Chemistry Society – Chemunicate 2022-23

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The Society screened a documentary on Dr. Sarvapalli Radhakrishnan followed by games for the teachers on Teacher's Day – 5th September 2022. In October, a Donation Drive was organised to collect clothes, working electronic items, sports equipment, bags, bottles, and stationery. Then the society celebrated a 'DWali Chem-Utsav' from 17th October - 21st October 2022 on 'Yeh Diwali Science Wali'. A 3D-wali Quiz, 3D-wali Model making competition, and Rang-e- D-wali, a rangoli-making competition were held; followed by an exhibition of the entries. On 10th January 2023, an industrial visit for the students to Hindustan National Glass & Industries Limited, Bahadurgarh, Haryana was organised. The society held its Annual Departmental fest 'ZUSAMMEN'23' on 13th April 2023. A photography competition 'Chem-Clicks' based on the theme 'Chemistry Through Lenses' was held. Dr. Utpal Ghosh, Ex-president and CEO of the University of Petroleum and Energy Studies Dehradun delivered a lecture at the inaugural event held on 17th January 2023. The S.P. Suri Memorial Lecture and Chemistry Department Award function was held on 14th February 2023. Dr Sushmitha Baskar, Faculty of Discipline of Environmental Studies, School of Interdisciplinary & Transdisciplinary Studies, IGNOU, New Delhi delivered the lecture on "Environmental Issues - The Need for Sustainability". Further, the three toppers of the 1st, 2nd, and 3rd Year of B.Sc. (Hons.) Chemistry for the academic year 2021-22 was felicitated with medals, certificates, and books as part of the S.P. Suri and M.K. 8 Gupta Memorial awards. A 04-day educational trip for the students was organised to Jodhpur-Jaisalmer, Rajasthan from 24th February 2023 to 28th February 2023. It was followed by "Chem-रस - A Competition to win with your words in the form of song /poetry /rap / stand-up comedy, with a touch of Chemistry, a Debate Competition on the motion 'Lithium-ion batteries - will they prove to be a good replacement in the long run'; and 'ChemArt' - art competition inspired by the elements of the periodic table. A general science quiz was held, and the final event was a murder mystery – a treasure hunt.