, Govt. of Punjab to perform his duties in the best manner. He is a role model for our young generation & he is also grace to the constituency of Khanna as MLA.

Sir, we are very much thankful to you for showing your courtesy and kindness on accepting our invitation. Sir, today our students are fortunate to receive prizes from the hands of great personality who has been a part of Govt. of Punjab for a very long time. We wish him bright future. May you rise to the glorious heights in the coming years. Once again, thanks for your kind visit.