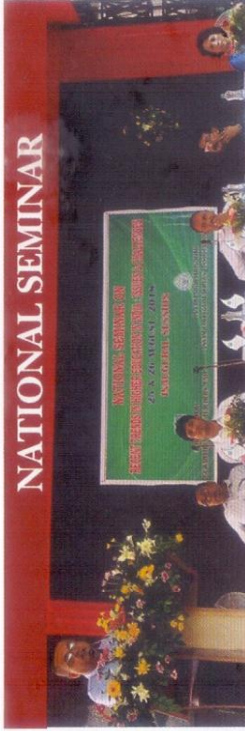


## NATIONAL SEMINAR



Guwahati College Teachers' Unit in association with Assam College Teachers' Unit, Kamrup Metro Zone organised a National Seminar on 25th and 26th August, 2018 as a part of its golden jubilee celebration programme. The theme of the seminar was 'Higher Education: Issues and Challenges'. The seminar was inaugurated by Mr. Himangshu Marai, General Secretary, Assam College Teachers Association. Key Note Speech was delivered by Professor Ibadoni Siyem, Department of Education, NEHU. A large number of participants presented their research papers in the National Seminar convened by Dr. Golok Chandra Deka and Dr. Sofiqur Rahman. A proceeding volume was also published under editorship of Dr. Golok Chandra Deka and Dr. Sofiqur Rahman.

## GAUZHATI UNIVERSITY INTER COLLEGE BOXING TOURNAMENT, 2017-2018



Guwahati College organised the Gauhati University Inter College Boxing Competition 2017-18 on 1st and 2nd April, 2018. The competition was inaugurated by Dr. Mridul Hazarika, the Vice Chancellor of Gauhati University. A souvenir entitled 'Punch' edited by Dr. Sonararam Hazarika of Department of Assamese was also inaugurated in the opening session. In the closing session of the competition held on 2nd April, 2018 Dr. Pranab Sandilya, Principal of Guwahati college handed over the prizes to the winners in different categories and acknowledged the officials of the Assam Boxing Association for their sincere supervision and cooperation.



## PRIME MINISTER'S 'PARIKSHA PAR CHARCHA'

An interactive session named 'Pariksha par Charcha' was organised on 16th Feb, 2019 at Talkotra Stadium, New Delhi. Prime Minister Sri Narendra Modi interacted with thousands of students present in the stadium. The programme was made available live via internet link. Guwahati College made arrangement to show the programme live to large number of students and teachers gathered in the conference hall. Students were particularly benefited by the inspiring interactive session of the Prime Minister.

## NATIONAL SCIENCE DAY CELEBRATION



Guwahati College CBT Hub and Science Research Committee Jointly organised a lecture programme on 28th April, 2018 in connection with National Science Day. Dr. Likhaneswar Ghatowar of the Department of Geography delivered the lecture amidst a large gathering of teachers and students. The programme was sponsored by Department of Biotechnology, Govt. of India.

## GUWAHATI COLLEGE SCIENCE DAY CELEBRATION

On 13.12.2018, Guwahati college science Day was celebrated in memory of Dr. Abdur Rahim. A popular talk was arranged on "Urban Environment with special reference to Guwahati City" which was delivered by Prof. Dr. Pradip Sarma a faculty of Cotton College. The best graduate Dr. Abdur Rahim memorial award was presented to Mr. Ridip Medhi 2018. Mrs. Shalima Rahim wife of Dr. Rahim and Dr. Sonararam Hazarika, president GCTU spoke few lines about the occasion, Principal of the College Dr. Pranab Sandilya offered welcome address after lighting the earthen lamp and tribute to Dr. Rahim. Dr. Dinesh Kakati anchored the programme and vote of thanks were offered by Dr. Dharani Lahan.

## ENTREPRENEURSHIP DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME



An awareness programme on 'Entrepreneurship Development' was organised by Guwahati College on 28th Oct, 2018 in Association with DICCC, MSME, Kamrup (Metro). The official representatives of the MSME Kamrup (Metro) enlightened the students with the concept of entrepreneurship. Dr. Pranab Sandilya, Principal, delivered the inaugural speech.



## COLLEGE WEEK, 2018

College week was held from 30th January to 5th Feb, 2018. Overwhelming participation of the students in various events made the college week a successful one. Renowned singer Mrs Anima Choudhury was invited as chief guest in the open session held on 5th Feb, 2018. The winners in the various events were given away prizes in the open session. Large number of students participated in the cultural programme organised in the evening.



## NCC ACHIEVEMENTS

- (1) Dhiraj Boro attended the All India Sainik Camp in Delhi.
- (2) Barasha Barman participated in an All India Trekking Camp at Darjeeling.
- (3) International Yoga Day was observed at Guwahati College on 21.06.2018.

## NSS ACHIEVEMENTS 2018



- 1) Mega National Integration camp Azara, Assam-2018 from 27th January, 11 volunteers participated in the camp.
- 2) Swacch Bharat summer Internship camp organized by Guwahati College, N.S.S. Unit from 30th June to 10th July, 2018 with 80 volunteers.
- 3) Annual Special camp from 4th July to 9th July, 2018.
- 4) Observed Yoga Day at Guwahati college on 21st June, 2018.
- 5) Mega Special camp orientation programme Guwahati University, 2018, from 28th September to 30th September.
- 6) Trekking programme organized by Guwahati college, N.S.S. unit on 17.11.2018 with 100 volunteers.
- 7) Pre-Republic Day camp Guwahati region from 4th November to 13th November.
- 8) Miss Priyanka Boro, N.S.S. volunteers of Guwahati college was selected from N.E.R. region to attend Republic Day Parade Camp, New Delhi.
- 9) World Aids Day-2018. Theme 'Know your Status' organized by Guwahati College, N.S.S. Unit on 01.12.2018.

## ACPC MEETING



An Executive Council Meeting of Assam College Principals' Council was held on 15th Feb, 2019. A large number of principals from various colleges of Assam assembled in this august gathering.

## TRAINING PROGRAMME ON WOMEN EMPOWERMENT

From 19th to 21st November, 2018, a training course on women empowerment was conducted by the deptt. Of Personal and Training Govt. of India at Assam Administrative Staff College. From Guwahati College, Dr. Soumani Roy, Assistant Professor, Deptt. Of Education and Dr. Bandita Das, Assistant Professor, Deptt. Of Mathematics had participated in this training course. Different expends from the different fields shared their experiences with the participants on health awareness of women in India, gender stereotypes as hindrance to women's empowerment sexual harassment of women at work place, crime against women etc.

## A VISIT TO BHUTAN



The students and teacher's of deptt. of Education, Guwahati College, visited Sundhrup Jhankhar, Bhutan on 15th February, 2018. During the visit, the group interacted with the students of Bhutan's, Govt. School and tried to know the educational system of Bhutan.

Further more the group visited one ancient monastery of Bhutan and a discussion was made with the monks about Buddhist system of Education.

## NEW FACULTY MEMBERS



(1) Dr. Sonmoni Roy, Assistant Professor, Deptt. Of Education.



(2) Dr. Bandita Das, Assistant Professor, Deptt. Of Mathematics.



(3) Mr. Elwin Kro Nihang, Assistant Professor, Deptt. Of Economics.



## NATIONAL UNITY DAY

The National Unity Day was observed on 31st October, 2018 to celebrate 143rd birth anniversary of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel. The inaugural session was started with lighting of lamp followed by floral tribute to Iron man of India 'Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel'. After the inaugural speech by Dr. Pranab Sandilya, Principal there was exchange of views among the teachers on the ethics and philosophy of the legend.

## Gauhati University Inter College Cricket Tournament For Teachers, 2018



The Guwahati College Teachers Team displayed an outstanding all round display to reach the semi final. The team lost to Assam Donbosco University in the semi final in a nail biting finish.

## SPECIAL MEDICAL CAMP FOR WOMAN ORGANIZATION HAJONBARI VILLAGE.



A free medical camp was organized on 19th March, 2018 by Guwahati College for its adopted village, Hajongbari, situated near Chandrapur organized in collaboration with Barthakur Clinic and self help organization Rodali. More than a hundred women belonging to the village, got medical aid. The camp which was conducted under the guidance of Dr. Arunima Goswami and Dr. Manabendra Goswami saw the participation of many experienced doctors and nurses. The women were also given free medicines by Borthakur Clinic. Many teachers from Guwahati College joined the camp and offered their cooperation. The Principal of Guwahati College expressed his gratitude to the participants on the successful completion of the health camp.

## Volleyball Champion



Guwahati College Boys' team lifted the championship Prize in the final of the Inter College Volleyball Competition for Boys organised by North Guwahati College. Dr. Dhruabajyoti Rajbongshi and Mr. Manab Pratim Medhi were the teachers in charge of the team.

## CELEBRATION OF WORLD TOURISM DAY

World Tourism Day was celebrated on 27th Sept, 2018 jointly under the aegis of Science for Zoology and Nature, Zoological Society, Guwahati College Unit and Guwahati College Eco Club.

## 7TH ANNUAL INTER COLLEGE TEACHERS STUDENTS PRIZE MONEY VOLLEYBALL COMPETITION.



The 7th Annual Inter College, Teachers Students, Prize Money Volley Ball Competition was organized by Guwahati College on the 7th, 8th and 9th February, 2018. 10 boys teams, 3 girls teams and 5 teacher's teams participated in the competition. The participating boys teams are B. P. C. College, Nagarbera. Dakshin Kamrup College (Mirza), Ghanakanta Barua College (Morigaon), Birinchi Kumar Barua College, Biswanath College, USTM (Meghalaya), L.N.I.P.E., (Sonapur) North Guwahati College, Guwahati College, Narengi Anchalik College and Morigaon College. The girls teams comprised of Handique Girls College, LNIPE and Guwahati College. The teachers teams are Pandu College, Handique Girls' College, Bajali College, Jagiroad College, Guwahati College and Arya Vidyapith College. On 7th February, Principal Dr. Pranab Sandilya inaugurated the event by hoisting the flag. The opening ceremony was attended by Dr. Anjan Kakati (Director Youth and Student Welfare, Guwahati University), Dr. Dharmendra Nath (Secretary, Assam College Principal Council and Principal of S.B. Deorah College) and the President of Assam Boxing Association, Hemanta Kumar Kalita. The coordinator of the volleyball tournament was Dr. Dhruabajyoti Rajbongshi, Assistant Professor of Guwahati College, deptt. of Geography.

The winning teams are :

- Runners Up**
- (1) Boys' – B. P.C. College, Nagarbera – L.N.I.P.E.  
 (2) Girls' – L.N.I.P.E. – Handique Girls' College  
 (3) Teachers' – Jagiroad College – Bajali College.



## CAREER COUNSELLING PROGRAMME

Department of Assamese and Department of English jointly organised a career counselling programme for the 6th semester students. The invited guest Dr. Bujjit Buragohain, Principal, GIMT, Tezpur enlightened the students in the interactive session on various aspects of career for their better future.

## PARTICIPATION OF FACULTY MEMBERS IN GUNUTSAV-2018

Most of the faculty members of the college extended their service as external evaluator in the GUNUTSAV-2018, a programme initiated by Govt of Assam to evaluate the standards of provincialised schools of Assam.



## WORKSHOP ON RESEARCH METHODOLOGY

A National workshop on Research Methodology was held at the college from 7th June to 13th June, 2018. The inaugural session was presided over by Principal Dr. Pranab Sandilya and the keynote address was delivered by Dr. Krishna Gopal Bhattacharyya, former Director, Human Resource Development Centre, Gauhati University.

## Teachers' achievement

Dr. Deben Bora, HOD, Department of Hindi was elected as President of ACTA, Kamrup Metro Zone for the second consecutive term.

Dr. Sushil Kumar Sharmah, Associate professor, Deptt. of Zoology, acts as a state academic co-coordinator of 26th National Children's Science congress, Assam for the Session 2017 and 2018.



Dr. Arup Kumar Nath received the prestigious Pitambar Nath memorial "Sabdakalpa" Literary Award, 2018. He received the award from renowned Assamese writer Dr. Jayashree Goswami Mahanta.



## FAREWELL TO RETIRED TEACHERS

A Farewell meeting, Presided over by Dr. Sonaram Hazarik, was organized by the Guwahati College fraternity to felicitate Dr. Dipak Sagar Das, Dr. Debendra Nath Bhattachariya and Dr. Smriti Rani Barma Deka on account of their superannuation from service. The meeting anchored by Dr., Dinesh Kakati. Several ex-teachers viz, Dr. Dharma Prakash Phukan, Dr. Khanindra Chandra Sharma, Mr. Jugal Kumar Goswamy, Mr. Tarini Charan Kalita etc. were present.



## DR. BANDHURAM DEKA MEMORIAL LECTURE, 2018

Dr. Arupiyoti Saikia, Associate Professor of History IIT (Guwahati) delivered annual Dr. Bandhuram Deka, Memorial Lecture in September, 2018 at Guwahati College. Dr. Saikia spoke about the history of the Kaziranga National Park famous worldwide for it's one horned rhinos. He also threw light on the practice of pocking in the greater Kaziranga area from a historian's perspective.



## WORKSHOP ON E-PROCUREMENT TO THE BENEFICIARY INSTITUTIONS.

RUSA (Assam) organized a workshop on e-tendering for all the RUSA beneficiary institutes from 16th May to 19th May, 2018. In the aforesaid programme Principals, faculties and employees of college from all over Assam participated.



## Students achievement

Mr. Pinkumoni Kalita of B.A. 4th Semester brought glory to the college by winning Gold Medal in National JU-JITSU Championship in 56 Kg weight category held at Kochi (Kerala).



## RETIRED FACULTY MEMBERS IN 2018

1. Dr. Dipak Sagar Das, Deptt. Of Botany
2. Dr. Debendra Nath Bhattacharyya, Deptt. Of Botany
3. Dr. Smriti Rani Barma Deka, Deptt. Of Botany
4. Dr. Marami Goswami, Deptt. Of Education.
5. Dr. Monidipa Baruah, Deptt. Of Chemistry

## RETIRED OFFICE MEMBER IN 2018

6. Mr. Adhar Choudhuri, UDA



## Vigilance Awareness Week



Vigilance awareness week, 2018 was observed on 1st Nov, 2018 under the aegis of Indian Oil (Assam Oil Division), State Office and in Association with Guwahati College. An elocution competition was also organised among the students in this connection.

Dr. Dinesh Kakoti : 1) Post Graduate Diploma in 'Environment and Sustainable development completed from IGNOU (PGDESD).

2) Convener of Gauhati University inter college Boxing Championship organized by Guwahati College.

3) Delivered a speech on "Natural Resources" on 5th June organized by NGO- Sanskriti.

4) Delivered an inaugural speech at "Rupkala Sanskriti Sangha" on occasion of All Assam Badminton Championship.

5) On 12th August, took part as chairperson on the occasion of Annual meeting of Damdama Sahitya Sabha, Hajo a prestigious branch of Assam Sahitya Sabha.

6) Invited as a resource person at Dadara Higher Secondary School in Teachers' Orientation programme.

7) Assistant Secretary, Guwahati Referee Association, R.G. Baruah Complex.

Dr. Pinky Barua completed post graduate Diploma in Environment and Sustainable Development – PGDESD.



Mrs. Swapna Barua, Assistant Professor, Deptt. of Commerce, was awarded PhD degree on the Topic "A study on investors' behaviour in portfolio selection".



Mrs. Sangita Bhagawati, Assistant Professor, Deptt. of Pol Sc. was awarded PhD degree on the topic - "Participation of women in rural development in Assam with special reference to Sonitpur District : A critical analysis" in the year 2018.



## GUWAHATI COLLEGE CENTRAL LIBRARY

More than 700 numbers of books costing Rupees 3 lakhs were purchased for the central library under the RUSA Fund. A memorandum of understanding was signed between Guwahati College and UNESCO Regional Centre, Guwahati to provide valuable documents to the central library of the college and also to carry out various academic activities.

## ENTREPRENEURSHIP / SKILL DEVELOPMENT CELL

A Mou has been signed between Guwahati College and National Small Industries Corporation (NSIC) for skill development of the students. Under this programme a group of 47 students have obtained training in the field of food processing and fashion technology in the year 2018.



### THREE DAY TRAINING WORKSHOP IN GUWAHATI COLLEGE



The Krishna Kanta Handique State Open University and the Rajiv Gandhi National Institute of Youth Development, Tamilnadu along with the cooperation of Guwahati College organized a three day workshop at the college premises from 8th January to 10th January on the topic "Gender Equality Training"

About 30 teachers from all over the State from both Govt. and Non-Govt. Colleges took part in the workshop. Richa Veronica, the director of RGNID, who was present at the inaugural function delivered the opening speech. The Principal of Guwahati College, Dr. Pranab Sandilya stressed on the importance of the workshop in his speech. Academicians like Meeta Deka, Marami Goswami (Guwahati College), Biman Nath (Srimanta Shankardev University), Prashanta Rajguru (Editor, Amar Asom), Indrani Sharma (Cotton University), Barnali Devi (Sipajhar College), Shaswati Choudhury (Amiya Kumar Das Institute of Social Change and Development), N. Sabrina Iqbal (Cotton University), participated as resource persons and not only spoke on various facts of gender sensitivity but also interacted with the participants. The CIQA director of KKHOU, Dr. Nripendra Narayan Sharma who was present during the closing ceremony gave out the certificates to the participants.

## *An Insight to the Departments*

### Department of Assamese

- A seminar was organized on 8th March, 2018, where the 4th Semester students of the department presented their dissertation paper.
- Teachers' day was celebrated on 5th September, 2018 to commemorate Dr. Sarvapalli Radhakrishnan. To mark the occasion, the departmental annual wall magazine "Bimrisha" was inaugurated and unveiled by the head of the department Mrs. Pratima Sharma.
- The 4th volume of the handwritten department magazine 'Birikh' was also inaugurated on the same day.
- Dr. Smriti Rekha Bhuyan of the department has been promoted to Associate Professor in July, 2018 under the Career Advancement Scheme of UGC.

### Department of Bengali

- Dr. Debojani Taran Sarma, H.O.D. Deptt. Of Bengali was invited to Delhi, Mayur Bihar, Phase-I, October 2018 to inaugurate cultural programme, which was organized by the Milani Cultural and Welfare Association of New Delhi in the occasion of Durga Puja. She was felicitated by the President and cultural secretary of the association. She also invited as the Chief guest at Thakurbari, Bamunimaidan on the occasion of Rabindra Jayanti on 9th May, 2018. The Departmental wall magazine, "Punachcha" was released on the Teachers Day 5th September, 2018, which was inaugurated by Prof. Chandana Saikia, Deptt. Of English. Some students of Bengali Deptt. participated "National Youth Day Programme, on 12th January, 2018, on the occasion of Swami Vivekananda's birth day in the Vivekananda Kendra. An alumni meet was organized in the Deptt. in the month of September, 2018.

### Department of Botany

- Departmental wall magazine "Aparajita" was inaugurated by Dr. Ranjita Devi HOD, Department of Physics, Guwahati College on 14th September 2018
- On 14th September, 2018 annual Departmental Seminar Lecture (Popular Talk) was held on the topic of "Remote Sensing in Natural Resource Management" was delivered by Dr. K.K.Sarma, chief scientist of North Eastern Space Application Centre, Shillong.
- Two days Inter College workshop for students was held on 21 to 22 September, 2018 on the topic " Botanical Illustration and Herbarium Techniques". In this workshop students of Handique Girls College and B.Borooh College were also participated Work shop was inaugurated by Dr. Nilakshi Devi, Head Department of Botany , Gauhati University.
- The first volume of Departmental News Bulletin "BATABRIKHA" was released on 14th September ,2018 by Dr. Pranab Sandilya, principal Guwahati College.
- Department has introduced for the first time Best Departmental Graduate award and in this year( 2018) Best Departmental award was received by Mr.Nabajit Bhattacharyya.
- Three founder Teachers of Botany Department Dr. Dipak Sagar Das. Dr. Smriti Rani Barma Deka and Mr. Debendra Nath Bhattacharyya retired in this year from the Department.

### Department of Chemistry

- Debashis Sharma, a student of 6th semester attended National Seminar on "Advances in sustainable Polymer" at IIT, Guwahati from 08.01.018 to 11.01.2018.
- Ritumoni Deka, a student of 6th semester got "Mr. Guwahati College" prize in body building completion in the college week held during 30.01.2018-03.02.2018 competition.
- Ms. Himani Medhi, stop gap faculty of the department of Chemistry presented a poster on "Emerging Trends in Chemical Science" at Dibrugarh University from 26-28 February, 2018.

### IQAC ACTIVITIES

An academic audit was organized by IQAC on 23rd and 24th March, 2018. Dr. I.K. Bhattacharya, ex Principal Cotton College and peer team member and Dr. Indira Bordoloi, ex Principal Handique Girls' College, and peer team member have done the academic audit. A seven days National level workshop on Research methodology was organized by IQAC from 7th June to 13th June, 2019 in the college premises. All total 67 participants from different district of Assam have attended the workshop. Noted resource persons were Prof. Krishna Gopal Bhattacharya, Monoranjan Sarma, Arupiyoti Saikia etc. An entrepreneurship development programme (under Academic - Industry linkage) was organized by IQAC on 28th September, 2018 in the college premises. Mr. Pranab Kumar Bora, Director, DIC was the resource person.

### GUWAHATI COLLEGE STUDENTS UNION SOCIETY ELECTION 2018-19

GCSUS election, 2018-19 was held peacefully on 22nd of September, 2018. In election conducting committee was formed. In election committee Dr. M. K. Das was the returning officer. The other members of the committee were Dr. S. Hazarika, Dr. L. Ghatowar, Dr. S. K. Sharmah, Dr. S. Baruah & Mr. T. Deka. The open debate of the election was conducted jointly by Dr. D Kakoti, Mr B. Das, Mr. A. Das and Dr. D. Rajbongshi. A Grievances Redressal Committee was also set-up headed by Dr. S. Kalita, Dr. A. Nath, Mr. A. Choudhury, Miss M. Deka and Mr. K. Baishya.





- Abhijit Baishya, a student of 6th Semester won 3rd prize in oral presentation on the topic 'Chemistry in everyday life' at National Science Day Celebration, sponsored by DBT, Govt. of India and organized by IBT, Guwahati College and science Research Committee on 28.02.2018.
- As usual Teacher's day was celebrated in the Deptt. of Chemistry with the inauguration of wall Magazine, 2018-19 (Spectrum), inaugurated by Dr. Smriti Rani Barma Deka, Associate Professor, Department of Botany.
- On 20.12.2018, "Nirvana" an interactive session of the departmental students with successful alumni Mr. Abhijit Baishya was held. In this session interaction took place in a) How to deal with examinations related stress and anxiety, b) Time management in examination hall, c) How to cover with syllabus and d) Further scope of chemistry.

### Department of Commerce

- A group of 50 students along with two faculty members of Guwahati College (Dr. Swapna Boruah and Dr. Sangita Bhagawati) attended "Advantage Assam Global Investors Summit" on 4th February, 2018 in Sarusajai Stadium, Guwahati. The summit enlightened the students with the knowledge of India's Act East policy. The summit also focused on investing in different sectors like power, Agriculture & food processing, Handloom, Textiles & Handicrafts, Tourism, Hospitality & Wellness, Plastics & Petrochemicals etc.
  - A seminar on "Investment Opportunities in Various Sectors in Assam" was organized in the Faculty of Commerce on 25th January, 2018 at 10 a.m. The seminar was chaired by Dr. Pranab Sandilya, Dr. Dipak Sagar Das, Dr. Hiten Sarma, Dr. Swapna Boruah & Dr. Sangita Bhagawati. All the respected dignitaries highlighted the different investment opportunities in various sectors in Assam amongst the students. The seminar aimed to create awareness among students regarding various investment opportunities and to motivate them to choose entrepreneurship as their career option.
  - National Voters Day, 2018 was observed on 25th January, 2018 for infusion of democratic values among the students in the Department. All the students and the Faculty members also took the voter's pledge given by Election Commission of India.
  - The students of Faculty of Commerce along with the faculty members celebrated World Environment Day on 5th June 2018 by planning Gulmohar trees in the college campus. The faculty members of other departments also participated in the event.
  - On 28th September, 2018 (Friday) under Industry Academia linkage programme, resource persons from NSIC, MSME and DIC delivered lectures in the seminar hall of the college on various issues related to Entrepreneurship Development. A large no. of students from the department actively participated in the programme.
  - The students – Injamul Haque, Bijoy Boro and Manash Sharma, along with Mr. Kamal Lochan Das (faculty member) of the department participated in the inauguration of "ASSAM START UP – THE NEST" an initiative of the Industry and Commerce Department at a programme held on 20th January, 2019, Sunday at Ambari, Guwahati. The Honourable Chief Minister, Shri Sarbananda Sonowal along with the Industry and Commerce Minister, Shri Chandra Mohan Patowary inaugurated the function where Teachers and students from several colleges of Assam participated in the programme.
  - The initiative is a state – owned incubator for the start up ventures which seeks to augment the Business environment by promoting idea generation to start up companies and help them establish and accelerate their growth and success. Many successful Entrepreneurs of the country like Alok Bansal of Policy Bazaar, Com, Arup Nandan Das Adhikary of Hearing Plus, etc. and Mentors were present on the occasion who shared their experiences of starting up and turning their ideas into Big enterprises.
  - The department organized a seminar on "Financial Literacy" in collaboration with National Stock Exchange (NSE) on creating awareness among students regarding the functioning and operation of the stock market. In the seminar various aspects of investments were also discussed at length. Based on the seminar discussion, a quiz competition was organized amongst the participating students and the winner of the quiz competition Miss Simran Subedi of B. Com 6th Semester session 2016-19 was felicitated by NSE at Taj Vivanta, Guwahati.
- A group of 50 students along with the faculty members of Faculty of Commerce, Guwahati College attended the Investor Fair, 2018 organized by NSE at Taj Vivanta Guwahati. In the event students of various colleges participated. The event was aimed at creating awareness amongst the students about the functioning of the stock market.

### Department of Economics

- Socio-economic survey at 'Hahua' in the month of February, 2018
- Organisation of Freshmen Social on 21-08-2018 to welcome the new students
- Celebration of Teachers' Day on 5th sept, 2018 and paid tribute to great Indian educationist and philosopher Dr. Sarvapalli Radhakrishnan. A quiz competition was also organised among the students in this connection.
- Parent teacher meet was organised on 06/10/2018 to discuss the academic progression and performance of the students and also to get feedback and suggestions from parents.
- The annual wall magazine 'Economica' was inaugurated on 12/10/2018
- Children's' Day was observed on 14th Nov, 2018. As a part of the celebration the students of the department along with the teaches visited North East Book Fair and purchased books to enrich the departmental library

### Department of Education

- Organized departmental Fresher's and Farewell in the month of August.
- On 5th, September Teacher's day was celebrated in the deptt.
- A seminar was held in the Deptt. of Education on 23rd April, 2018 on the topic the attitude change among the 4th Semester students (Major).
- A seminar was organized on 3rd September, 2019 among the students of 5th semester Deptt. of education on the topic teaching learning and pedagogy.

### Department of English

- Gunjana Dey, contributed a paper (The Differing Trajectories of Female Friendship in Alice Munro's Selected short Fiction) Witness to change : Readings in Literature, edited by Gautam Sarma.
- Rajkumari Sujata Singha, published a paper (Sita's Voice : Revisiting 1947 through chandraprakash Dwivedi's Pinjar) in Jonar Journal of North East Region, published by Bodoland University.
- Spondon Nath (3rd Semester) won prizes in several categories in Rubik's Cube, 4th Guwahati Open, 2018. He also won prizes in the 1st Dibrugarh, Open 2018, organized by Dibrugarh University, in collaboration with the worlds Cube Association.



### Department of Geography

- Field Study at Dibru Saikhuwa National Park , Tinsukia in the month of April 2018.
- Field trip & Eco camp at Gorampani wild life sanctuary , Karbianglong & visiting Kaziranga National park Nambor Reserve Forest, Golaghat Assam in the month of October 2018.
- Organized popular talk on "Climate Change" in the month of September 2018.

### Department of Hindi

- The Hindi Diwas was observed on 14th September, with a full day programme. On the occasion the wall Magazine 'Tarang' was inaugurated by the Principal Dr. Pranab Sandilya.

### Department of Mathematic

- On 7th August, 2018, department organized an alumni meet.
- Dr. Bandita Das, presented paper in two international conference on 2018.
- Dr. Bandita Das successfully completed. NDTL-AICTE faculty development programme on introduction to abstract and Linear Algebra (Aug – Oct-2018).

### Department of Political Science

- Mrs. Pallabi Medhi has presented a research paper at the 6th Annual International Conference on Contemporary cultural Studies, 2018 in Singapore. Dr. Sangita Bhagawati has been awarded the Phd. Degree by Dibrugarh University. Dr. Robert Tuolor, a former faculty of the department resigned to join his new assignment as an ACS officer. Dr. Sangita Bhagawati led 100 students of Assam Global Investors' Summit in February, 2018 organized by the Government of Assam at Sarusajai Stadium, Guwahati. Many major students of the department have participated in different events during college week and bagged a good number of prize. Students of the department have also participated in the cultural events organized during the Guwahati Book Fair.

### Department of Physics

- On the occasion of Inaugural Dilip Barua Memorial Quiz Competition in Cotton University, held on 15th September '18, students form Physics Department, Abhishek Roy and Manab Jyoti Bordoloi both from 6th semester Major Course participated successfully.
- The Annual published Wall Magazine "WAVE" was inaugurated on the usual date on 5th September, 2018 on the occasion of Teacher's day.
- Two Passed out students from Physics department Ruby Deka and Miriganka Buragohain joined as part time faculty in Physics department after completion of their higher studies ie, M.Se. in Physics and when became qualified for the job.

### Department of Zoology

- Celebration of world Environment Day on 5th June, 2018 in the Pub-Guwahati High School. Essay writing and Extempore speech competition among the students of the school was held. Prizes were distributed.
- World Tourism Day, 27th September, 2018 was celebrated by the Department. Dr. Ranjita Devi, Associate Professor of Department of Physics delivered a lecture on Tourism and North East.
- The 6th Semester students visited the Muga Research Centre, Boko, Kamrup.
- The 5th Semester students went for Excursion to Kaziranga National Park, accompanied by Dr. D. Kakati as the teacher in charge.
- The students and teachers of the Department paid tribute to Dr. Bhupen Hazarika on 5th November.
- Students Seminar was organized for soft Skill development of the students in the Department.
- The Department shifted to the newly constructed RCC Building under RUSA grant in November, 2018.



Academic Audit team in Guwahati College



Principal with NCC Cadets on Republic Day



Meeting of the teachers and representatives of adopted village



Celebration of World Environment Day in Collaboration with Pub-Guwahati High School.



Trekking Programme Undertaken by NSS Unit



A talk organised by ZSA, Guwahati College Unit



Flag Hoisting at the college Premises on Independence Day



Celebration of Matribhasha Divas



Students of the Summer Internship Programme by NSS Unit



Awareness Programme on World AIDS Day



Wall Painting by NSS Unit in Swachhata Pakhwada Programme



Release of the College Magazine





## Golden Jubilee Celebration of Guwahati College Teachers' Unit



Guwahati College Teachers' Unit which completed glorious 50 Years since the time of its inception organised a day long programme on 28th Oct, 2018 as a part of its Golden Jubilee celebration. The opening session was started with hoisting of flags and lighting of lamp followed by speech of renowned educationist, former VC of Gauhati University Dr, Amarjyoti Choudhury, Dr. Dharmendra Nath, General Secretary, Assam College Principals' Council, Mr. Himangshu Maral, General Secretary, Assam College Teachers' Association. Welcome speech to the delegates was delivered by Dr. Pranab Sandilya, Principal, Guwahati College. A meeting was held with the existing and retired teachers' of the college in the second half. Sri Prabhat Sarma, a renowned flutist of Assam opened the cultural programme in the evening. The performance of renowned invited artists Mrs. Mitai Dey, Mrs. Tarali Sarma and Mrs. Jina Rajkumari enchanted a large gathering present in the cultural evening. Performances given by few present and past students of the college were also highly appreciated by the audience. Mr. Biswajit Nath, a famous actor performed an one act play under the direction of Mr. Naren Patgiri, Associate Professor of Department of History. A souvenir entitled 'Xonali Xudin', edited by Dr. Arup Kumar Nath and Mr. Kaushik Hazarika was also inaugurated. The executive Committee decided to publish a publication titled ' Adhunik Axomiya Chinta' and the editorial responsibility was entrusted to Mr. Dibya Ranjan Sarma Khatoniar, Mr. Naren Patgiri and Dr. Dharani Lahan.

## EDUCATION MINISTER VISITS GUWAHATI COLLEGE



The ground floor of the Annexure building at the college was inaugurated by Hon'ble Education Minister Shri Siddhartha Bhattacharyya on 24th August, 2018. The building to be constructed by partially using RUSA grants to the college. The Minister also formally inaugurated the open stage in the college campus on this occasion. The education Minister's thought provoking lecture on the occasion threw light on the state Government's helpful attitude towards institution of higher learning in the state.

## From the Principal's Desk...



Dr. Pranab Sandilya, Principal I feel privileged to lead such an exciting and vibrant college, which offers great opportunities for the young people of the region. It is our goal to make each and every student succeed. We offer our students the best possible opportunities to become confident, thoughtful young people of the country who are prepared for any future challenges, in an exciting and an ever changing intellectual world. 2018 has been another busy year with many changes. It is an exciting time, as change is the new norm. We have a great team of teachers which thrives on change, diversity and progress to lead the young minds of our college. My heartiest congratulations to all members of the college fraternity for their efforts in giving shape to our dream of building a strong institution with the hope to improve and excel with every passing day.

## EDITORIAL

During its continued journey in search of excellence Guwahati College has had several proud moments in different fields of activities which are attempted to be documented in this small endeavour in the form of a Bulletin. The responsibility to edit the College Bulletin was bestowed on us. We are happy to carry out the work with sincere effort. This Bulletin highlights all the remarkable events organized inside and outside the college campus by various departments individually and collectively in the last academic year 2018. We would like to express our heartfelt gratitude to Dr. Pranab Sandilya, Principal of our college, each member of the teaching and other staff of the college for their cooperation and support in preparation of this Bulletin. We extend special thanks to Anujay Saikia, D.R.S. Khataniar, Kaushik Hazarika & Rajkumari Sujata Singha for their active involvement in this process.

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