Departmental Activities

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1. Quiz competition

Alchemy, The Chemical Society of Department of Chemistry, celebrated the birth anniversary of scientist **Neil Bohr** by organising an inter-departmental Quiz competition on 14th October, 2022. The winners were selected after clearing four rounds- Qualifier Round, Crossword Round, Visual Round and Rapid-fire Round. 48 students were participated in the competition.



2. An interactive session on "Fascinating Facts about Chemists and Chemistry"

Alchemy, The Chemical Society of Department of Chemistry, under the aegis of IQAC, organised an interactive talk on "Fascinating Facts about Chemists and Chemistry" by **Professor Rakesh Kumar Parashar**, Department of Chemistry, University of Delhi on 9th November 2022. Prof. Parashar gave a very engaging presentation in which he discussed potential career paths in chemistry as well as how to prepare for an interview. 43 students attended the session





3. Technical Fest- TRAP' 2023

Technical Fest-TRAP'22 was jointly organized by the departments of Chemistry, Mathematics, Physics, and Statistics on 16th and 17th January, 2023. The fest comprised of a talk, various competitions and fun events The keynote speaker was **Dr. Surabhi Dhingra**, Associate Professor, Department of Commerce, Deshbandhu College, University of Delhi. She enlightened more than 100 students with an informative session on the topic: From **STEM** to **STEAM**. The Department organised an advertisement and presentation-based competition **Reveal the Truth 2.0**, in which the participants (12 participants) had to expose the dark side of popular advertisements and provide an honest view. The second event was **Comedie Debout**, a wherein students from various colleges participated (34 participants) to show their talent. Apart from these other competitions and fun events organised were Ace the Data, Voice of brains, Marvel Quiz, Scibola, Treasure hunt and

Stratazenith. The fest drew an active participation from various colleges, making it a memorable one.



4. Seminar on Indian Standards in the field of Chemistry – an overview

Alchemy, The Chemical Society of Department of Chemistry, under the aegis of IQAC, organized a seminar on *Indian Standards in the field of Chemistry – an overview*, by **Mr. Chinmay Dwivedi**, Scientist E & Head, Delhi Branch Office–1, Bureau of Indian Standards, New Delhi. The guests were welcomed by Teacher-In-charge, Professor Jasjeet Kaur.

Mr. Dwivedi highlighted the importance of standards by taking examples of commonly used equipment. He further enlightened the students on the problems that arise from a lack of standards, how standards themselves, are need-based, and why they are important.

Mr. Dwivedi also shed light on the working of the BIS (Bureau of Indian Standards). Students got the chance to learn about the standard development process, and how they too can make their own standards. After demonstrating the use of the BIS website and app to check certification and standards, the talk was concluded by a Q & A session.

The talk was attended by approximately 80 students and faculty members of Chemistry and Food Technology departments.

Vote of thanks was delivered by Ms. Tanya Srivastava, President, Alchemy.



5. March Past Competition-2023

The College organized intra college **March Past Competition** during the **Annual Sports Meet** on 19th January 2023. The Chief guest for the event was **Prof. Shri Prakash Singh**, Director South Campus, University of Delhi. Department of Chemistry secured 1st **position** in this event. The students (20) who participated in this competition were Tanya Srivastava, Priya, Pinki Verma, Priya Singh, Vandana, Chestha, Dimple, Chanchal, Ishika, Aakanksha, Anshika, Kiran, Sanskriti, Riya ojha, Jyoti, Payal, Sirishtha, Prachi, Lucky, Anjali, Aditi, Khushboo and Khushi Gurjar



6. Trip to Jodhpur and Jaisalmer

The College organized a trip to **Jodhpur and Jaisalmer** from **28th February 2023**-**4th March 2023**. 29 students from Chemistry Department enjoyed the trip with camel safaris, numerous activities, and delectable cuisine.

