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Desh Bhagat Radio and SBI Hosts Walkathon to Celebrate International Women's Day



In celebration of International Women's Day, Desh Bhagat Radio FM 107.8 Aap Ki Awaaz, in collaboration with State Bank of India (SBI), successfully organized a Walkathon to honor the achievements, strength, and resilience of women. The event brought together people from all walks of life to raise awareness for women's empowerment and gender equality.

Mr Kajal Kumar Bhwmik DGM SBI and Dr Surjit Kaur Patheja, Director Media and Performing Arts DBU flagged off the walkathon. The Walkathon started at 6:00 AM from SBI LHO sector 17 Chandigarh to via Matka Chowk, Hotel Taj, Police Station, Shib

Singh light points and back at LHO and saw the participation of hundreds of enthusiastic walkers, including employees from SBI, community members, and supporters of the cause. The participants walked a designated route, promoting physical well-being while celebrating the role women play in shaping the community and society at large.

"We are thrilled to be part of this empowering initiative on such an important day. Women have been a driving force in every aspect of life, and it's vital that we continue to recognize and support their efforts," said Mr Kajal Kumar CDM of SBI. "Our collaboration with Desh Bhagat Radio on this Walkathon symbolizes our commitment to empowering women and spreading awareness about their rights and contributions."

RJ Sangmitra station head Desh Bhagat Radio said that a prominent community Radio Station, has been at the forefront of various initiatives promoting inclusivity and social causes. The station's support for broadcasting empowering messages.

"We believe in creating platforms for people to voice their thoughts and support important causes," said Dr Tajinder Kaur Pro-chancellor DBU. "This Walkathon not only promotes a healthy lifestyle but also serves as a reminder of the ongoing struggle for gender equality. It's inspiring to see so many come together to mark this special day and champion the cause of women."

The event also featured a series of activities, including speeches, performances, and the distribution of resources on women's health, safety, and financial literacy, further emphasizing the importance of women's well-being in all aspects of life.

Participants were honored with medals and certificates. Participants expressed their excitement for the event, citing its significance in building solidarity and raising

women's issues aligns with its long- awareness about the importance of standing commitment to women's contributions both locally and globally.

> As the Walkathon concluded, all participants were given commemorative certificates and a token of appreciation for their efforts



in supporting women's empowerment. Desh Bhagat Radio and State Bank of India remain committed to creating and supporting initiatives that contribute to a more equal and inclusive world for all.



### **Desh Bhagat University Celebrates** National Science Day-2025 with Enthusiasm

Cell of Desh Bhagat University, in Innovation for Viksit Bharat." association with IQAC, Desh Bhagat University, and with the support of the Punjab State Council for Science and Technology, celebrated National Science Day-2025 with great enthusiasm.

Prof. (Dr.) H.K. Sidhu formally welcomed the dignitaries and attendees, emphasizing the significance of National Science Day and its theme for

The Agrim Club of the Faculty of 2025—"Empowering Indian Youth for Agriculture and Life Sciences and the IPR Global Leadership in Science and

> Dr. Zora Singh, Chancellor of Desh Bhagat University, addressed the students and emphasized that National Science Day is a day for people to reflect on the role of science in society and focus on innovations for the betterment of humanity. Dr. Tajinder Kaur, Pro-Chancellor, stressed the need to preserve



biodiversity and encouraged students to plant more trees and raise awareness about the benefits of a balanced ecosystem.

Vice President Dr. Harsh Sadawarti underscored the vision of Viksit Bharat (Developed India) by 2047, emphasizing the crucial role of young minds in science, technology, and innovation.

The event featured eminent resource persons, including Prof. (Dr.) P.K. Pati, Head, Department of Biotechnology, Guru Nanak Dev University, Amritsar, and Dr. Inderjeet Singh, Research Scholar, Department of Renewable Energy Engineering, Punjab Agricultural University, Ludhiana. Prof. (Dr.) P.K. Pati spoke about biodiversity, the role of biotechnology, and bio-economics, while

Dr. Inderjeet Singh guided students on entrepreneurial success in the field of science and technology.

To engage students in scientific learning, an Interschool Quiz Competition, Poster Presentation, PowerPoint Presentation, and Model & Project Display were organized.

The competitions were evaluated by expert judges, and winners were honored during the prize distribution ceremony.



The event concluded with a vote of thanks by Dr. Avinash Bhatia, expressing gratitude to the dignitaries, participants, and organizing teams for making the event a grand success.

The students who excelled in these competitions were honored with certificates by the school's principal,



Desh Bhagat Hospital organized a mega free ECG, and USG were provided to patients. Free health checkup camp in the hospital. The camp spectacles were also distributed to needy was inaugurated by DBU Chancellor Dr. Zora patients. Singh and Pro-Chancellor Dr. Tajinder Kaur.

The camp offered specialized consultations in medicine, ophthalmology, dermatology, and ENT. Specialist consultations were provided by a team of experts, including Dr. BL Bhardwaj, Dr. JP S Sodhi, Dr. BS Sohal, and Dr. Sumeet Pal Saini.

During the camp, free medicines were distributed to the patients, and free Hb & Blood Sugar (Glucometer) tests, eye testing,

According to Dr. Jyoti Dhami, Medical Superintendent of the hospital, more than 250 patients visited the camp and availed the facilities. She added that special facilities were made for the patients.

The camp was organized under the expert supervision of Dr. BL Bharadwaj, Pro-Vice Chancellor (Medical), Dr. Kulbushan, Director Desh Bhagat Ayurvedic College & Hospital, and Dr. Jyoti H Dhami, Medical Superintendent Desh Bhagat Hospital.





### **Desh Bhagat Dental College and Hospital got Approval to Increased MDS Intake Capacity in Prosthodontics** and Crown & Bridge

Desh Bhagat Dental College and Hospital, a constituent college of Desh Bhagat University (NAAC A+), is thrilled to announce that it has received approval from the Dental Council of India, Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Government of India, to increase its intake for the 2nd-vear Master of Dental Surgery (MDS) program in the subject of Prosthodontics and Crown & Bridge. The intake capacity has been

increased from 2 seats to 5 seats for the 2025-26 academic batch, following a successful inspection and adherence to the prescribed guidelines.

This approval positions Desh Bhagat Dental College and Hospital as the only institution in the state of Punjab to offer 5 seats in various dental disciplines, a significant achievement that highlights the institution's



dental education and healthcare.

Chancellor Dr. Zora Singh, Pro-Chancellor Dr Tajinder kaur extended their heartfelt thanks to the Almighty and expressed immense gratitude for the collective efforts that made this milestone possible. He also emphasized the university's continuous commitment to promoting health education and fostering excellence within the community.

Bhagat Dental College, and Dr. Tejveer commitment to excellence.

growing reputation in the field of Singh, Vice Principal, also shared their appreciation for the management's steadfast support throughout this journey and recognized the efforts of the entire team that contributed to this achievement.

Desh Bhagat Dental College and Hospital remains committed to advancing its standards in research, innovation, and patient care. The institution continues to focus on providing high-quality education and ensuring the well-being of its students Dr. Vikram Bali, Principal of Desh and patients, with an unwavering



# Desh Bhagat University Hosts two day International Conference on Innovations in Management, Engineering, and Science (INNOVAMES-2K25)

The Faculty of Engineering Technology and Computing, Department of Business Management & Commerce, and the Faculty of Agriculture and Life Sciences, in association with the IQAC, Desh Bhagat University, Mandi Gobindgarh, Punjab, organized a two-day International Conference on "Novel Opportunities Ventures, Advances in Management, Engineering, and

Science (INNOVAMES-2K25)" through a hybrid mode. The conference aimed to bring together researchers, practitioners, and industry leaders to discuss the latest advances and innovations in various fields.

The inaugural session on the first day was held at the Mahapragya Seminar Hall on the DBU campus. The ceremony was graced by the



presence of the Chancellor of Desh Bhagat University, Dr. Zora Singh; Pro-Chancellor, Dr. Tajinder Kaur; Advisor to Chancellor, Dr. Virinder Singh; and Registrar, Mr. Surinder Pal Kapoor. During the inaugural session, the Souvenir of INNOVAMES was released. The convenors of this international event included Prof. (Dr.) Harsh Computing. Dr. Sougata theme of Agriculture and Life

Chattopadhyay and Dr. Avinash Bhatia served as co-convenors and organizing secretaries for the event.

The chief guest for this prestigious event was Prof. (Dr.) Jai Rup Singh, Former Vice Chancellor of the Central University of Punjab, who shared insights on the importance of scientific temperament. The



Sadawarti, Vice President and Dean keynote talks were delivered by Dr. of the Faculty of Engineering Surender Singh Saini, Senior Technology and Computing; Prof. Principal Scientist at CSIO, (Dr.) Harvinder Kaur Sidhu, Dean of Chandigarh, and Dr. Uday Kumar the Faculty of Agriculture and Life Ghosh, Professor at Lincoln Sciences; Prof. (Dr.) Rajni Saluja, University, USA. On the first day, Director of Business Management three technical sessions were and Commerce; and Dr. Khushboo conducted, where national and Bansal, Deputy Director, Faculty of international delegates presented Engineering Technology and their research findings. Under the



Sciences, Prof. (Dr.) H.K. Sidhu was the Chairperson, and Dr. Avinash Bhatia served as the Co-Chairperson. In the Business Management and Commerce session, Prof. (Dr.) Rajni Saluja was the Chairperson, with Prof. (Dr.) Navdeep Kaur as the Co-Chairperson. For the Engineering Technology and Computing (Civil & Computer Science) session, Prof. (Dr.) Badhai Lonia and Prof. (Dr.) Sachit Vardan served as Chairpersons, and Dr. Pooja Sharma and Dr. Navneet Kaur were the Co-Chairpersons.

The valedictory program was held on the second day at the Mahapragya Seminar Hall. The Worthy Vice Chancellor, Prof. (Dr.) Abhijit H Joshi, appreciated the efforts of the organizing committee and emphasized that by blending the power of knowledge, innovation, and leadership, a brighter and more sustainable future can be created. On the second

day, three technical sessions were held simultaneously, with Prof. (Dr.) Reetu Malhotra serving as the Chairperson. Experts such as Prof. (Dr.) Anil Verma, Professor at Thapar University, Dr. G.S. Batra, Dean of Academic Affairs at Jagat Guru Nanak Dev Punjab State Open University, and Prof. (Dr.) Vipin Gupta, Professor and Co-Director of the Centre for Global Management at California State University, San Bernardino, shared their knowledge during the valedictory session. Prof. (Dr.) H.K. Sidhu presented the report of the two-day conference, which was followed by a vote of thanks from Prof. (Dr.) Rajni Saluja. The conference concluded with the national anthem.



Desh Bhagat Global School, Mandi Gobindgarh organised MERAKI. Around 95 kids from adjoining areas took part in the event. The assessment of the kids was done keeping in mind the rubrics decided by judges.

The kids were evaluated under different categories. The kids presented different performances like dance, song and poem recitation. Modelling on ramp was also organised in the event. Interesting games were also organised for parents of the tiny tots. Exciting titles as well as trophies were distributed to the winners of all categories.

Seerat Rihan got the title Little Ball of Energy. Many other titles like Chubby Cheeks, Sunniest Smile, Tiny Fashionista, Screen Stealer etc. were given to kids. The Chairman of School, Dr Zora Singh and General Secretary Dr.Tajinder Kaur applauded the performances of the kids. The Principal of DBGS, Mrs.Indu Sharma honoured the toddlers and gave vote of thanks to all the guests of the event. Surprise gifts and certificates of participation were given to all participants. Overall it was a great day for DBGS.





### Desh Bhagat University Grappling Team Shines at All India Inter-University Grappling Championship

Desh Bhagat University's Men's and Women's Grappling teams showcased their extraordinary talent and determination at the All India Inter-University Grappling Championship held at Mahatma Jyotiba Phule Rohilkhand University in Bareilly, Uttar Pradesh. The University Men's Team secured an impressive Second Position (Runner-Up) in the competition. The team achieved this remarkable feat by winning 4 Gold, 4 Silver, and 2 Bronze Medals. The names of the victorious athletes are as follows:

Gold Medalists: Ankur – 68kg (Gi), Gajender Huda – 74kg (Gi), Aman – 66kg (Gi), Sahil – 98kg (No-Gi), Silver Medalists: Ankur – 68kg (No-Gi), Sahil – 98kg (No-Gi), Ajeet Chaudhary – 66kg (No-Gi), Vinay – 82kg (No-Gi).

Bronze Medalists: Mohit – 98+kg (No-Gi), Vikram – 50kg (No-Gi)

The University Women's Grappling team also made a mark, winning 2 Gold, 1 Silver, and 1 Bronze Medal. The

names of the winning women athletes are as follows: Gold Medalists: Anshika Antil – 50kg (Gi), Anshika Antil – 50kg (No-Gi), Silver Medalist: Tamanna – 62kg (No-Gi),

Bronze Medalist: Ronak Huda – 46kg (Gi),

The university's leadership, including Chancellor Dr. Zora Singh, Pro-Chancellor Dr. Tajinder Kaur, President Dr. Sandeep Singh, Vice Chancellor Dr. Abhijit H Joshi, Advisor to Chancellor Dr. Varinder Singh, and Vice President Dr. Harsh Sadawarti, extended their heartfelt congratulations to the athletes for their exceptional achievements.

This outstanding achievements of the athletes underscores Desh Bhagat University's commitment to promoting sports excellence and nurturing talent among its students. The university continues to provide top-tier sports infrastructure and training facilities, fostering an environment where athletes can achieve new heights.



### Desh Bhagat University Organizes Expert Talk on Bhartiya Vigyanik

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The session was graced by eminent speakers, including Prof. Dr. S. K. Mehta, Professor of Chemistry at Panjab University, Chandigarh, Dr. Som Dev Bhardwaj, Organizing Secretary, North India of Vijnana Bharati and Dr. Adarsh Pal Vij, Chairman of the Punjab Pollution Control Board.

The event was inaugurated by Dr. Zora Singh, Chancellor, and Dr. Tajinder Kaur, Pro-Chancellor of Desh Bhagat University. In their address, they emphasized the importance of integrating traditional Indian scientific knowledge with

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# Desh Bhagat University Organizes Online Faculty Development Programme on Technological Tools

An Online Faculty Development Programme (FDP) was successfully organized by AIU-DBU-AADC, with 78 participants from Desh Bhagat University and other institutions. The programme focused on various aspects of technological tools in administration and education.

Prof. (Dr.) H.K. Sidhu, AIU-DBU-AADC Coordinator, delivered the opening remarks, emphasizing the significance of technology in academic administration. Honorable Chancellor Dr. Zora Singh highlighted the role of FDPs in faculty growth and institutional development. Vice Chancellor Prof. (Dr.) Abhijit H. Joshi stressed the necessity of integrating technology-driven solutions in university administration to enhance efficiency and transparency.

Throughout the five-day event, distinguished speakers addressed key technological advancements. Dr. Ranjana Parhiar, AIU Nodal Officer, underscored the impact of digital transformation in

administration. Dr. Prasad Burange from Punjab Agricultural University emphasized smart tools for operational efficiency. Mr. Abhinav Mishra, ERP Implementation Manager, conducted hands-on training on digital resource utilization. Dr. Dnyaneshwar Arjun Madane elaborated on the benefits of modern administrative tools, while Dr. Manoja Abhijit Joshi explored technology's role in Ayurveda and the Indian Knowledge System (IKS).

On the final day, Dr. Pramod Kumar Mandal from Chandigarh University highlighted Education 4.0 and the importance of Al, VR, AR, IoT, and Big Data in shaping modern education. The programme concluded with a valedictory session where the Vice Chancellor commended the organizers for a successful FDP.

The event ended on a high note with blessings from the Honorable Chancellor and Pro-Chancellor of Desh Bhagat University, reinforcing the institution's commitment to technological advancement in education.



# Desh Bhagat Dental College & Hospital organized a expert talk

To mark the Occasion of National Dentist Day, Desh Bhagat Dental College & Hospital organized a expert talk. The Lecture was delivered by Dr. SP Singh Professor and Chairman, unit of Orthodontics Oral Health Sciences Centre, PGIMER, Chandigarh. In his lecture, he explained various advancements in dentistry also share the knowledge related to Orthodontics. The another lecture was delivered by Dr. Simranjit Singh, MDS CRAC Pathology (Gold Medalist) Ex Faculty Dr. HSJIS, PU, Chandigarh. In his talk he guided the BDS students regarding the future plans after their graduation in India and other countries also.

During the expert talk Chancellor Dr Zora Singh and Dr.Tajinder Kaur Pro-Chancellor interacted the audience by their wise words. Principal Dr. Vikram Bali and Vice-Principal Dr. Tejvir Singh formally welcomed guest speakers with gratitude.

A vote of thanks was given by Dr. Gurpreet Kaur, Proferssor, Dept. of Orthodontics and dentofacial orthopeadics and concluded the function with National Anthem.

Meanwhile Department of Public Health Dentistry Organized Screening and treatment camp to mark the National Dentist Day at Gurudwara Rohisar Sahib, Malowal. On that day free medicines and toothpastes were distributed among 40 patients. Staff and students encouraged the patients to assure the oral hygiene as their responsibility. The health education regarding the dietary and oral hygiene practices was provided.





# Desh Bhagat University Hosts International Seminar on Gurmat Sangeet

Desh Bhagat University, a prestigious institution dedicated to promoting academic excellence and cultural heritage, proudly organized an International Seminar on Gurmat Sangeet by Faculty of Social Sciences and Languages, bringing together experts, scholars, and enthusiasts from around the world to delve into the rich tradition of Sikh music. The event, which took place at the university's stateof-the-art campus, aimed to promote the understanding and preservation of Gurmat Sangeet, the devotional music of Sikhism. The seminar was attended by renowned Gurmat Sangeet scholars, musicologists, and artists, who shared their knowledge and insights on various aspects of this

sacred music tradition. The event featured insightful discussions, lectures, and performances that highlighted the historical and spiritual significance of Gurmat Sangeet in the Sikh faith.

The inaugural session was held at the Mahapragya Seminar Hall on the DBU campus. The ceremony was graced by the presence of the Chancellor of Desh Bhagat University, Dr. Zora Singh; Pro-Chancellor, Dr. Tajinder Kaur and Advisor to Chancellor, Dr. Virinder Singh. The convenors of this international event included Dr. Harsh Sadawarti, Vice President; Dr. Kanwaljit Singh, Incharge Faculty of Music and Gurmat Sangeet Department.



On this ocassion Desh Bhagat University's Chancellor Dr. Zora Singh, welcomed the participants and expressed the university's commitment to preserving and promoting Sikh cultural heritage through such initiatives. "Our aim is to create a platform for global dialogue on the significance of Gurmat Sangeet in the modern world. By organizing this international seminar, we hope to inspire a renewed interest in this revered art form," said Dr. Zora Singh.

The chief guest for this prestigious event was Padamshree Surinder Singh Singhbandhu, who shared insights on the importance of gurmat sangeet. Keynote speakers included eminent personalities from both India and abroad, who explored the evolution of Gurmat Sangeet, its relationship with Gurbani (the sacred hymns of Guru Granth Sahib), and its role in Sikh religious ceremonies. The seminar also emphasized the importance of preserving and promoting this art form

a mong the younger generation, encouraging them to take an active interest in Gurmat Sangeet's rich legacy. Dr Jasbir Kaur, former dean punjabi university and Dr. Harvinder Singh Chandigarh, Dr Jaswant Singh, Dr Swaranleen Kaurfrom Sri Guru Granth Sahib World

University, Dr Gian Singh Canada, Dr AP Singh Canada, Dr Lakhwinder Singh Bedi shared their views on Ragas in gurmat sangeet. The event also served as an excellent networking opportunity for



scholars, artists, and students to engage in meaningful exchanges about the future of Gurmat Sangeet and its relevance in contemporary society. Valedictory session. The event was meticulously conducted by Dr. Jyoti Sharma and Dr. Dharminder Singh presented the report of the seminar, which was followed by a vote of thanks.



### DBU organised Workshop on Management & Commercialization of IPR

The Placebo Club, Faculty of Pharmacy, University School of Law, IPR Cell Desh Bhagat University in collaboration with IIC and Punjab State Council for Science & Technology, organized a program titled Workshop on Management & Commercialization of IPR. The event witnessed active participation from students of the Faculty of Pharmacy and University School of Law.

The workshop served as a valuable platform to educate participants on protecting intellectual property and effectively managing intellectual assets. Ms. Divya Khurana, Scientist, Punjab State Council for Sciences and Technology and Dr. SourrabhTiwari, founding Member Venture Bolt, Mentor of Change at AIM, Niti Aayog delivered the expertise on the topics like patent filing, licensing, strategic commercialization, and navigating legal frameworks were covered, emphasizing the role of IPR in innovation and economic growth.

Dr. Zora Singh, Chancellor of Desh Bhagat University,



inaugurated the event. Dr. Puja Gulati, Principal, School of Pharmacy, delivered the welcome Address.

Pro Chancellor Dr. Tejinder Kaur congratulated the staff, students, of faculty of Pharmacy School of Law, IPR Cell DBU for the successful event. Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Abhijit Joshi commended the efforts of the Faculty of Pharmacy. The event was a resounding success, fostering innovation and collaboration among participants.



# Desh Bhagat University Organises a seminar on "Yudh Nashiyan Virudh"

Desh Bhagat University, Mandi Gobindgarh, took a significant step towards combating drug abuse by organizing an awareness seminar under the campaign of Punjab Government "Yudh Nashiyan Virudh". The workshop which is organized by Red Ribbon Club under Department of student welfare with the collaboration of Punjab Government, School of Nursing, Desh Bhagat University aimed at educating and sensitizing the youth about the harmful effects of drug

addiction and promoting a drug-free society. On this occasion anti drug rally was oraganised by Nursing department to aware the youth about Drug Addiction.

The event witnessed the presence of Mr. Gurinder Singh Garry Birring, MLA, Amloh, Sh Chetan Bangar, Sub Division Magistrarte (SDM) Amloh, Sh Gurdeep Singh Deputy Superintendent of Police (DSP), Dr Saleena Medical Officer Amloh and other esteemed



dignitaries, social activists and other university officials who addressed the students on the rising menace of drug abuse. Experts shared valuable insights on the psychological, social and legal aspects of substance abuse, emphasizing the importance of early intervention and rehabilitation.

Desh Bhagat University Chancellor Dr. Zora Singh highlighted their commitment to fostering a healthy and responsible youth by initiating awareness drives, counseling sessions and community outreach programs. Students actively participated in interactive sessions, sharing their thoughts and learning about the devastating impact of drugs on individuals and society. Pro-Chancellor Dr. Tajinder Kaur, President Dr. Sandeep Singh, Advisor to Chancellor

Dr. Virinder Singh, Vice President Dr. Harsh Sadawarti, Dr Arshdeep Singh and Dr Prabhjot Singh thanked all the guests and organizing committee to arrange such awareness programs for youth for better future. Aks Rangmanch Samrala group leading by Rajwinder Singh played nukkad

natak.

Speaking on the occasion, Mr. Gurinder Singh Garry Birring, MLA, Amloh emphasized, "Drug addiction is a serious challenge, and it is our collective responsibility to fight against it. Awareness, education, and strong willpower can help young individuals stay away from this menace." Seeking the cooperation of the people, he said that the Punjab government is committed to eradicating drugs from the state.





### Desh Bhagat University Hosts Successful Annual Athletic Meet 2025

Desh Bhagat University's Directorate of Sports successfully hosted its two days Annual Athletic Meet. The two-day event was a celebration of sportsmanship and athletic excellence, with enthusiastic participation from students, staff, and faculty members from various disciplines. The meet was a highlight in the university's academic calendar, aiming to promote physical fitness, team spirit, and healthy competition among students.

The Annual Athletic Meet not only underscores the university's commitment

to the academic and physical development of its students but also serves as a platform for them to excel beyond the classroom.

The event featured a wide variety of athletic activities, including track and field events, relays, sprints, long jump, high jump, shot put, and other thrilling competitions. Students showcased impressive talent and sportsmanship in both individual and team events.

Dr. Zora Singh, Chancellor of Desh Bhagat University, graced the occasion as the



chief guest. In his address, he praised the enthusiasm of the students and highlighted the importance of promoting a fitness culture on campus.

Dr. Tejinder Kaur, Pro-Chancellor of Desh Bhagat University, delivered an inspiring speech that focused on the importance of physical fitness in the holistic development of students.

Dr. Harsh Sadawarty,Vice President of the university, addressed the audience and stated that the Annual Athletic Meet had successfully brought together the entire university community.

The event concluded with a special awards ceremony, where Dr. Varinder Singh, Advisor to the Chancellor, honored the winners with medals, trophies, and certificates. Dr. Singh commended the hard work and dedication of the winners and praised

the efforts of all students involved.

Results of the event are as follow- Best Athlete (Men): Arjun from the Faculty of Engineering & Computing

Best Athlete (Women): Shivani from the Faculty of Social Sciences and Languages

Overall Trophy for Annual Athletic Meet: Faculty of Social Sciences and Languages

Overall Trophy for Sports 2024-25: Faculty of Social Sciences and Languages



Trophy for Best March Past: Faculty of Engineering & Computing.

Dr. Pravin Kumar, Sports officer said that the Annual Athletic Meet 2025 at Desh Bhagat University was a resounding success, fostering a spirit of sportsmanship and creating lasting memories for all involved.



#### Desh Bhagat University Organizes Program to Mark Shaheed Diwas of Shaheed Bhagat Singh, Rajguru, and Sukhdev

Desh Bhagat University paid tribute to the legendary freedom fighters Bhagat Singh, Rajguru, and Sukhdev on the occasion of Shaheed Diwas by organizing a special program on its campus. The event aimed to honor the supreme sacrifices of the martyrs who played a pivotal role in India's independence struggle.

The program commenced with a floral tribute to the portraits of the three revolutionaries by Dr. Zora Singh, Chancellor of Desh Bhagat University. Dr. Varinder Singh, Advisor to the Chancellor, University dignitaries, faculty members, and students gathered to remember the bravery and dedication of the young martyrs.

Addressing the audience, Dr. Zora Singh,

Chancellor of Desh Bhagat University, emphasized the significance of Shaheed Diwas and encouraged students to draw inspiration from the fearless spirit of Bhagat Singh, Rajguru, and Sukhdev. He stated, "The sacrifices of our great freedom fighters should never be forgotten. Their ideologies continue to guide us in building a strong and self-reliant nation."

The event concluded with a pledge by students and faculty to uphold the values of patriotism, justice, and selfless service to the nation. Desh Bhagat University reaffirmed its commitment to preserving the legacy of India's brave revolutionaries and fostering a sense of national pride among the youth.



### **DBU's Vice President Honoured by ISRO-IIRS**

Dr. Harsh Sadawarti, Vice President of Desh Bhagat University, has been honored as the Best START Coordinator of the Country by ISRO-IIRS at a national ceremony in Dehradun. He received the prestigious Annual Award 2025 for his outstanding contribution to the Space Science and Technology Awareness Training (START) program. The award was presented by Padma Shri Dr. A.S. Kiran Kumar, former Chairman of ISRO. Dr. Zora Singh, Chancellor of Desh Bhagat University, Mandi Gobindgarh (Punjab) congratulated Dr. Sadawarti, calling it a proud moment for the entire university.



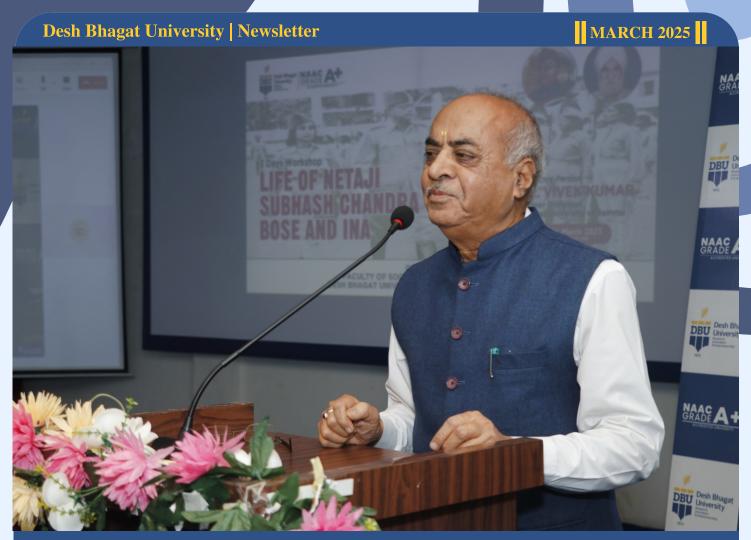


# Graduation Day Ceremony Held at Desh Bhagat Global School

Desh Bhagat Global School celebrated its graduation ceremony at its campus. The students of Class UKG achieved another milestone as they graduated from the portals of Kindergarten and stepped forward towards formal schooling. Graduation Day was celebrated at Desh Bhagat Global School with great joy and enthusiasm. The program started with ceremonial lamp lighting and welcome address by the school Principal, Ms. Indu Sharma.

The little graduates exhibited their talent and

enthralled the audience with their superb performances. They showcased their talent, growth and loving memories of the years gone by. The students were awarded graduation Certificates to mark their achievements. The toddlers looked superb in their graduate attires. The School chairman Dr. Zora Singh and general secretary Dr. Tajinder Kaur congratulated all the students and their parents. The School Principal Ms. Indu Sharma, applauded the students and blessed them with a bright future.



### **Desh Bhagat University Honors Freedom** Fighters in Enlightening Workshop

(INA)". The workshop was dedicated to INA on the freedom movement. honoring the legacy of Sardar Lal Singh the The event opened with a warm welcome father of Chancellor Dr. Zora Singh and other from Dr. Dharminder Singh, the coordinator, independence.

The workshop featured a series of Singh paid homage to Netaji's indomitable

The Department of History at Desh Bhagat former professor from Central University University, in collaboration with the Jammu, who served as the resource person SaptSindhu Study Centre, hosted a three- for the event. His sessions delved into Netaji day workshop titled "Netaji Subhash Subhash Chandra Bose's visionary Chandra Bose and the Indian National Army leadership and the strategic impact of the

unsung heroes whose valiant efforts played who underscored the need to revisit and a crucial role in India's struggle for revere the INA's role in India's liberation. In his inaugural address, Chancellor Dr. Zora enlightening lectures by Prof. Vivek Kumar, a spirit and highlighted the invaluable contributions of freedom fighters like S. Lal



Singh. Pro Chancellor Dr. Tajinder Kaur and Advisor Dr. Virinder Singh further emphasized the importance of acknowledging both prominent and lesser-known heroes, urging students to draw inspiration from their patriotism and resilience.

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### Desh Bhagat University Marks World Tuberculosis (TB) Day with Community-Centric Initiatives

proudly marked World Tuberculosis (TB) Day with a landmark event dedicated to raising awareness about the impact of Tuberculosis within the Black community. Spearheaded by Ms. Bhupinder Saini and Ms. Meenu Bala, the event was designed to educate on TB prevention, testing, and treatment, while populations.

including Prof. (Dr.) Lovesampuranjot Kaur, Principal of the School of Nursing, and Dr. Prabhjot Singh, Head of the Department of Community Health Nursing.

delivering a compelling health talk at Civil regarding their health and well-being.

The School of Nursing Desh Bhagat University Hospital, Khanna. Their engagement was instrumental in spreading vital information about Tuberculosis to school students, promoting preventive measures, and encouraging timely testing and treatment.

Dr. Zora Singh Ji, Hon'ble Chancellor of Desh Bhagat University, lauded the School of addressing health disparities in marginalized Nursing team's efforts, praising their dedication and enthusiasm in organizing such a significant event. He emphasized the critical The event was graced by distinguished figures role of collective action in raising awareness and combating TB, reaffirming the importance of community involvement in addressing health challenges.

Through initiatives like this, the School of A standout moment of the day was the active Nursing continues to lead the charge in participation of B.Sc Nursing 1st Semester advocating for health equity, empowering students, who played a pivotal role in communities to make informed decisions



### Desh Bhagat University Takes Center Stage at Mega Job Fair, Empowering Future Leaders

Desh Bhagat University impressive 1,477 students placement cell recently organized Mega Job Fair in Ludhiana was a resounding success, drawing enthusiastic participation from students and recruiters alike. The event, designed to bridge the gap between academia and industry, attracted a total of 907 students. with 792 attending in person, 117 joining virtually, and an

registering online.

Representing a wide array of industries, 48 companies participated in the fair, presenting diverse job opportunities across various sectors. The highlight of the event was the competitive salary package on offer, with the highest being an attractive Rs.6 LPA.



The job fair was graced by distinguished guests who added to the prestige of the event. The Chief Guests were Dr. Rupinder Kaur (Director, Employment) and Mr. Deepak Bhalla (Chief Executive Officer, Employment) while Special Guests included Ms. Jaswinder Kaur (Employment Head), Mr. Ghanshyam (Placement Officer), Ms. Divya Khurana and Ms. Pooja Kathuria (Placement Heads, Desh Bhagat University).

In a memorable moment Dr. Zora Singh Chancellor and Dr Tajinder Kaur Pro-Chancellor of Desh Bhagat University congratulated the selected students, further motivating them on their career journeys. He congratulated the placement cell and appreciated the efforts made by them.

The event not only provided a platform for students to secure promising career



opportunities but also facilitated meaningful interactions between aspiring candidates and leading industry professionals. The Mega Job Fair has set a benchmark for future events, paving the way for more such initiatives that contribute significantly to the career development of young professionals.



### **Desh Bhagat University Hosts Lecture on Drug Addiction and AIDS Awareness**

on the critical issues of drug addiction and AIDS awareness. The event commenced with a ceremonial lamp lighting by Chancellor Dr. Zora Singh, Pro-Chancellor Dr. Tejinder Kaur and Advisor to the Chancellor Dr. Varinder Singh.

Mr. Satish Kumar, NSS Coordinator, opened the session

Desh Bhagat University recently by highlighting the increasing held an extension lecture focused challenges posed by drug addiction and its connection to AIDS. Citing WHO statistics, he mentioned that in 2023, 42.3 million people succumbed to AIDS, and 39.3 million continue to live with HIV. He stressed that the rising drug abuse among youth in Punjab significantly contributes to the spread of the virus, which is primarily transmitted through



unprotected sexual contact and the sharing of needles.

The lecture featured comprehensive presentations by several experts. Dr. Eric Kwasi Ellusion delivered insights on the dangers of drug addiction, explaining how substance use disorders impair brain function and behavior, often leading individuals to depend on higher doses over time. Dr. Satyam, Associate Professor of Ayurveda, further discussed how drug addiction is a key factor in the transmission of HIV, emphasizing the importance of early detection, treatment with antiretroviral therapy (ART), and debunking common myths about casual contact with HIV-positive individuals.

The event, attended by NSS programme officers Mr. Gurjit Singh (Social Science) and other faculty



members.

The session underscored the need for increased awareness, early testing, and preventive measures to curb both drug addiction and HIV/AIDS, urging the community and students to adopt proactive health practices.

