

**Commerce Department
Report
For the A.Y. 2017-18**

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The Department of Commerce takes the privilege to conduct different activities throughout the year for the betterment of students, teachers & society at large.

This year the Department of Commerce organized a **workshop** on “**Revised Syllabus of S.Y.B.COM**” on 20th June 2017. The Chief Guest for the workshop was Principal Dr. Ajay Bhamare, Chairman, Board of Studies in Commerce, University of Mumbai. Various Resource persons for different courses took the charge of the session by making presentations and clearing the doubts of teachers of different colleges.

A lecture on “**Career in Travel and Tourism**” was organized on 9th August 2017. Ms. Manu Mourya from Columbus Travel and Tourism conducted the lecture and gave the insight on the new area to be focused for career development.

A lecture on ‘**Family Law**’ was organized on 11th August, 2017. The guest speaker was Prof. Suchetra Sahasrabudhe of Lala Lajpatrai College, Mahalaxmi, Mumbai. She enlightened the students and gave brief information about family law, its importance, and validity of the registration of marriages. Students were also educated about action against violence, rights of property, law against dowry etc.

A **Library Visit** was organized for the students of FY,SY and TYBCOM students. All the reference books of various subjects of commerce and Management, Motivational books and Journals were for the display.

A **UGC Sponsored One-Day National Conference** on ‘**Service Industries: Challenges and Opportunities**’ was organized on 10th January, 2018. A healthy exchange of ideas & discussion was held in the conference making it a grand success.

An **Essay competition** was organized on the topic “Personality Development through College Activities” on 2nd February, 2018. Total 22 students participated and the winners for the same were:

I – Ms. Shefali S. Gujar from TYBCOM

II – Ms. Neha D. Kanujiya from TYBCOM and Ms. Sneha J. Pandey from TYBCOM

III- Ms. Anjali A. Kadar from SYBBI

A **Recipe Competition** was organized on 5th February, 2018. The theme given was 'Dairy Products'. Total 15 girl students participated. The winners for sweet dish were:

I – Ms. Mansi G. Patil from SYBCOM

II – Ms. Rohini S. Mandhare from SYBBI

III – Ms. Priya J. Jha from TYBCOM and Ms. Bhairavi R. Tendulkar from TYBCOM

Volunteers of Commerce Department participated in “**Pragati Entrepreneur**” organized by Student Council of Pragati College.

The department had also organized **Industrial visit**. Three factories namely Pranay Cones & Tubes Pvt. Ltd., Electronic Gadget parts manufacturers and Pee Bee unit at Shahapur were visited by 23 students along with 2 teachers on 15th February, 2018. The visit gave a deep insight on the production procedure and the management of inventory system.

The department has also started an **Add-on course on “Travel & Tourism”** from September 2017 onwards. A Memorandum of Understanding is signed between the College and Columbus Travel & Tour Company. A program of 32 sessions is planned in which History of Travel and Tour, E- ticketing and Tour Package Designing are covered.

The Department also published different articles every month in the publication “**Commerce Insight**” which gives boost to the students. The department also has the “**Departmental Library**” which is solely handled by the Students.

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