



PILLAI EDUCATION ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

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Community initiative...

Our alumni Ms. Deepa Vinod and Ms. Divya Wadhwa participated in the Diwali Sweet packing activity organized by Bharat Vikas Parishad on 8th October 2022. The event was a small gesture to express our deep heartfelt gratitude to our brave soldiers who stay away from their families during all the major festivals guarding the Indian borders and keeping us feeling safe and secure.



Contributing to One's Alma Mater...

Our alumna, Ms. Bharati Iyer, led invigorating Power Yoga sessions tailored for student teachers, teacher educators, and non-teaching staff on March 21st, 23rd, and 24th, 2023. During these sessions, Ms. Iyer emphasized the significance of Yoga in maintaining the harmony of mind, body, and spirit. Through various breathing exercises and poses, she actively engaged the participants. The attendees lauded the sessions for their immense utility and rejuvenating impact.

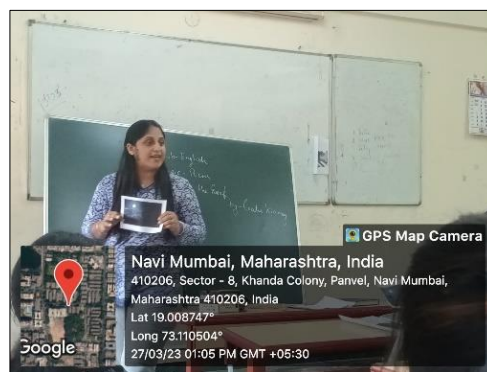
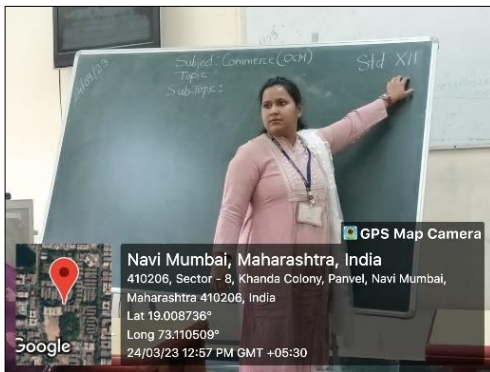


On 22nd May 2023 our talented alumna Ms. Reshmi Sudhir took a session on making Bulletin Boards for our student teachers. The student teachers actively participated in the making of a bulletin board in the

classroom and also took up the initiative to decorate other bulletin boards in the classroom and on the corridors. They made bulletin boards with varied themes relevant to their course and present context.



On 24th and 27th March 2023 demonstration lessons in pedagogy subjects were organized. Our alumni Mrs. Namrata Waghe, Mrs. Jamila Kalolwala, Ms. Juveria Thakur, Mr. Satnam Singh Randhawa, Ms. Aastha Pandey and Mrs. Shagun Katoch gave demonstration of lessons. The lessons were organized to give the new batch of student-teachers an idea how micro-skills are well integrated in the lessons that are to be given in schools.



As Resource Persons...



Our Alumni Ms. Asmita Galande (Wewhare) was invited as a judge for H Ward Science Exhibition - Topic **Toy and Technology** at Purushottam High School, Bandra on 27th August 2022. She was also invited as a Resource person for Faculty Development Program in SCCT College, Sanpada on 30th July 2022.

Fostering a Connection...

The alumni is regularly fed with information pertaining to placements through a WhatsApp group maintained by Pillai College of Education and Research, New Panvel. The alumni is also active in helping the placement cell in disseminating relevant placement information.

We meet...

Pillai Education Alumni Association organized the Alumni Meet on 1st October 2022. The student teachers of PCER warmly welcomed the alumni and presented before them South Indian, Rajasthani, Gujrati, and Bollywood dance performances. Since the Alumni meet could not be conducted during the previous two years owing to Covid situations, the college took the opportunity to felicitate its toppers from B. Ed batch 2019-21 and 2020-22. The event was hosted by our Alumni **Mrs. Iccha Mehrotra & Mrs. Dipti Nambiar.**



Awards and Recognitions

Congratulations

Mr. Rajesh Kumar's endeavors in advancing Indian Handicrafts and elevating the global profile of Indian Artisans have been consistently earning him well-deserved acclaim. With his capable leadership and proficient administration, Asha Handicrafts has experienced remarkable growth. An annual guest speaker at NIFT, Kharghar, he has also taken the lead in establishing a significant MoU between Fair Trade Forum India and M S University, Vadodara. This collaboration aims to integrate Fair Trade into academic curricula and research, with the overarching goal of generating employment prospects and fostering financial autonomy for women from rural India.



Our Alumni Ms Divya Wadhwa had started Elegant Training Academy on 29th June 2011. On 3rd April 2023, her institute received a certificate of authorization from ICIA - International confederation of Institutes accreditation, National Institute of skill training N.I.S.T and Educational Board of vocational training and research to provide skill training programs, certificate and diploma programs.



Establishing a Fresh Committee...

Since the committee has completed 5 years in office, a change in the composition of the committee was suggested during the committee meeting. With the consensus of the present committee members, Dr. Geeta Thakur was appointed to the post of the Joint Secretary of the Association.

No distance of place or lapse of time can lessen the friendship of those who are thoroughly persuaded of each other's worth.

~Robert Southey

Together we can...

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