



*Sadhubella Education Society's
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WOMEN DEVELOPMENT CELL

Annual Report-2018-19

ABOUT WOMEN DEVELOPMENT CELL:

Women Development Cell is a vibrant and incessantly active collaboration of students, faculty, and staff endeavouring to create a more inclusive, tolerant and gender sensitized community within the campus as well as in society. Gender equality and empowerment of women have for long, remained an integral part of development policies and programmes especially for developing nations like India.

A Women Development Cell in any institution symbolizes a safety hub for the students. It is also the sign of progression and open thinking. To a girls' college student, a WDC, unknowingly, becomes her strength and offers her different perspectives on gender issues.

It empowers her to do what she wants. Hence, implementation of WDCs in every college is a must step to be taken.

VISION:

Maintaining and strengthening the status of Women.

MISSION:

To create awareness of feminine potential.

OBJECTIVES OF WDC:

- To create social awareness about the problems of women and in particular regarding gender discrimination.
- To develop the self-confidence of Women.
- To guide about Women Welfare Laws.
- To highlight the importance of health and hygiene.
- To direct Women's role in the society. To develop multidisciplinary approach for the overall personality development.
- To organize seminars, workshops relating to women development and to encourage them to participate actively in the same.

- To prevent sexual harassment and to promote general well-being of female students, teaching and non-teaching women staff of the college.

Committee:-

Sr.No	Name of Member	Designation
1	Ms. Hitika Makhijani	Chairperson
2	Ms. Deepa Makhija	Member
3	Ms.Sharmila Karve	Member

Activities under WDC 2018-19

Sr.No.	Date	Particulars of Event	Details of Resources person
1.	23-08-2018	Ek Rakhi Sarhad ke Naam	Ms.Rakhi Barod (Education First NGO)
2.	27-08-2018	Session – Awareness on Thalassemia	Team of Thalassemia Foundation
3.	28-08-2018	Check up- Thalassemia Test	Dr.Priya Wadhwa Rijhwani (M.D of Wadhwa diagnostics),Ms.Manisha Jaisinghani, Ms.Seeta Lalwani, from Thalassemia Foundation, Ms.Varsha Sidhwa a social volunteer from Thalassemia Foundation
4.	03-01-2019	Celebration of Savitribai Phule Jayanti	-

5.	22-01-2019	“Swamini”- A fight for self respect of women	Advocate Rahul Chaturvedi
6.	12-03-2019	International Women’s Day	Ms.Geeta Gangwani and Ms.Sonam Pinjani

“Ek Rakhi Sarhad ke Naam”

“Ek Rakhi Sarhad ke Naam” was an initiative taken by our college under Women Development Cell on 23rd August, 2018. In which students were supposed to bring one ‘Rakhi’ for the National heroes of our country (Indian Army) and all those ‘Rakhis’ were collected from all the students and was handed over to Ms.Rakhi Barod, who is from Education First NGO. These ‘Rakhis’ were further sent to our Indian Army through Education First NGO to appreciate all the efforts and Sacrifices taken by them to protect our Nation. It was also to honour them on the Occasion of “Raksha Bandhan” as they are our brothers who protect us from all National disasters. Around 90 students contributed for the same.



Collection of “Rakhis” from our students by Ms.Hitika Makhijani on 23rd August, 2018

Session on “Awareness on Thalassemia”

A Session on ‘Awareness on Thalassemia’ was conducted on 27th August, 2018 by team of Thalassemia Foundation. In this session all the students of our college participated actively. As the main objective to conduct this session was to aware all the students about Thalassemia, causes of Thalassemia, minor and major Thalassemia etc. They explained how a precautionary step to be taken if a person

is detected with Thalassemia. Further doubt clearing session was taken to clear the doubts of the students & staff those who participated for the same.

Check up- Thalassemia Test

On 28th August, 2018 Thalassemia test was taken up for the students as well as for teaching and non-teaching staff of our college by Dr.PriyaWadhwaRijhwani who is the M.D of Wadhwa diagnostics, Ms.ManishaJaisinghani, Ms.SeetaLalwani, from Thalassemia Foundation, Ms.VarshaSidhwa a social volunteer from Thalassemia Foundation. After this test, within a week reports were sent in college & declared the same to the students.



Check-up of Thalassemia test on 28th August, 2018

Savitribai Phule Jayanti was celebrated on 3rd January, 2019, which was conducted by Women Development Cell. The Jayanti celebration started by lighting of the lamp, then the speech was given by Ms.Anagha Kotekar and a student Komal Saini. In this speech they explained:

- a) Savitribai Jyotirao Phule (3rd January 1831 – 10th March 1897) was an Indian social reformer, educationalist and poet from Maharashtra.
- b) She is regarded as the first female teacher of India.
- c) Along with her husband, Jyotirao Phule, she played an important role in improving women's rights in India during British rule.
- d) Savitribai Phule along with her husband founded the first girl's school in Pune which was run by Indians at Bhide Wada in 1848.
- e) The couple also opened a care centre called 'Balhatya Pratibandhak Griha' for pregnant & rape victims to help deliver their children.
- f) Savitribai Phule wrote many poems against discrimination and encouraged people to get educated.

Later on our Principal Dr.Vasant P. Mali concluded the whole program by honouring the great contribution of the Savitribai

Phule for the enhancement of the women in the society and the program ended by singing National Anthem.

“Swamini”- A fight for self respect of Women

Women Development Cell of our college organizes a session on “Swamini”- A fight for self respect of women. The session was organized on 22nd January, 2019. The session was started by introductory speech given by Ms. Deepa Makhija which was followed by felicitation of the guest by our Principal Dr. Vasant P. Mali. 120 students actively participated in this session.

The Session was then handed over to honourable guest Advocate Rahul Chaturvedi. The session was basically on domestic violence on women. He continued the session by showing videos of various stories of victimized people and explained the laws against the molestation and other crimes which women faces. He shared knowledge on safety of women i.e. How can a women protect herself in situation of need. He very well explained the title “Swamini”. “Swamini – A lady head of her family”. He guided our students how to take steps in the near future to protect oneself & other women against any kind of civil or criminal crime.

The session ended with filling of feedback forms regarding the session. The session concluded by vote of thanks & by singing National Anthem.

International Women's Day

J. W. SADHUBELLA Girls College celebrated International Women's Day under Women Development Cell on 11th and 12th March, 2019.

On first day i.e. 11th March, 2019 we had Women's Day celebration program in which we invited two special Chief Guests i.e Ms.Geeta Gangwani and Ms.Sonam Pinjani who are also the ex-students of our college. The program started with a Saraswati Vandana later followed by felicitation of our two Chief Guest. There were dance performances, singing, poems, speeches by our Chief Guest and also by our Principal Sir. Our students had prepared different banners on Women Empowerment and those banners were displayed around the college.

On second day i.e. 12th August, 2019 on the theme 'Women Empowerment' our students had set up stalls in which different kinds of snacks, wall hangings, game spots, selfie spots, mehendi stall, nail painting stalls etc. all together 15 stalls were set up. Students had pre-prepared everything and decorated the stall to attract the customers, they also offered discounts on few products. Students from school side also came up to try out different snacks and games which were set up. The main motive to do this was to enhance the skills of our students and also to give them the essence of conducting a business on a minor framework. All the students

enjoyed the whole concept of 'Women Empowerment' making them realized the importance of a role of a woman in the society.



Students performing on International Women's Day celebration on 11th March, 2019



Women's Day Celebration on 12th March, 2019