KVA DAV COLLEGE FOR WOMEN KARNAL

Department of Geography

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Organized an Intra-college Poster Designing Contest to observe the 'Wildlife Week – 2022' from October 02 to 08, 2022 (Theme: Recovering Key Species for Ecosystem Restoration). The topic of the contest was: Reconnect with Nature and Restore Ecosystems. A total of 23 students participated in the Contest and the results were declared on October 06, 2022:

First Position: Ms. Taruna, B.A. I

Ms. Rashmi, B.Sc. III (Med.)

Second Position: Ms. Cheshta, M.Sc. Geog. Final

Ms. C. Lisha, B.Sc. I (Med.)

Third Position: Ms. Anu, B.Sc. II (Med.)

Ms. Meghna, B.Sc. II (Bio. Tech)

Consolation Ms. Dimpal, B.Sc. I (Med.)

Ms. Kirti, B.A. III

Ms. Sarika, B.Sc. III (Med.)

Ms. Sumedha, B.Sc. I (Med.)

Ms. Anjali, B.Sc. I (Med.)







Organized a National Level Online Poster Designing Competition to observe 'National Wildlife Week – 2022' from October 02 to 08, 2022 (Theme: Recovering Key Species for Ecosystem Restoration). The topic of the contest was: Ecosystem Restoration via Conservation of Endangered Species. Results were declared on October 31, 2022.

First Position: Ms. Taruna, B.A. I, KVA DAV College for Women, Karnal

Ms. Divya Mittal, B.Sc. (Hons.) Biotech III, DAV College, Sector-

10, Chandigarh

Second Position: Ms. Rashmi, B.Sc. III (Med.) KVA DAV College for Women,

Karnal

Ms. Antim, B.Com. II, Govt. P.G. College for Women,

Sector-14, Panchkula

Third Position: Ms. Amrita, Govt. College for Women, Madlauda, Panipat

• Three students represented the Department in the **State Level Chart Making Competition** organized by Mata Sundri Khalsa Girls College, Karnal on **October 11, 2022**. **Ms. Monika** of M.Sc. II bagged the **first prize** and **Ms. Cheshta** of M.Sc. II got **third position**.



Ms. Cheshta with her Chart





Three students: Ms. Garima, Ms. Anju, and Ms. Kajal of M.Sc. II received second prize
in the State Level Working Model Science Exhibition organized by Mata Sundri Khalsa
Girls College, Karnal on October 11, 2022.

Glimpses of State Level Chart Making Competition and Working Model Science Exhibition











Principal Ma'am extending honouring the winners of the State Level Chart and Working

Model Science Exhibition

• The Department of Geography organized a 'Caption Writing Contest' under the banner 'Invent-O-Brain'- National Level Online Competition organized by Faculty of Sciences under the aegis of IQAC, KVA DAV College for Women, Karnal during the month of November, 2022 (Last date of entries: 10.11.2022; declaration of results 20.11.2022). The results were as follows:

First Position: Ms. Rupali, B.Sc. III, Dayanand Mahila Mahavidyalaya,

Kurukshetra, Haryana

Second Position: Ms. Vanshika Walia, B.C.A. III, KVA DAV College for Women,

Karnal, Haryana







Image for Caption Writing Contest

- Ms. Vishakha, M.Sc. II received Second Prize and Ms. Monika, M.Sc. II got
 Consolation Prize in the Inter-college Poster Making Competition on 'Crop Residue
 Management' organized by Krishi Vigyan Kendra, NDRI, Karnal and Geography
 Association, Prakriti; Eco Club; and NSS, Dyal Singh College, Karnal on November 28,
 2022.
- Ms. Garima and Ms. Anju of M.Sc. II presented a working model titled 'Fluvial Landforms: Landscape Change through Anthropogenetic Factors' and received Second Position in the District Level Science Exhibition organized by Director Higher Education, Haryana at Government College for Women, Bastara (Gharaunda) on December 02, 2022.







Students with their model at the District Level Science Exhibition



Students with their trophies





• Officiating Principal and Head of the Department of Geography, Mrs. Santosh Bisla served the college and nurtured the Department for a period spanning over three and a half decades. She introduced a Running Trophy named 'Geography Champions –Mrs. Santosh Bisla Running Trophy' to be given to the winners of the State Level Quiz Contest that shall be organized annually by the Department of Geography. Mrs. Bisla sponsored the event and shall continue to do so annually which also includes cash prizes awarded to the top three teams.

(First Prize: Rs. 3100/-; Second Prize Rs. 2100/-; Third Prize: Rs. 1100/-).

The first contest was held on **December 07, 2022** and received an overwhelming response. As many as thirteen college teams from different districts of the State participated in the contest. A screening was held to shortlist six teams. The host team stood first, the team from RKSD PG College, Kaithal stood second and Govt. PG College, Jind stood third. Since it was the host team that bagged the first position, therefore, as per rules the running trophy was handed over to the team from RKSD PG College, Kaithal which stood second.



Principal Mrs. Santosh Bisla along with senior faculty members lighting the lamp during the Quiz Contest





Glimpses of the Quiz Contest











Principal Mrs. Santosh Bisla handing over the Running Trophy to the winners



Principal Mrs. Santosh Bisla presenting certificates and cash prize to the winners







Winning teams of the Quiz Contest

• A **survey** on the various aspects of Covid-19 was conducted in village **Pingli**, Karnal by the students of M.Sc. Previous and Final year and B.A. Final. The survey was conducted on **December 14 and 15, 2022** and 160 households were surveyed.



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• National Science Day was celebrated on the theme 'Global Science for Global Wellbeing' on February 27 and 28, 2023 by the Faculty of Sciences. Day one (February 27) commenced with Tree Plantation in the college premises followed by an Extension Lecture on 'Global Science for Global Well-being' by Dr. R.K. Sharma, Former Dean Colleges, Dean Life Sciences & Dean Pharmaceutical Sciences, Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra.

On day two (February 28) a **Poster Making Competition** on the topic 'Sustainable Development Goals for Global Transformation' and a **State Level Science Quiz** was also organized as part of the Science Day celebrations. A total of seven teams from different parts of the state participated in the competition.

Science Day celebration, February 27 and 28, 2023







Extension Lecture by Prof. R.K. Sharma









Poster Making Competition

Quiz Competition

- Ms. Sonia, Assistant Professor, Department of Geography along with five students (Ms. Monika, Ms. Cheshta, Ms. Vishakha, Ms. Payal and Ms. Anju Narwal) participated in a Three Days Workshop on Mushroom Cultivation at Horticulture Training Institute, Uchani, Karnal from March 21 to 23, 2023.
- A tree plantation drive was organized by the Department of Geography, on April 20,
 2023 to commemorate the 'Earth Day 2023'. The students of the Department planted
 100 saplings of a variety of trees in Kutail village, Karnal.

Such drives are necessary in combating the numerous environmental issues being faced by humankind. A number of students from the Department enthusiastically contributed to the drive.





Glimpses of Tree Plantation at Kutail

















• Three students – Ms. Himanshi and Ms. Annu of B.A. III and Ms. Parvinder Kaur of B.A. II participated in State Level Geography Quiz Competition on April 21, 2023, organized by the Department of Geography, R.K.S.D. College, Kaithal.