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PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE



Dear Readers,

It gives me immense pleasure to present the College Bulletin (January–June 2025) of Government Degree College, Bishnah, a NAAC-accredited (B+) institution affiliated with the University of Jammu. This bulletin serves as a reflection of our collective commitment to academic excellence, holistic development, and community engagement.

The past six months have been marked by dynamic academic activities, seminars, cultural and sports events, and outreach programs that highlight the dedication and enthusiasm of our students and faculty. Each event captured in this edition demonstrates our institution's progressive spirit and the continuous pursuit of knowledge and service.

I take this opportunity to congratulate the Editorial Team, faculty, and students for their consistent efforts in documenting and showcasing the achievements of the college. I am confident that this publication will continue to inspire the GDC Bishnah fraternity to strive for excellence and uphold the values of learning, discipline, and social responsibility.

(Dr. Shallu Samyal)
Principal
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JANUARY HIGHLIGHTS



National Youth Day with Cross Country Run

GDC Bishnah, in collaboration with the All-India Human Rights Association, organized a 6-km Cross-Country Run on 18th January 2025 to mark National Youth Day under the theme "Youth for Sustainable Future."

Red Ribbon Club Organizes HIV/AIDS Awareness Activities

The Red Ribbon Club of GDC Bishnah organized a poster-making competition and an awareness rally on 23rd January 2025 to promote HIV/AIDS awareness among students.



Road Safety Awareness Week Program

On 23rd–24th January 2025, the Road Safety Club, in collaboration with the NSS Wing of GDC Bishnah, organized a two-days Road Safety Awareness program.



National Voters' Day Celebrations

On 25th January 2025, the Electoral Literacy Club and NSS Wing of GDC Bishnah celebrated National Voters' Day with a campus pledge. Students and staff visited GHSS Salehar, where a skit and quiz on voter awareness were conducted, and winners were awarded prizes.

Republic Day Celebrations

GDC Bishnah celebrated Republic Day, emphasizing the values of the Constitution and national unity. The day is celebrated to remember our national heroes and pledge to be responsible citizens.



GDC Bishnah Students Shine at Inter-College Singing Competition

Anjali Devi (6th semester) won third prize, and Monika (4th semester) received an appreciation certificate at the Inter-College Singing Competition on "Patriotic Harmony," organized by the Department of Music and NSS, GDC RS Pura, on 24th January 2025.



Awareness Session on Health Issues

The Red Ribbon Club, in collaboration with the Women Development Cell, organized an extension lecture and interactive session with hospital staff on HIV/AIDS, tuberculosis, and women's health.

NSS Volunteer Attends Leadership Training

Gurpreet Bhagat, Sem-6 student and NSS volunteer, attended a leadership and community development training from 28th–31st January 2025 at the Rajiv Gandhi National Institute of Youth Development, Regional Centre, Chandigarh.



FEBURARY HIGHLIGHTS

Basant Panchami Celebrations

The Music Department, in collaboration with the Cultural Committee, celebrated Basant Panchami on 1st February 2025.



Alumni Meet 2025

Government Degree College Bishnah held its Alumni Meet 2025 on Basant Panchami, bringing together graduates from all batches.

Career Counselling Session at GDC Bishnah

The Career Counselling Cell of GDC Bishnah, in collaboration with Wings Ek Udaan, organized a session on career guidance and competitive exam strategies on 4th February 2025.





Sports Event under Fit India Movement

Government Degree College Bishnah, in collaboration with Nehru Yuva Kendra, organized a vibrant sports event on 7th February 2025 under the Fit India Movement.

GDC Bishnah Celebrates Safer Internet Day

The Department of Punjabi, in collaboration with the NSS Wing of GDC Bishnah, celebrated Safer Internet Day on 11th February 2025 with the theme "Together for a Better Internet."



National Youth Day Celebration with Poster Making Competition

The Red Ribbon Club of GDC Bishnah, in collaboration with the Higher Education Department J&K and J&K AIDS Control Society, organized a Poster Making Competition on 13th February 2025 to highlight the role of youth in uplifting society.

GDC Bishnah Launches Week-Long Civil Defence Training Camp

The NSS Wing and Red Cross Committee of GDC Bishnah, in collaboration with Civil Defence Jammu, inaugurated a week-long Civil Defence Training Camp from 17th to 22nd February 2025.



GDC Bishnah Wins Overall Trophy at District Level Sports Meet

Government Degree College Bishnah clinched the Overall Championship Trophy at the District Level Sports Meet organized by Bharat Nehru Yuva Kendra, Jammu, under the Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports. MoU Signed Between PSPS GCW Gandhinagar and GDC Bishnah



MoU signed with PSPS GCW Gandhi Nagar

On 21st February 2025, an MoU was signed between Dr. S. P. Saraswat, Principal of PSPS GCW Gandhinagar, and Dr. Shallu Samyal, Principal of GDC Bishnah, to promote academic collaboration.

Visit at National Start-up Festival 2025

Students of GDC Bishnah visited the National Start-up Festival 2025 at Gandhi Nagar College on 22nd February 2025 to explore innovation and entrepreneurship opportunities.



International Mother Language Day Celebrations

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GDC Bishnah Student Wins First Prize on International Mother Language Day

Ms. Shivani, a 1st-semester student of GDC Bishnah, secured first prize in an event held at M.A.M College on 21st February 2025, celebrating International Mother Language Day.





Investiture Ceremony 2025

GDC Bishnah inducted its new student council on 24th February 2025, with Principal Dr. Shallu Samyal encouraging leaders to uphold integrity and service.

Science Day 2025

Government Degree College Bishnah celebrated Science Day 2025 on 28th February with a documentary screening, interactive sessions, and a lively Q&A to promote scientific awareness among students and faculty.



MARCH HIGHLIGHTS



Nukkad Natak on HIV/AIDS and Drug Awareness at GDC Bishnah

On 3rd March 2025, GDC Bishnah, in collaboration with JK AIDS Control Society, Savraj Production, the Red Ribbon Club, and the Anti-Drug Club, organized a Nukkad Natak.

Women's Day 2025

The NSS Wing, in collaboration with the Women Development Cell, celebrated Women's Day on 8th March under the guidance of Principal Dr. Shallu Samyal, with Prof. Kalpana Kesar as the chief guest.



Extension Lecture on Women's Hygiene and Healthcare at GDC Bishnah

On 10th March 2025, the Red Ribbon Club, in collaboration with the Women Development Cell, organized an extension lecture on women's hygiene and healthcare at GDC Bishnah.

GDC Bishnah Student Wins Silver in Inter-College Powerlifting Championship

Roshan Bibi, a student of GDC Bishnah, secured the silver medal in the 63kg weight category at the Inter-College Women's Powerlifting Championship 2024-25, organized by the Department of Physical Education and Sports, University of Jammu.



GDC Bishnah Students Participate in Goonj-2025

Students of GDC Bishnah participated in the Elocution and Poster Making events at Goonj-2025, a multi-genre festival organized by the Department of Student Welfare, University of Jammu, on 19th March 2025.

Releases of Quarterly Newsletter

On 19th March 2025, the Magazine Committee of GDC Bishnah released the latest quarterly newsletter under the guidance of Principal Dr. Shallu Samyal.





Students Attend Dictionary-Making Workshop

On 20th March 2025, English Department students of GDC Bishnah participated in a workshop on dictionary making at MAM College, enhancing their linguistic and lexicographical skills.

Lecture on “Swachhta Hi Sewa”

On March 19, 2025, Shri Kewal Krishan Wadhwa, social activist and environmentalist, delivered an inspiring lecture on “Swachhta Hi Sewa” at GDC Bishnah.



World Water Day 2025

GDC Bishnah observed World Water Day on 22nd March 2025 with interactive sessions, a plantation drive, and awareness lectures on water conservation and avoiding polythene use under the theme “Glacier Preservation.”

Waste Segregation Awareness & Cleanliness Drive

On 25th March 2025, the Department of Environmental Sciences, GDC Bishnah, organized an awareness program on the importance of waste segregation, coupled with a cleanliness drive on campus, promoting responsible waste management and a healthier environment.



Anti-Ragging Awareness Program

On 25th March 2025, the Anti-Ragging Committee of GDC Bishnah organized an awareness program.

APRIL HIGHLIGHTS

GDC Bishnah Observes World Health Day

The NSS Wing of GDC Bishnah observed World Health Day on 7th April 2025 at District Hospital, Bishnah, promoting awareness about health and well-being among students and staff.



GDC Bishnah Celebrates Dr. B.R. Ambedkar's Birthday

On 9th April 2025, GDC Bishnah screened a documentary on the life of Dr. B.R. Ambedkar, followed by a quiz, to commemorate his birth anniversary and inspire students with his legacy.

GDC Bishnah Commemorates Dr. B.R. Ambedkar's Birthday with Preamble Pledge

on 11th April 2025, GDC Bishnah conducted a pledge on the Constitution's preamble to honor the forthcoming birthday of Dr. B.R. Ambedkar and reaffirm commitment to its values.





Celebration of Baisakhi 2025

GDC Bishnah celebrated the vibrant festival of Baisakhi on 11th April 2025 under the guidance of Principal Dr. Shallu Samyal.

Farewell Celebration

On 11th April 2025, 4th-semester students of GDC Bishnah organized a farewell for their 6th-semester seniors.



NSS Wing Participates in Marathon to Commemorate Dr. B.R. Ambedkar's Birthday

On 12th April 2025, the NSS Wing of GDC Bishnah participated in a marathon organized to honor the birthday of Dr. B.R. Ambedkar, promoting awareness and fitness among students.

MoU Signed Between GCW Parade Ground Jammu and GDC Bishnah

On 19th April 2025, Dr. Ravender Kumar Tickoo, Principal of GCW Parade Ground Jammu, and Dr. Shallu Samyal, Principal of GDC Bishnah, signed an MoU to foster academic collaboration.



Awareness Lecture on Women's Rights against Sexual Harassment at GDC Bishnah

On 22nd April 2025, the Women Development Cell, in collaboration with the Committee against Sexual Harassment (CASH), organized an awareness lecture on "Women's Rights Against Sexual Harassment" at GDC Bishnah.

World Earth Day 2025

On 25th April 2025, the NSS Wing, in collaboration with the Eco Club, celebrated World Earth Day under the theme "Our Planet, Our Power," guided by Principal Dr. Shallu Samyal.





Moot Court Engagement Strengthens Collaboration Between GDC Bishnah and GCW Gandhinagar

On 30th April 2025, 45 students from GDC Bishnah visited PSPS GCW Gandhinagar under the MoU between the two institutions to gain practical exposure to moot court practices.

MAY HIGHLIGHTS



NSS Wing Participated in Drug Abuse Workshop

On 3rd May 2025, the NSS Wing of GDC Bishnah attended a one-day workshop on drug abuse at District Police Line, Jammu.

IQAC and Art of Living Conduct 5-Day Yoga Wellness Retreat for Staff

From 20th to 24th May 2025, IQAC, in collaboration with Art of Living Jammu, organized a five-day “Yoga Wellness Retreat” for teaching and non-teaching staff at GDC Bishnah.



Career Awareness Program with LIC Jammu

On 28th May 2025, the Career Counselling Cell and NSS Unit of GDC Bishnah organized an awareness program with LIC Jammu.

Community Nutrition Awareness Program

The IQAC, NSS Wing, and Red Ribbon Club of GDC Bishnah, in collaboration with Sub- District Hospital Bishnah, conducted a visit to the college's adopted village to raise awareness about nutritional deficiencies among women.



GDC Bishnah Students Visit Home for the Aged and Infirm

On 30th May 2025, as part of IQAC Best Practices initiatives, GDC Bishnah organized a visit to the Home for the Aged and Infirm, Amphalla, Jammu.

World No Tobacco Day Observed at GDC Bishnah

The Anti-Drug Committee of GDC Bishnah organized a special program on World No Tobacco Day, featuring an interactive session on the harmful effects of tobacco and drug abuse.





MoU with JMD Herbal Extractions

On 31st May 2025, GDC Bishnah signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with JMD Herbal Extractions.

Ahilyabai Holkar's Birth Anniversary and World No Tobacco Day

On 31st May 2025, GDC Bishnah celebrated the 300th birth anniversary of Ahilyabai Holkar alongside World No Tobacco Day.



World Environment Day 2025

On 5th June 2025, GDC Bishnah celebrated World Environment Day under the theme "Beat Plastic Pollution."

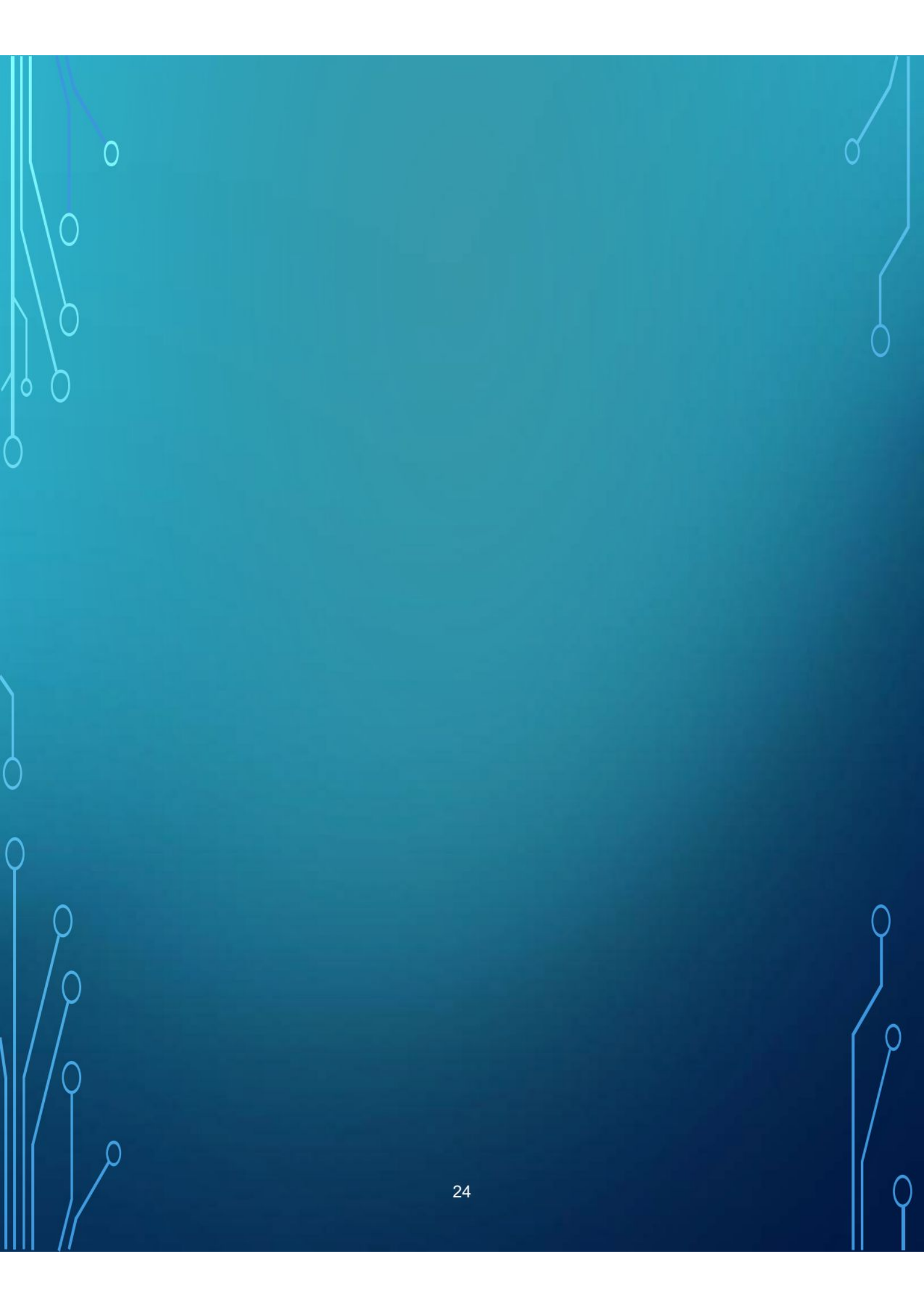
Dr. Kusum Completes NCC Orientation Cadre

Dr. Kusum, NCC In-charge at GDC Bishnah, successfully completed a 3-day Orientation Cadre for newly appointed NCC In-charges at the NCC Training Academy, Nagrota, from 9th to 11th June 2025.



International Yoga Day 2025

On 21st June 2025, GDC Bishnah celebrated International Yoga Day under the theme “Yoga for One Earth, One Health,” under the guidance of Principal Dr. Shallu Samyal.





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