

# **PRAGATI ENTREPRENEURS**

## **Report 2020-2021**

Pragati Entrepreneurs- a self initiative has always been the catalyst for the students in motivating them to be on their own. This pandemic has made it more prominent that the students have to start their own small business for survival. The students were made aware about skill development and were motivated to start their own small or medium business to survive and to create employment opportunities. Every year Pragati Entrepreneurs organizes an exhibition cum sale for the students where they can not only exhibit their skills by displaying the food and other products made by them and also games stalls, but also sell and get first-hand experience of doing business. This year also because of the covid-19 pandemic the physical exhibition was not possible due to extended lockdown.

This year for celebrating the 25<sup>th</sup> year as Silver Jubilee Year and on this occasion Pragati Entrepreneurs and IQAC with Commerce Association organized an online webinar on the topic **“Entrepreneur Skill and Business Development”** on Tuesday 07th Sept, 2021 at 5.00 p.m. The objective of this webinar was to imbibe entrepreneurial thoughts in the mind of students, which focuses on building the passion to be an entrepreneur. Eminent speaker Dr. Pallavi Shah, Assistant Professor, NKTT College, Thane, Director, Wings Military and Adventure Training Organization, Upcoming You tuber was invited and she presented very excellently on **Entrepreneur Skill and Business Development** with the help of PPT followed by question answer session. Total 71 students attended the webinar.

The webinar started with the introduction of the webinar by Dr Kishori Bhagat and welcome address by the Principal Dr Jyoti Pohane. Dr Anuja Bapat, convenor of Commerce Association introduced the Guest Speaker. The technical support was provided by Ms Rupali Patil. The other members in the preparation for the webinar were Ms Manasi Bhagwat, Ms Swati Pusalkar, Ms Trupti Tulaskar and Ms Sneha Mhatre. The webinar ended with the question answer session.

Feedback forms were filled by the some of the students that gave a very positive response of the programme.

Dr Kishori Bhagat