

The Annual Quality Assurance Report (AQAR) of the IQAC

Part –A

The following were the members of IQAC for the year 2009 -2010

Prof. Fr. Dr. Solomon Rodrigues	: Chairperson
Alexander D'mello	: Management representative
Mr. Richard Vaz	: Registrar
Prof. Jose George	: Co-coordinator
Prof. Saritha Kurian	: Teaching representative
Prof. Rooma Moulik	-Do-
Mr. Dominic Carvalho	-Do-
Ms. Delcy	: Non-teaching representative
Mrs. Anjelina Nunes	: Local member
Mr. Philip Fernandes	: Local Member
Prof. Satishchandran	: Local Member

The annual meeting of IQAC held on 15 July 2009 planned the following for the year 2009-10

1. Re-accreditation process to begin and also expedite the UGC affiliation.
2. New courses to be started, placing the proposal before the LMC for finalization.

3. Expedite the process of application for new courses like M.com (Financial Management), B.com (Accounting & Finance), B.com (Banking & Insurance), after obtaining approval of the LMC.
4. Take necessary steps for buying reference books, appoint faculty for teaching new courses and other related process.
5. Redesign B.Com Computer Lab with new computers, new printers a comfortable new chairs.
6. The cleaning of campus and maintenance of the premises, coloring of the present building and peripheral wall.
7. Encourage cadets and NSS Volunteers for social programmes which benefit the local society at large.
8. English language improvement programs with teaching aids like lingua phone, and dictionaries and CDs.
9. Special emphasis to Marathi literature classical and folklore.
10. Encourage faculty to pursue different research programmes.

**Out of the above plans the following could be achieved by the end of the
academic year 2009-10**

Part –B

1. Activities reflecting the goals and objectives of the institution:

In accordance with the nature of the objectives, the following activities were designed by various faculties and successfully implemented during the academic year.

***Objective 1: To cater higher education to the needy without
distinction of caste or creed***

*As was being done, this year also the various departments of the
college continued to reach out to the student
community.*

- i. Gonsalo Garcia College provides education to the rural youth in and around Vasai without the distinction of caste or creed, being a minority educational institution it reserves admission for the Christian community.
- ii. Conduct extra lectures for weak students.
- iii. Coaching for C.A & ICWA students
- iv. Guidance to P.G. students

- v. Giving books to needy students
- vi. Encourage students to learn the creative use of language for mass media, journalism etc.
- vii. Special coaching for students participating in sports, cultural activities, NSS & NCC
- viii. Department of English through its diverse interactions with the students spreads the knowledge of English language study in getting gainful employment and creates general awareness.
- ix. Department of Commerce gives personal guidance to students outside the class on difficult topics and also helps students in getting gainful employment.

Objective 2: To imbibe students with the culture of decency and dignity, enabling them to establish themselves as citizens with educational, intellectual, moral, spiritual integrity and sincerity.

Each day begins with music creating a spiritual atmosphere of oneness; the college imparts modern education to its students. Department of Personality Development and Counseling, Women's Cell, NCC and NSS shape and fashion the young minds to imbibe the moral strength, dignity and integrity to become useful social beings through the following programmes;

- NCC the biggest Youth Organization in the nation inculcates the spirit of national integration and the willingness to serve the nation through;
 - i. Regular parades and training sessions in the college, general fall in's, unit fall in's, game parades were conducted.
 - ii. Camps at unit, state and National level.
 - iii. Celebrations of Independence Day on 15 Aug '09 - samman guards conducted rifle drill displaying co-ordination and discipline.
 - iv. Republic Day along with the parade was celebrated with a pictorial message of terrorist attack and its aftermath was presented in colours.
 - v. Traffic Control during Ganpati Visarjan, Cadets donated blood during the blood Donation Camp conducted by the NCC Group.
 - vi. Mini-trekking adventure camp was organized to Tungreshwar on 30th July 2009. This motivates students to involve in adventure activities.

- The N.S.S. unit of the college sensitizes students to the thought of 'Not I but We' through activities like-
 - The usual common programmes like Tree plantation, pulse polio, aids awareness, cleanliness and sanitation awareness, peace rally, environmental conservation, literacy, water shed management, blood group testing etc. were carried out this year too.

- Participation at University Level and State Level Camps continued.
- Disaster management training programme was conducted by Capt. Jose George of the NCC unit along with his cadets.
- Hindi Day was celebrated in the college on 14th Dec.2010. To highlight the importance of Hindi language and national integration poetry recitation and speeches were organized.
- Department of Psychology and Foundation course organized an exhibition by S.Y.B.com students on topics like water harvesting, global warming, and female infanticide, nuclear power.
- The Department of Counseling, Personality Development and Value Education organized Human Personhood Enhancement Camps for the F.Y. and S.Y. students of the college in English and Marathi.

Objective 3: To enable training and access in relevant fields of interest and talents

To keep up the interest and develop the talents the departments conducted the following activities:

- Department of Marathi organized a workshop for T.Y.B.A. students in June 2009 to orient them as how to study and answer the question papers.
- Principal Fr. Solomon Rodrigues of the Department of Marathi conducted special classes on English Grammar for the F.Y.B.A. students.
- The Literature departments (English, Hindi & Marathi) created interest in the language by holding essay writing, poetry writing, & elocution competitions. They conducted debates on the relevant literary topics and made the students read the classics, write summaries and reviews.

- Department of Psychology and Foundation Course organized an exhibition by S.Y.Bcom students on topics like water harvesting, global warming, and nuclear power.
- A study tour was organized by the department of Psychology, Sociology and Marathi on 18th Feb, 2010 for the students of the arts faculty to enable them to gain insight into the functioning of NGOs.
- The Department of Rural Development organized a talk on 'Planning for Rural Development' by Dr. Anil N. Patil, member of Board of Studies of Rural Development, University of Mumbai, July 2009
- The Department of Rural Development organized visits for the T.Y.B.A and S.Y.B.A. students to Pan Marketing, Bassein Catholic Bank, Mahila and Yuvak Mandal, poultry farm, local NGOs to study and understand their significance in rural development during the year
- The T.Y.B.A. students of Rural Development visited the Krishi Vidnyan Kendra (KVK), Kosbad to study the functioning of different irrigation methods, beekeeping, horticulture and KVK's functioning in Jan.2010
- T.Y.B.A. students of Rural Development attended a talk on 'Grampanchayat and Gramsabha' by Mr. Bhupendra Sankhe, Grampanchayat Extension Officer.
- T.Y.B.A. students of the department of Rural Development conducted a survey on 'Women Leadership' in different villages of Vasai taluka during the year.
- The department of counseling, personality development and value education organized Human Personhood Enhancement Camps for the F.Y. and S.Y. students of the college in English and Marathi.
- The Commerce department organized a seminar for the students on 'How to be successful' on 9th Feb.2010. The guest speaker was Mr.Vinayak Vartak.
- For enhancing their subject knowledge the students of B.F.M. visited the Reserve Bank of India and also for an industrial visit to Jaipur.

- The N.C.C. organized a mini-trekking adventure camp to Tungareashwar on 30th July 2009 in which 60 cadets participated.
- DACEE organized a one day poster exhibition on 'Careers after B.A. and B.Com' in the college on 31st Dec.2009.

Objective 4: To help student's access job opportunities in Vasai and outside

- A study tour was organized by the Department of Psychology, Sociology and Marathi on 18th Feb, 2010 for the students of the Arts faculty to familiarize students with the functioning of NGOs.
- The Department of Rural Development organized visits for the T.Y.B.A and S.Y.B.A. students to Pan Marketing society, Bassein Catholic Bank, Mahila and Yuvak Mandal, local poultry farm and NGO's to study and understand their significance in rural development.
- The T.Y.B.A. students of Rural Development visited the Krishi Vidnyan Kendra (KVK) Kosbad during Jan 2010, to study the functioning of different irrigation methods, beekeeping, and horticulture and functioning of KVK.
- For enhancing the knowledge about the subject and job opportunities the students of B.F.M. were taken for a visit to Reserve Bank of India and also for an industrial visit to Jaipur exposing them to different aspects of management.
- The N.S.S. unit of the college organized a University Level camp on Natural organic Farming at Kosbad, Dahanu

Objective 5: To motivate the staff to develop their creative potential in their respective field of research and development, to provide maximum programme to students to enhance their latent talents

- The Departments of Psychology, Sociology, and Marathi along with Yuva Mumbai organized a workshop on 'Gender sensitization' on 17th March 2010.

- Prof. Dr. A.N.Pandey attended a workshop on 27th Nov.2009 at V.Vaze college on new syllabus introduced at S.Y.B.A.
- Prof. Albina Joshi attended a refresher course organized by Academic Staff College, University of Mumbai from 22nd Feb to 15th March 2010.
- Prof. P.Indira attended a one day workshop on the syllabus of Indian Financial System of T.Y.B.A. conducted by Vivekanand College, Chembur on 10th Oct. 2009.
- Prof. P. Indira attended one day workshop for the revised syllabus of T.Y.Bcom held at Raheja college in Jan.2010
- Prof. D. Albert participated in a two day UGC sponsored seminar on 'Economic Turmoil; Agenda for the future' organized by Birla College, Kalyan on 16th and 17th Jan.2010.
- Prof. Sujata Kulkarni attended one day workshop on the revised syllabus for T.Y.B.A. at S.K.Somaiyya College, Vidyavihar, Mumbai ,July 2009
- Prof. Vimal Ambre attended one day workshop at Ruparel College organized by the University of Mumbai.
- Prof. Dr. Suman Rai attended a one day workshop organized by the Dept. of Sociology, University of Mumbai. In the month of Feb. 2010.
- Prof. Somnath Vibhute attended a refresher course organized by the Department of Economics, University of Mumbai, from Oct.21 to Nov.10, 2009.
- Prof. Somnath Vibhute presented a paper titled 'India's Response to Global Economic Crisis: A study in the context of the Indian Banking Industry' at a

state level seminar in Shankar Narayan College, Bhayander, Mumbai on Jan.23rd 2010.

- Prof. Somnath Vibhute co-authored a book on 'Business Economics' based on the new syllabus for S.Y.Bcom approved by the University of Mumbai for the academic year 2009-10.
- Prof. Somnath Vibhute also wrote an article titled 'Bhartiya Banking and Mahiti Tantradnyan' which was published in a leading Marathi newspaper 'Loksatta' on March 29th, 2010.
- Dr. Cecelia Carvalho published a collection of articles titled 'Laklaktya Pahatesarkhya Poree' in Dec.2009.and also a collection of articles titled 'Dhaga' in March 2010.
- Dr. Cecelia Carvalho published various articles in the marathi newspaper 'Maharashtra times' from June 2009 to Dec.2009.
- Prof. Afegine A. Tuscano, at Denpasar University, Indonesia International conference presented a paper titled 'St. Gonsalo Garcia: His voyage from Vasai to Japan to spread Christianity and Indian Culture'.
- Prof. Afegine A. Tuscano also presented a paper at Havana's College on 'Samvedi songs as a source of Samvedi history'.
- Prof. Teresa Pereira presented a paper at Bhavan's college on 'Health of Vasai special reference to Devi Diseases'.
- Prof. Afegine Tuscano edited M.A. Part-I notes for Distance Education of Mumbai University in 'History of Modern Maharashtra'

- Dr. Arun Mali attended a workshop on revised syllabus of Rural Development of F.Y.B.A. organized by BOS, Mumbai University and Gokhale Education Society's Arts and Commerce College at Jawhar.
- Dr. Arun Mali also attended a national workshop on 'Writing Research Paper/Articles' organized by Gokhale Education Society's college of Education and Research at Parel.
- Dr. Arun Mali also edited T.Y.B.A. Rural Development notes for Distance Education of Mumbai University.

Objective 6: To encourage the staff & students to co-ordinate their skills and abilities for the upliftment of the rural community around

- Principal Fr. Solomon Rodrigues of the Department of Marathi conducted classes in English Grammar for the F.Y.B.A. students.
- College organizes Marathi drama for familiarizing the local community to the world of literature and drama. Marathi drama 'Bahuroopi' was staged.
- As part of its effort to involve the students with social and national responsibility the T.Y.B.A. students of the Department of Hindi from July to December undertook 'Learn and Teach' project for the under privileged in their local areas.
- Prof. Sujata Kulkarni conducted and organized 'Art of Living' part-I courses in Vasai, Evershine city and 'Bal chetana' , 'Nav Chetana Shibir in the slum area at Umela Phata, Vasai(W)
- T.Y.B.A. students of Department of Rural Development conducted a survey on 'Women Leadership' in different villages of Vasai taluka during the year.
- N.S.S. of the college organized an Aids Awareness Rally along with VRACS (Vasai Region Aids Control Society) which included street plays, demonstrations etc.

5. New Academic programmes initiated

After obtaining the LMC approval, the required forms were submitted to the University and the State Govt. for starting of M. Com (Financial Management), B.Com (Accounts and Finance) and B.Com (Banking and Insurance) extra division for B.M.S. and B.Sc (I.T.)

6. Innovations in curricular design and transactions

The faculty designed projects, presentations, fieldwork, book reviews to make the syllabus more interesting within the stipulated framework.

Industrial tours and visits to Bombay Stock Exchange, Commodity Stock Exchange, and R.B.I. to make the syllabus more effective.

Practical training camps for students of Rural Development were arranged which help them to relate the syllabus to reality.

History and Rural Development departments conducted visits to different places of importance as mentioned in the syllabus.

Departments of Foundation Course, Psychology and Sociology conducted exhibitions on important social topics.

Department of Economics organized an exhibition on 'Evolution of Money'.

7. Inter disciplinary programme

- - Departments of Psychology, Sociology and Marathi organized an intercollegiate workshop on 17th March, 2010 on 'Gender Sensitization' in collaboration with Yuva an NGO.

- A study tour was organized by the Department of Psychology, Sociology and Marathi on 18th Feb, 2010 for the students of the Arts faculty to help them relate to the functioning of NGOs.

8. Examination reforms

Question paper coding system adopted, internal assessment system continued. Moderation of different subjects were done with the help of faculty from other colleges to maintain the standards.

9. Candidates qualified for NET/ SET

Prof. Somnath Vibhute cleared NET in the subject of Economics in Dec.2009.

10. Initiative towards faculty development programmes

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11. Total number of seminars / workshop/ exhibition/study tour conducted:

The different departments of the college organized in total 14 seminars the break-up of which is as follows:

1. College seminars for students - 05
2. Study tour - 07
3. Exhibition - 02

12. Research projects

- Dr. Cecelia Carvalho successfully completed and presented a report to the University of Mumbai on the minor project 'Contribution of Marathi Christi writers to Marathi Literature'. June 2009.

- Prof. Afegine A. Tuscano successfully completed and presented the report to the University of Mumbai on the minor project 'History of Taxis in Mumbai'

-Prof Teresa Pereira undertook a minor project on 'Bassein during British Rule'.

13. Patents generated

Nil

14. New collaborative research programme

Department of Sociology and Rural Development involve the students with local N.G.Os on different projects/surveys

16. Research grants received from various agencies

- Prof. Teresa Pereira received a grant of Rs.5000/- from the ADP section for her minor project on 'Bassein during British Rule'.

17. Details of Research Scholars

Prof. Vibhute is pursuing his research project in Economics.

Prof. Fr. Patrick is pursuing his research project in Personality Development

Prof. Dr. Cecelia Carvalho is continuing her research as a columnist.

18. Honors / Awards to the faculty:

-Dr. Cecelia Carvalho of the Department of Marathi received the 'Sushilkumar Shinde Sahitya Puraskar' June 2009. Also received the 'Sahitya puraskar' for a collection of short articles-Dec.2009. And 'D.P.Andrews Puraskar – Christi Sahitya Prasarak, Pune –March 2010.

19. Internal resources generated

- The college staged the Marathi drama 'Bahuroopi' in the month of Feb.2010.

20. Community services

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- The Department of Counseling, Personality Development and Value Education as an extension of its services organized Human Personhood Camps for the students of Pushpanjali B.Ed college and one day camp of personality development was organized for the students of 4 high schools in Vasai.
- Counseling facilities were offered by the Department of Counseling, Personality Development and Value Education to the students and their family members and others took benefit of the same.

21. Students' achievement and awards.

- Ms. Hajji Firdaus Sultana stood 1st in Mumbai University in M.A. Rural Development.

- Ms. Neelam Singh and Ms. Maya Purnamal Kumawat of S.Y.Bcom won consolation prizes in elocution competition organized by Sathye College, Vileparle on 21st Nov.2009
- Mr. Jitendra Mishal was selected for the Pre-R.D. selection Camp.
- N.C.C. cadet Mr. Carl Coutinho was selected as an officer in the Army through NCC special entry scheme.
- Our NCC cadets, as a part of the Maharashtra contingent, got the first prize at National Integration Camp held at Jabalpur.

Intercollegiate Sports

- Mr. Sachin Sherkhane - Taekwondo – Gold Medal
- Ms. Rose Menezes - Boxing - Gold Medal
- Ms. Radhika Vhora - Boxing - Silver Medal
- Mr. Bony Jacob - 110mts hurdles – Silver Medal
- Mr. Rakesh Fonseca - Boxing - Bronze Medal
- Mr. Saurabh Mhatre - Best Physique – Bronze Medal

Inter - Varsity Sports Tournament:

Mr. Agnelo Lopes of T.Y.Bcom represented the University of Mumbai team in the All India Inter Varsity Football Tournament held at Coimbatore (T.N.) The team won the second place in the tournament.

22. Citation index of faculty members and impact factors

Nil

23. Details of department getting SAP, COSIST (Assist), DIST.FIST etc. assistance / recognition

Nil.

24. Teachers and officers newly recruited

For self-financing courses (B. Sc I.T., B.M.S., B.F.M.)

- 1) Ms. Olivia D'silva –Full Time
- 2) Ms. Swiddle Dabre – Full Time
- 3) Mrs. Heleena Alphanso --- Full time
- 4) Mrs. Sangeeta Dubey --- Full Time
- 5) Ms. Calvina D'silva --- CHB
- 6) Mrs. Prachi Collaco --- CHB
- 7) Mr. Milton Alphanso --- CHB

25. Teaching – Non-teaching staff ratio:

- 3:2

26. Improvements in the Library services

New books / journal subscribed and their value:

Sl. No.	Name of Department	No. of Books	Amount
1	Psychology	35	20,764.00
2	Sociology	65	30,230.00
3	Rural Development	06	860.00
4	English	204	85,589.00
5	Foundation Course	25	6814.00
6	Hindi	138	26,335.00
8	General	31	8502.00
9	Commerce	197	54,858.00
10	Accounts	145	41,511.00
11	Economics	182	50,229.00
*12	Marathi	266	34,525.00
13	Computer & Math's	219	27,180.00
14	History	60	22,821.00
15	B.Sc IT	50	5,405.00
16	M.Sc IT	10	3,600.00
/17	BMS	188	35,595.00

18	B.F.M	182	39,016.00
	Total	2048	4,93,837.00

27. Courses in which student assessment of teachers introduced and action taken on student feed back

28. Unit cost of education

- Rs 7991/-

29. Computerization of administration and the process of admissions and examination results, issue of certificates

Status quo

30. Increase in infrastructure facilities

Computers - 09

Cupboards - 05

Printer - 01

Copier - 01

Counters (for computer lab) - 08

Revolving chairs - 72

31. Technology up gradation

Status quo

32. Computer and internet access and training to teachers and students

N.A.

33. Financial aid to students

- E.B.C. /P.T.C/S.T.C. free ships are available to the students.
- Also needy students are helped from the Poor Students Fund of the college.
- a. Scholarships are awarded to deserving students, the list of which, is as follows:
 - i. **The St. Dominic Savio Scholarship** for General proficiency at the
 - i. F.Y.B.A.
 - ii. **The Rev. Fr. Philip D’cunha Scholarship** for general proficiency at the F.Y.B.A.
 - iii. **Rt. Rev. Bishop Ignatius D’cunha Scholarship** for the highest marks in English at the F.Y.B.A.
 - iv. **The St. Maria Goreti Scholarship** for general proficiency at the F.Y.B.Com.

- v. **The St. Gonsalo Garcia Scholarship** for general proficiency at the S.Y.B.A.
- vi. **The St. Francis Xavier Scholarship & Prizes**
 - a. For general proficiency at the S.Y.B.Com.
 - b. Standing first in the T.Y.B.A. University Exam.
- vii. **The late Mr. Augustine D'mello Prize** for standing 1st in the T.Y.B.A. University Exams.
- viii. **The late Mingel & Janoo Lopes Prize** for securing percentage in the T.Y.B.A. / T.Y.B.Com. University Exam.
- ix. **The St. Ignatius Loyola Centenary Prize** for standing first in the T.Y.B.Com. University Exams.
- x. **The Late Ms. Shabana Makani Prize** for the highest marks in History at the T.Y.B.A. University Exams.
- xi. **The Pandita Ramabai Prize** for the best female student
- xii. **The Cathlena & Hubert Fernandes Scholarship** for a needy and deserving Catholic student
- xiii. **The Xavier Centenary Prize** for the highest marks in 3 accounts papers at the T.Y.B.com University Exam.
- xiv. **The Special Economics Dept. Prizes** for the highest marks in Economics at the T.Y.B.A. University Exam.
- xv. **The Blaise D'mello Computer Prize** for the highest in Computer System & Application at the T.Y.B.com. University Exam.

- xvi. **The S.Y.B.Com.Accounting Scholarship** For the highest marks in Accounts at the S.Y.B.com. Exam.
- xvii. **Late Sr.Annie D’silva Prize** to a lecturer for regular & punctual attendance in college
- xviii. **Adv.Peter Sequeira Scholarship** for Business Law for the highest marks in Business Law at the S.Y.B.com Exam.
- xix. **Gabriel & Anna D’mello Scholarship** Standing First in T.Y.B.A University Exam.
- xx. **Regin & Joanna D’mello Scholarship** for the First Ranker at the T.Y.B.com University Exam.
- xxi. **Late Prof. Bahanan Abraham Scholarship** for highest marks in Advertising at the S.Y.B.com Exam
highest marks in Management and Production Planning at the T.Y.B.com University Exam
- xxii. **Simon Cardinal Pimenta Scholarship** for the highest marks in Marathi at the T.Y.B.A. University Exams.

Other Scholarships & Free Studentships

GOI Scholarship for SC/ST/DT/NT/SBC/OBC Student

GOI Scholarship for student of Non-Hindi speaking states

Merit Scholarship for children of Primary & Secondary teachers

Free Studentship

1) Economically Backward class free studentship

2) Free Studentship of Primary & Secondary School Teachers.

3) Free Studentship to B.C. Students

4) Educational concession to children, wives, widows of Defence service personnel.

34. Activities and support from Alumni Association

Nil

35. Activities of Parent Teachers Association

Nil

36. Health services

- i. The college maintains First Aid facility to students.
- ii. Sanitary care is provided to women students.
- iii. The students are instructed to keep themselves clean and healthy.
- iv. Waste bins are kept in the class rooms and the premises to enable students to keep the campus clean.
- v. Health tips are offered daily during the assembly via interclass electronic communication system.
- vi. The departments conduct various health related talk shows by eminent Doctors.
- vii. The Sports Department trains the youth in the matter of maintaining physical health.

viii. Prof. Sujata Kulkarni, a trained Art of Living teacher conducts yoga courses for the students and the public in general.

37. Performance in sports/cultural activities

Intercollegiate Sports:

- Mr. Sachin Sherkhane - Taekwondo – Gold Medal
- Ms. Rose Menezes - Boxing - Gold Medal
- Ms. Radhika Vhora - Boxing - Silver Medal
- Mr. Binoy Jacob - 110mts hurdles – Silver Medal
- Mr. Rakesh Fonseca - Boxing - Bronze Medal
- Mr. Saurabh Mhatre - Best Physique – Bronze Medal

Inter varsity Tournament:

Mr. Agnelo Lopes of T.Y.Bcom represented the University of Mumbai team in the All India Inter Varsity Football Tournament held at Coimbatore (T.N.) The team won the second place in the tournament.

Cultural Achievements:

- **University competitions –**
 - Folk dance – 1st prize -- Zonal level
 - Dance orchestra – 2nd prize --
 - Miming -- 3rd prize
- **Inter Varsity Competitions –**

Ms. Mithalee Save, Mr. Pradeep Koli, Mr. Hitesh Sandane represented University of Mumbai in the All India Interschool dance competition held at Punjab.

- The folk dance representing Mumbai University at the zonal level won the 2nd prize at Kolhapur.
- The miming group representing Mumbai University at the State level won the 1st prize at Kolhapur.

➤ **Other competitions –**

The One-act Play titled ‘Clock Ek Time Machine’ won prizes at various One Act play competitions -

- **Kailasvasi Mantrap, Ekankika Spardha, Dadar – 1st prize**
- **Utunga Bharari, Borivali -- 1st prize**
- **Rugved youth culture, Kalyan -- 2nd prize**
- **Konkan Chashak, Thane -- 2nd prize**
- **Kala raj Ekankika Spardha, Goregoan -- 2nd prize**

- Mr. Bhupesh Chaudhari of T.Y.B.A. got consolation prize in intercollegiate One Act play organized by S.N. College in Dec.2009.

He also won the 1st prize at the state level One-Act play competitions organized at Girgaon.

- The college folk dance representing the University of Mumbai got 2nd prize at the zonal level.

38. Incentives to outstanding sportspersons

- The college gives preference to sportspersons with exceptional merit during the time of admission at the under graduate courses.
- Grace marks are awarded to the outstanding sportspersons.
- Gifts are offered to outstanding sportspersons.

39. Activities and Guidance and Counseling unit

Fr. Patrick D'souza, the Director and Prof. Vimal Ambre, the Deputy Director along with other teachers and students continued their work on counseling and personality development.

- The Department of Counseling, Personality Development and Value Education as an extension of its services organized Human Personhood Camps for the students of Pushpanjali B.Ed college and one day camp of personality development were organized for the students of 4 high schools in Vasai.
- Counseling facilities were offered by the Department of Counseling, Personality Development and Value Education to the students and their family members and others took benefit of the same.

40. Placement services provided to students

The Chartered accountants of Vasai are offering job assistance to our commerce students. Many students have completed their CA and presently practicing privately or are on jobs with reputed companies.

41. Development program for non-teaching staff

The non-teaching staffs are encouraged to improve their academic qualifications. They are provided with study leave for upgrading their qualifications.

42. Healthy practices of the institution

- The college has celebrated special days like traditional day, rose day, black and white day, teachers' day, TY farewell day etc., to create a sense of bonding for the students and to cherish universal values.
- The college also celebrates staff birthdays for creating a healthy work atmosphere of giving and sharing.
- Celebrations of festivals like Diwali, Christmas etc.
- Students of the Department of History help the Library staff in managing the library.
- Lecturers assist students for organizing industrial visits and picnics.
- The seniors of the college arrange fresher's party for the new students and send off parties by second years for the third year students.
- The college staged a Marathi one-act play for the students, staff and the local community 'Bahuroopi' – to generate funds for the college.

-The college enables the various departments to dissipate ideas on emancipation and dignity of women, handicapped, old and infirm through discussions, debates, project work and visits.

- The language departments in collaboration with the other departments help in developing communication skills and artistic sensitivities through lectures, discussions and assignments.

43. Linkage developed with National / international, Academic / Research bodies

Nil

44. Any other relevant information the institution wishes to add:

Nil

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Detail the plans of the institution for the next year.

- 1) Sound proofing to be done in the third floor enabling the class rooms to function without disturbance from other class rooms
- 2) Restructing of the plumbing system for the toilets
- 3) Special emphasis to sports training in the proficient areas like cricket, volleyball, boxing, football
- 4) Special emphasis to theatre, dance and music

- 5) An extension of the staff common room with necessary accessories for better adjustment
- 6) Speeding up of the construction of the new building consisting of modern auditorium and library
- 7) To acquire new sports gear and equipments
- 8) To recruit qualified staff to conduct the new courses to be started
- 9) To implement safety and security measures for the functioning of the college
- 10) More qualitative and innovative departmental activities to be initiated

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