T.Z.A.S.P. Mandal's Pragati College of Arts & Commerce, Dombivli Nakul Patil Yuva Prabodhan Manch(2019-20)

A Report

Advocate Nakul Patil, founder chairman of Thane Zilla Agari Shikshan Prasarak Mandal was the visionary and passionate leader to initiate the educational institution in the city of Dombivli of Thane district. It is known as a city of learned people in the state of Maharashtra. Pragati College is his brain child established on 27th June 1997. The college started growing up very fast within a decade and onwards. Inculcation of values among the students was the major concern of the entire managing committee especially Nakulji Patil. Several activities were organised under his guidance. After his demise in 2011, this platform was established to continue with his dream of inculcating values. Since last many years Manch is organizing various activities on his birth and death anniversaries in the month of June and September. This year Patriotism' was the theme selected for activities. Patriotic singing Competition, slogan writing and wall magazine competitions were organised on 26th and 27th of June, 2019, around 30 students have been participated in the competitions.

On 1st July a programme was organised to commemorate the death anniversary of Nakulji Patil. Mr.Madhukar Chakradeo, a well known social figure in the city was the chief invitee who spoke on the active role of Late Mr.Patil in the development of the city. Prizes were given to the winners of the competitions at this occasion. Chairman of Mandal shri Jagannthji Patil, Vice-chairman Mrs. Pushpalata Patil, Joint- secretary Shri. Dattaji Vaze, Governing Council member Shri.Vishnu Mhatre, Member of the Trust Shri. Vasant Patil and Shri.Eknath Patil were present for the programme. Principal Dr.Jyoti Pohane, Vice-principal Dr. A.B. Shendre were also present for the programme. Mrs. Manasi Bhagwat, Ms. Ruplai Deolekar, Ms.Pranali Singh worked as Convenor and organizing committee members. Students from both Degree and Junior section of the College were present for the programme.

Inter- collegiate Elocution Competition 21st August, 2019

To commemorate the birth anniversary of Nakulji Patil, as per the practise an Inter-collegiate elocution competition was organized wherein 18 students from ten well known colleges have participated. Following were the topics of the competition.

- 1 National Unity and Integrity: A challenge
- 2 What Patriotism means to me?
- 3 Research in science and Technology and Nation building

Dr. Ashok Mahajan the recently retired Principal of the college was the chief guest for the programme of inauguration. Chairman of T.Z.A.S.P. Mandal Shri.Jagannathji Patil, Vice- chairman Mrs. Pushpalata Patil, Joint secretary Shri. Dattaji Vaze, Shri. Vishnu Mhatre, Shri.Vasant Patil. Shri.Tukaram Kene, Mrs. Kavita Joshi were present on the occasion. In-charge Principal Dr.Jyoti Pohane, Vice-principal Dr.Avinash Shendre, Vice- principal of Junior College Mrs. Nutan Patil were also present for the function. Judges (Degree section) Mr. Deepak Suryavanshi from Gurunanak Khalsa College and Dr.Rekha Gore from Ruparel College Mumbai were also present for the programme. Dr.Mahajan spoke on the value based development of the society ahead. Dr.Kishori Bhagat has shouldered the responsibility of comparing the session. Mrs. Manasi Bhagwat proposed the vote of thanks.

After the inauguration session competition started at 11.30am. Eighteen students from 11 different colleges participated and spoke on the theme. The judges were given their decision and after a short break prize distribution and valedictory session was organised. Judges spoke on their views regarding the competition and with the remarks of Vice-chairman Mrs. Pushpalata Patil the session concluded. Mrs. Gayatri Pawar worked as a comparer, Mrs. Nutan Patil proposed Vote of thanks. Mrs. Manasi Bhagwat worked as the Convener of the entire programme and Ms.Rupali Deolekar and Ms.Pranali Singh associated as members. Other teaching and support staff as well as student volunteers' worked hard for the successful conduction of the programme. The winners of the competition were awarded with cash prize, certificate and trophy (First prize winner only)

Prize winners for 2019-20: (Degree Section)

- 1 Ms.Mrunal Saple(Ruia College, Mumbai)
- 2 Mr.PrathmeshUmbre(Joshi- Bedekar College, Thane)
- 3 Mr. VaibhavBorade(Adarsh College, Badlapur)

Consolation prizes were given to

- 1 Mr.Nilesh Fulore (SamyakSankalp College, Kalyan)
- 2 Ms. Yogita Shinde(K.E.L. Law College, Panvel)

Prabodhan Manch organised an online programme on 30th June, 2020 to commemorate the 9th death anniversary of Late Nakulji Patil. Mrs. Varsha Parchure, known social activist of the city, working hard in the tribal areas of Thane district like Wada and Mokhada for the employment of Tribals and also contribute in running of Orphanage 'APNALAY' in Mumbai, was the chief speaker of the webinar. She spoke about the social responsibility of citizens during the hard times like that of Covid 19. It is the humble duty of the citizens to help the people who were badly affected and passing through the economic hardships. She also emphasised on the cooperation to the Government authorities by following the rules and restrictions imposed during the pandemic period. Sixty four people participated in the programme.

Mrs. Manasi Bhagwat,
Convener,

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