

DEPARTMENT OF B.A PROGRAMME

Department of B.A programme which stands out as the largest department in college began its academic year 2016-17 on a warm note. As always anticipated, on July 19, the second and third year students eagerly hosted an orientation for the freshers. From showing them around the campus to giving valuable advice, the first years bonded with their seniors who promised to guide them in every difficult situation. As the day came to a close, freshers were put to ease and waited for their classes to commence on 21 July.

Just as the thrill seemed to subdue, it jumped to an octave at the announcement of Department Elections. After weeks of campaigning and hard work for the elections held on 11 August, finally the Winners were: Simi Thomas (President), Marilyn M. Cherobim (Vice President), Sneha George (Secretary).

29 August marked the much awaited Fresher's Party which took place in the grand Multi-Purpose hall. All were dressed to impress according to the theme "7 Deadly Sins". The finalists walked the ramp to possess the *Miss Best Dressed* title. In the Talent round which left everyone awestruck, Mahima Seth was crowned *Miss B.A Programme*. The Fresher's party was a memorable and eye opening moment for the first years.

On 2 September, we celebrated Teacher's day to express our love and gratitude towards our dear teachers. French students wooed teachers by reciting poems and belted out their hearts in admiration of the them which was followed by a cake cutting ceremony., and the event was concluded by a word of appreciation by Dr. Rekha Dayal, Dr. Mani and by the Head of the Department Preeti Ghosh along with other teachers sukham Ma'am, Dinesh sir ,which was followed by acknowledging the outstanding academic year toppers for the year 2015-16.Feba Shaji from Elective English-french and Very Joshi from Psychology-philosophy from 1st and 2nd yr respectively.

MELANGE, meaning diversity, which is the most important and promising Annual fest of the Department of B.A Programme was held on 25 October 2016. The event kicked off with an inauguration ceremony in the MPH followed by a talk "The Good Girl Show" by Mrs. Anu Singh Chudhary. Students from across Delhi University came in large numbers to witness the roar of Melange. The Game stalls were a major attraction with everyone vying to win surprise gifts and food lovers were spoilt for choice at the mouthwatering delicacies placed before them. With intercollege online events like Battle of Fandoms, Myriad Shades and offline events such as Amazing Race, Ad Mad, the fest had everything one could possibly ask for!

The Department yet again proved to be victorious in the Annual Sports day held on 9 March 2017. The B.A Programme march past squad stood second in the inter department march past competition. The department won athletic events like 100x4 relay, 400x4 relay, shot put, discus throw, javelin throw and grabbed prizes even in fun games such as train and tunnel relay.

The events would not have been successful without the constant support of our Head of the Department(HOD) Dr.Preeti Ghosh and our lovely seniors, Angelina Alaxander, Teena, Josmy John, Blessy Varghese, Jemi Johnson, Jennifer Angel, Sayana Xavier.

Our upcoming event is the farewell which will be held on the 21st of April 2017

The academic year 2016-17 did etch a lovely memory for every member of the B.A Programme family - a memory of colourful, triumphant days that will be cherished for the years to come.

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