Gandhi Study Circle

(2018-19) Report

Shyam Lal College is very sensitive towards societal changes and thus, under the leadership of Prof. Rabi Narayan Kar, Principal SLC, the College has been actively using GSC as an instrument to promote Gandhi's ideas and technique in Shyam Lal College Community since 2016 which was earlier called as Gandhi Study. The GSC is working in its effort to maximize the teaching learning outcome, that offers unique platform and opportunity to the students to have a wholesome learning experience. The important events organized and initiatives taken by this Centre has evidently opened the minds of the students to newer ways of thinking. GSC has taken up cross-cutting issues related to professional challenges and social anomalies etc.

Faculty Members of GSC since 2018: Dr. Sitaram Kumbhar, (Convenor, GSC), Member: Dr. Neena Shireesh, Dr. Hemant Kukreti, Dr. Supriti Mishra, Dr. Monika Gupta, Dr. Anil Kumar Thakur, and Dr. Shyam Sundar Prasad,

Gandhi Study Circle of SLC aims to revisit, review and debate Gandhi and his teachings with the young generation. It also tries to inculcate Gandhian values and ideals such as simplicity and selflessness among the students. It provides an active platform to the students to express their diverse opinions on different topics and ideas, going beyond mere promotion of Gandhian values. The Gandhi Study Circle works on the principle of reviving Gandhian teachings on the integrated view of life that unites the whole of humanity beyond the forces of religion and communalism. It organizes lectures, seminars, debates, quizzes and other relevant events based on Gandhian thought and activities.

A Two-Day National Symposium on "'Revisiting Gandhi Through Modernity: Towards a Sustainable Future' on 27th-28th September,2018 was organized in collaboration with Department of Political Science and IQAC. A galaxy of leading Gandhian scholars participated and engaged in vibrant academic exchange of ideas on the topic. Some of the eminent personalities were Prof. Bidyut Chakraborty, Vice-Chancellor, Vishwa Bharati University, Bolpur, West Bengal, Professor Ramesh C Bharadwaj (Director Gandhi Bhawan, University of Delhi), Sh. Siddharth Mishra. (President, CRDJ, &Adjunct Professor-VIPS, Delhi), Rupal Prabhakar (Regional Coordinator, Gandhi Peace Foundation), Dr. Anil Dutt Mishra (Sulabh International), Dr. Bhawani Dikshit (Managing Editor, World Focus). The seminar was organized under the leadership of Prof. Rabi Narayan Kae, Principal, SLC Dr. Sitaram Kumbhar, Convernor and the Senior Faculty member Dr. Neena Shireesh, Department of Political Science, SLC.











