



**S. P. Mandal's
ARTS AND COMMERCE COLLEGE,
RAIBAG-591317**

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Shikshan Prasarak Mandal, Raibag has been growing consistently with four degree colleges, three post graduate centres (M.Com, M.A in History and M.P.Ed P.G. Centre), ten pre university colleges, ten high schools, a D.Ed college, a B.P.Ed college, a B.Ed college and one Visual Arts College under its umbrella.

Hon'ble Late Shri Vasanthrao Patil (Abaji) is the founding force behind the institution. He was inspired by the ideals of Hon'ble Shri Shahu Maharaj and Mahatma Jyotibha Phule. The companionship of Jayaprakash Narayan, Barrister Balasaheb Kharadekar, Dr. M. R. Desai and other senior contemporaries inspired, boosted and encouraged him.

Arts College was established in the year 1974 as a result of the sincere efforts by the hon'ble Late Shri Vasanthrao Patil Aba, and the college was converted to Arts and Commerce College with the establishment of commerce department in 1979. The institution was given a permanent affiliation by Karnatak University, Dharwad in the year 1996-97. The institution was reaccredited with "B++" Grade by National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC), an autonomous body under University Grants Commission (UGC) in its third cycle in the year 2016-17.

The construction of women's hostel is completed which was a result of the special concern that the Hon'ble Aba had on girls. The seminar hall and counseling cell halls are constructed under the 11th plan. Three class rooms are constructed on the first floor under the 12th plan and with the completion of the construction of the indoor sports training complex, various indoor sports activities are on a roll.

Hon'ble Barrister Shri Amarasimha V Patil (Anna) had set a record for being elected at a very young age as the first president of the newly formed District

Parishad of Belagavi district at the time of its inception in the year 1983. It was a commendable achievement. He has always been an inspiration to us as the chairperson and has been a guiding force in managing the institution and his experience of serving as a Member of Parliament (M.P) in Belagavi constituency has been a great help to us. It is indeed a privilege to have an eminent personality who is well educated, politically active, creative administrator and an educationist as our guiding force. It is also a matter of immense happiness that Hon'ble Shri Trikal Patil, the son of Hon'ble Shri Amarasimha V Patil is our president who is always cheerful and full of energy and leading us from the front. At present, there are 40 educational institutes run by the Shikshan Prasaran Mandal.

In the current academic year, the student union was reformed on the merit basis by picking the chits to increase the academic quality of our students. The secretaries were elected at 10.30 am on 26-02-2021 and the faculties were appointed as presidents for the cells/units. The details are as below:

Sl. No.	Cell / Units	President	Secretary
1	Student Union	Prof. M G Vibhuti	Miss. Mala Odeyar BA-3
2	Literary Association	Dr. Y B Himmadi	Miss. Sujata Kurlacchi B.Com-2
3	Cultural Union	Prof. R J Basanaik	Miss. Kavita Kannannavar B.Com-2
4	Debate Union	Prof. Laxmi L Pujeri	Miss. Bhakti Patil BA-2
5	Social Science Association	Prof. N Y Momin	Miss. Gayatri Dabbannavar BA-2
6	Annual Magazine / Prasaranga (Educational)	Dr. Y B Himmadi	Miss. Swetha Patil B.Com-3
7	Library / Basic Educational Facility	Mr. P S Kamble	Miss. Nikitha Sanadi BA-2
8	Sports Union	Dr. P R Ramtheertha	Mr. Souraba Kocheri B.Com-1
9	Ladies Union	Prof V K Dodamani	Miss. Gayatri Godake BA-3
10	Students Welfare and Guidance Cell	Prof I S Gokak	Miss. Priyanka Gadkari BA-3
11	Moral Education Cell	Prof S T Dhanode	Miss. Kaveri Sutar B.Com-1
12	Human Rights Cell	Prof R S Gudodagi	Miss Vijayalaxmi Anagol BA-1
13	SC / ST Cell	Dr. Y B Himmadi	Miss. Sonali Bhonsle BA-3

Students Union :

The 74th Independence Day was celebrated on 15th of August 2020. Prof. K. V. Patil, Principal of SPM Law College, Raibag was invited as the chief guest. Prof. Patil paid tributes to the freedom fighters who sacrificed their lives for the freedom of the country in his speech and gave a call to follow the ideals of the freedom fighters. Prof. P B Munyal was the president of the programme. All the faculty and the students were present in the programme.

The 72nd Republic day was celebrated on 26th January 2021. Honourable Shri Trikal A Patil, the president of the Shikshan Prasarak Mandal was the chief guest of the programme and the unfurled the national flag. Prof Kiran V Patil, Principal, SPM Law College, Raibag was invited as a guest. Prof. P. B. Munyal was the president of the programme. Mrs. S. S. Singadi, the secretary of our organization was also present in the event. All the faculty and the students were present in the programme.

The inaugural ceremony of the students association for the academic year 2020-21 was held on 27/02/2021. Dr. N R Patil, Principal, Government First Grade College, Sadalaga was invited as the chief guest. Dr Patil in his speech stressed on the importance of personality development in students. He gave many anecdotes of the great personalities and the situations they had faced. Mrs S S Singadi, the secretary, SPM, Raibag presided over the event. Our principal, Prof P B Munyal, welcomed the guests. Prof L L Pujeri anchored the event.

The 75th Independence Day was celebrated on 15th Of August 2021. Prof. Kiran V Patil, Principal of SPM Law College, Raibag was invited as the chief guest. Prof. Patil paid tributes to the freedom fighters who sacrificed their lives for the freedom of the country in his speech and gave a call to follow the ideals of the freedom fighters keeping in view the recent developments of the nation. Prof. P B Munyal was the president of the programme. All the faculty and the students were present in the programme.

On 21st August 2021, “Azadi ka Amrut Mahotsava” was celebrated at the college by the students association in collaboration with Nehru Yuva Kendra, Belagavi. A road show was organized as a part of the event. Prof P B Munyal, the principal presided over the event.

A farewell programme for the final year BA/BCom students and the cash prize distribution ceremony for the top scorers in the university examinations of the previous year was held on 08/09/2021. Prof V S Hampannavar Associate Professor, MES Arts and Commerce College, Mudalagi was the chief guest of the event. He distributed the prizes and asked the students to inculcate the skills of personality development to keep them updated in the present competitive scenario. The president of the programme, Prof P B Munyal advocated the students to cultivate skills and to actively involve in research activities of higher education. Ms Mala Wadeyar, a final year student proposed the vote of thanks.

Bharat Scouts and Guides Unit/Eco Club:

Global Environment Day was celebrated on 05th June 2021 by planting saplings by these units. Prof B S Kulloli, Department of MSW, Karnatak University P G Centre, Gadag was invited as the chief guest. Prof P B Munyal, Principal, Prof S T Dhanode and others participated in the event.

Department of Library:

Library Day was celebrated on 12/08/2020 by the department of library. The chief guest of the programme, Prof K V Patil, Principal, SPM Law College, Raibag opined that Library is a sacred place of knowledge for the overall development of the students personality. Our Principal, Prof P B Munyal presided over the event and our library staff, Shri. P S Kamble was also present at the event.

Library Day was celebrated on 12/08/2021 by organizing a book exhibition and obeisance was paid to Dr S R Ranganath on the occasion. Dr Talawar, HOD, Department of Political Science, Shivanand College, Kagawad was the chief guest of the occasion and said that library is a treasure house of knowledge and every book serves every reader in their quest for knowledge. He advised the students to make the best use of the library. Prof P B Munyal, the Principal opined that the books are the assets of every reader in his presidential remarks. All the faculty and students were present in the programme.

Moral Education Unit:

A book distribution programme was organized by the Ethical Education Cell on 06/03/2021. Shri. B A Nilajagi of Jai Gurudev Ashram, Byakud was the chief guest and gave call to students to cultivate discipline and ethics to build a healthy society. Books on spirituality were distributed to students. Prof P B Munyal was the president of the event.

SC/ST Cell:

A special lecture was organized by the SC/ST cell on 10/03/2021. The top scorers of SC/ST communities were honoured as a part of the event. Prof Manohar Kamble, Lecturer, Government Pre University College, Jalalpur was invited as the chief guest. Prof Kamble gave information about the facilities available to the students of backward communities and urged the students to make the best use of the facilities and to pursue higher education with hard work. Prof P B Munyal was the president of the occasion.

Youth Red Cross/Scouts and Guides Wing:

An awareness programme on “Road Safety” was organized by the Youth Red Cross and Scouts and Guides wing on 02/02/2021. Shri. Bharam Odeyar from police department was invited as the chief guest. Shri. Odeyar spoke on the need to follow the rules of road safety. Prof P B Munyal presided over the event. The coordinators of Youth Red Cross and Scouts and Guides along with all the faculty and students were present in the event.

A programme of great importance titled, “Oxygen Challenge” was jointly organized by the alumni association, Akhila Bharat Vidyarthi Parishad, Raibag, Youth Red Cross and Scouts and Guides on 19/06/2021. The programme was started with the planting of the saplings. Prof R Y Yamagar, an alumni spoke on the need to conserve nature. He gave a call to actively participate in creating and maintaining a green and sustainable environment. The faculty, alumni, ABVP secretary, Mr Nagaraj Nayik and members participated in the event which was presided by the principal, Prof P B Munyal.

Women Empowerment Cell/Ladies Union:

A special lecture was organized by the Women Empowerment Cell on 13/03/2021 to commemorate the Women's day celebrations. Prof Shoba Patil, Lecturer in Kannada, Government First Grade College, Raibag was invited as the resource person. She suggested the students to develop their personalities and spoke on the opportunities and the challenges for women in the present era of globalization. Prof P B Munyal, principal was the president of the programme. Prof V K Dodamani narrated the programme.

Department of Commerce:

A special lecture on "Growth of Entrepreneurship" was organized by the department of Commerce in association with Shivashakti Sugars Limited, Savadatti. Shri. S P Nippani, Chief Finance Officer, Shivashakti Sugars Limited, Savadatti, Shri. N S Mulla, Chief Executive Officer, Shri. B S Mudhol, Manager (HR) were the resource persons for the lecture. The resource persons elaborated on the skills required for developing entrepreneurship and the methods needed to be employed by quoting lot of examples from the corporate world. The programme was presided by the principal, Prof P B Munyal. All the faculty and students from the commerce department attended the event.

A special lecture on Income Tax titled, "Income Tax from House Property", was organized under Faculty Exchange Programme on 15-02-2021. Prof B G Kankanwadi, HOD, Department of Commerce, AIEGI Bagewadi College, Nippani delivered the special lecture. Final year students of B.Com attended the special lecture.

Teacher Parent Association:

A Free health camp was held from 17-02-2021 to 09-03-2021 by the teacher parent club with Karnataka Magnetic Health Service Association, Tumkur. The inauguration of the camp was on 19-02-2021. Principal Prof P B Munyal, Mr Ghanti, Shri. V P Sali and Smt. Baloji were present in the inaugural ceremony. Shri. Ramesh K instructed on the ways to enhance the physical fitness using Magnetic Therapy. The general public made use of this opportunity and the image of the institution was boosted among the public.

TQM and HRD Unit:

An Orientation Programme for the first year BA/B.Com students was conducted on 23-02-2021. Prof S T Dhanode and Prof M G Vibhuti were the resource persons who spoke on the amenities of the college, academic and extra-curricular activities of the college. The president of the event, Prof P B Munyal, suggested the students to maintain discipline and to follow the guidelines of the college.

Department of Political Science:

Constitution Day was celebrated on 26/11/2020 at our institution. Prof Vaishali S Bilagi, Assistant Professor, KLE Law College, Chikodi was the resource person. The resource person brought out the significance and relevance of our constitution through the question, “Why we need the constitution?” Prof P B Munyal, the president of the event said that Constitution is the soul of the nation in his presidential speech. Prof M G Vibhuti anchored the event. All the faculty and students participated in the event.

National Voters Day was celebrated on 25-01-2021 by the department of Political Science in association with Electoral Literacy Club (ELC) and Voters Awareness Forum (VAF) of the college. Prof R Y Yamagar, Lecturer, Chougale Degree College, Raibag was the resource person and said that Voting is everybody’s right in his speech. Prof P B Munyal presided over the event. All the faculty and students participated in the event.

Department of Sports:

A special lecture, “The importance of Exercise in everyday life” was organized by the department of Sports on 12-01-2021. Prof B S Mutnal, Physical Education Director, Chousans Education College, Chikodi was invited as the resource person. Prof P B Munyal presided over the event. Dr P R Ramtheertha, Physical Education Director invited the guests and Prof R S Gododagi anchored the event.

International Yoga Day was organized on 21-06-2021. As a part of the event, a special lecture, “Yoga – Freedom from diseases” was delivered by Prof R K Patil, Principal, SPM Physical Education College, Raibag. He also demonstrated the simple postures of Yoga. Principal, all the faculty and students took part in the event.

Sports Day was celebrated on 30-08-2021 on the occasion of the birthday of Major Dhyanchand. Prof V S Desai, Lecturer, SPM Physical Education College, Raibag was the resource person. He spoke on the life and achievements of Major Dhyanchand and said that Major Dhyanchand emerged as the star of sports world. Prof P R Ramateertha, the working president of Sports wing anchored the event. Prof S T Dhanode presided over the event.

Cultural Union:

Teacher’s day was celebrated on 05/09/2021 to mark the occasion of the birth anniversary of Dr S Radhakrishnan. Prof P B Munyal advised the teachers to be a model for the society in his presidential remarks. Prof Kiran Patil, principal, SPM Law College, Raibag spoke on the contributions of Dr S Radhakrishnan to education. Ms Saraswati Alakanoor anchored the programme and Prof M G Vibuthi proposed the vote of thanks.

Varasiddhi Vinayak programme was organized on 22/08/2020 and all the faculty attended the event.

On 02/10/2020, Mahatma Gandhi and Lal Bahadur Shastri Jayanti was celebrated. Prof P B Munyal spoke on the ideals of both the great personalities and suggested the students to follow the principles of Non-violence, truth and integrity and that no law is needed if we follow the principles of Gandhiji. The faculty and the students participated in the programme.

Valmiki Jayanti was celebrated on 31/10/2020 with the principal and faculty participating in it.

Karnataka Rajyothsava was celebrated on 01/11/2020. Prof R K Patil, Principal, SPM Physical education College, Raibag was invited as the chief guest. He spoke on the importance of Kannada language and its scope. Prof P B Munyal

asked the students to be proud of Kannada in his presidential address. All the faculty were present in the programme.

Kanaka Jayanti was celebrated on 03-12-2020 with Prof Ashok Kamble, principal, B Shankaranand Arts and Commerce College, Kudachi being the chief guest. He opined that Kanakadasa tried to rectify the society through his songs and music and has contributed in a great manner. Prof P B Munyal said that the messages of Kanakadasa are relevant in the present scenario in his presidential remarks. All the faculty and students participated in the programme.

The birth anniversary of the mother of education, Savitribai Phule was celebrated on 04/01/2021. Prof P B Munyal presided over the event and spoke on the immense contributions of Savitribai Phule in enhancing the social status of women through education. All the faculty and students participated in the celebrations. The event was anchored by our student, Mr Siddu Odeyar.

Swami Vivekananda Jayanti was organized in collaboration with Pandit Deena Dayal Upadhyay chair, Rani Channamma University, Belagavi on 12/01/2021. A state level special lecture was organized with Dr Harshavardhan Sheelavant being the resource person. He opined that Swami Vivekananda introduced Indian culture to the world and asked the students to follow the principles of Purity, Patience and determination. Prof P B Munyal was the president of the event with all the faculty and students taking part in the event.

The birth anniversary of Dr B R Ambedkar was celebrated on 14/04/2021. Our principal, Prof P B Munyal spoke on the life and ideals of Ambedkar and urged the students to follow those ideals. All the faculty and students took part in the event.

Jagajyothi Basaveshwara Jayanti was celebrated on 14/05/2021. Our principal, Prof P B Munyal and Prof S T Dhanode along with the faculty participated in the celebration.

Teachers Day was celebrated on 05/09/2021 with Prof P B Munyal presiding over the event. He spoke on the academic achievements of Sarvapalli Radhakrishnan. All the faculty and students participated in the event.

Gajananotsava was organized by the cultural forum on 10/09/2021. Prof P B Munyal performed the rites of the Ganesha idol with the faculty and students participating in it.

Research committee/Social Science Club:

A one day workshop, “Social Science Research: An Analysis” was organized on 09/09/2021 with Dr B M Turadagi, HOD, Department of Political Science, JSS College, Gokak invited as the resource person. He elaborated on the various stages of Social Science Research. Prof P B Munyal was the president of the programme.

IQAC Cell:

A National workshop, “Professional Competency Techniques for NAAC related Quality Enhancement” was organized on 13/02/2021 with Dr N S Dharmadhikari Pune invited as resource person. Mrs S S Singadi, secretary, SP Mandal presided over the event. Principal, Prof P B Munyal welcomed the guests, Prof S T Dhanode rendered the vote of thanks and Prof L M Hirekodi anchored the event.

A national webinar on “Learning approaches and opportunities during Covid Pandemic” was organized by the department of English on 18/06/2021 with Dr D Prasannakumar of KLE RL Law College, Belagavi being the resource person. Prof P B Munyal presided over the webinar with more than 100 faculties from various colleges participating in it.

A national webinar on “Impact of Covid-19 on various sectors of Indian Economy” was organized by the department of Economics with Prof P M Chougala, Principal, SPM’s SGS Arts and Commerce College, Madabhavi being the resource person on 25/06/2021. Prof P B Munyal presided over the webinar with more than 150 faculties from various colleges participating in it.

A one day workshop was jointly organized by IQAC cell and Deshpande Skilling, Hubballi on 24/08/2021. Shri. Mallikarjun Patil, Program Manager, Deshpande Foundation, Hubballi spoke on the skills to be implemented by the

students for the development of personality and the importance of these skills in enhancing employment opportunities. Prof P B Munyal was the president of the event.

A one day workshop on “RAF NAAC: Documentation Opportunities and Challenges” was organized by IQAC cell on 02/09/2021. Dr P B Naragund, Associate Professor and IQAC coordinator, SVES Arts and Commerce College, Harugeri was invited as the chief guest. He spoke on the revised accreditation procedures and its various stages in detail. Prof P B Munyal presided over the event with all the faculties participating in it.

A one day workshop, “New trends in ICT based teaching techniques” was organized by IQAC on 04/09/2021 for the faculty. Prof R B Gudasi, Government First Grade College, Raibag was invited as the resource person. He spoke on the role of teachers in using technology for enhancing the quality of higher education. Prof P B Munyal presided over the event with all the faculties participating in it.

A one day workshop on “Structure of Higher Education in NEP-2020” was organized by IQAC on 18-09-2021. Prof Chethan Raj B, Assistant Professor, Government First Grade College, Mudalagi was invited as the resource person. He explained the structure of NEP and the methods of selecting optional subjects for the first year BA/B.Com students. Prof P B Munyal presided over the event with all the faculties participating in it.

National Service Scheme (NSS):

A programme to commemorate Quit India Movement was organized on 28/08/2020. Prof P B Munyal presided over the event. Prof I S Gokak and Prof S T Dhanode were present. NSS officer, Dr Y B Himmadi gave the introductory speech. Ms Surekha Kotre anchored the event and Mr Deepak Nayik rendered the vote of thanks.

National Sports Day was celebrated on 29/08/2020 on the birthday of Major Dhyanchand. Prof P B Munyal was the president. NSS officer, Dr Y B Himmadi and Prof I S Gokak were present at the event. Mr Deepak Nayik anchored the event

Teachers day was celebrated on 05/09/2020. Prof P B Munyal was the president. NSS officer Dr Y B Himmadi delivered the introductory speech.

NSS day was celebrated on 24/10/2020 with Dr Y B Himmadi presiding over the event. Prof I S Gokak was also present in the event.

Two volunteers, Ms Surekha Kotre and Mr Nandish Golabhanvi were sent to the pre Republic Day camp on 06/11/2020.

Constitution Day was celebrated on 26/11/2020. Prof A B Nasibi was invited as the chief guest. Prof S T Dhanode presided over the event. NSS officer, Dr Y B Himmadi read the preamble of the Indian Constitution. Prof I S Gokak was present in the event. Ms Priyanka Uppar anchored and Ms Surekha Kotre rendered the vote of thanks.

An awareness programme on AIDS was organized on 01/12/2020 along with an awareness Jatha and health camp. Dr J J kulkarni was invited as the chief guest. Prof P B Munyal presided over the event with NSS officer Dr Y B Himmadi delivering the introductory speech. Mr Deepak Nayik anchored and Mr Siddu Kotre rendered the vote of thanks.

Our NSS officer, Dr Y B Himmadi participated in the one day workshop on “The harmful effects of tobacco and its products” under the District tobacco control programme on 11/12/2020.

A special lecture was organized on International Women’s Day on 08/03/2021. Miss Shilpa Ghenannavar of Karnataka State Akkamahadevi Women’s university, Vijayapura was invited as the chief guest. Our principal, Prof P B Munyal presided the event. NSS officer Dr Y B Himmadi welcomed the guests and delivered the introductory speech. Ms Priyanka Uppar anchored the event and Ms Surekha Kotre proposed the vote of thanks.

A free vaccination campaign was organized on 03/07/2021 for the faculty and students by the Taluk health and family welfare department. Prof P B Munyal presided over the event. NSS officer Dr Y B Himmadi and Assistant Officer Prof I S Gokak were in charge of the event.

A cleanliness drive and a running campaign was organized as a part of the Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsava on 14/08/2021. Prof P B Munyal presided over the

event. NSS officer Dr Y B Himmadi delivered the introductory speech. Prof S T Dhanode and Prof I S Gokak were present during the event.

Saplings were planted on 15/08/2021 to mark the Amrit Mahotsav of Indian independence. Prof P B Munyal was the president of the event. Dr Y B himmadi and Prof I S Gokak were present for the event.

National Sadbhavna Divas was organized on 21/08/2021. NSS officer Dr Y B Himmadi presided over the event. Prof A B Nasibi and Prof I S Gokak were present during the programme.

NCC Unit :

The NCC Unit conducted the activities during the academic year 2020-21.

1. On the basis of online celebrated International Yoga Day on 21/06/2020 by students and staff.
2. NCC cadets are participated in the celebration of 15th Aug 2020 by maintaining Covid-19 rules.
3. NCC Unit organized the “Swacch Bharat Abhiyana” on account of 2nd October 2020 and cleaned the college campus.
4. 76 NCC cadets are participated in CATC camp at Belagavi from 24/10/2021 to 02/11/2021. Our college NCC cadet Shri Anil Mane got the Gold Medal in ‘Firing Competition’
5. Our 3 NCC cadet are participated at All India Teaching camp at Kolhapur conducted from 27/11/2021 to 04/12/2021 and show the best performance.
6. 53 NCC cadets are appeared the ‘**B Certificate**’ examination held at Belagavi on 21/02/2021.
7. 6 NCC cadets appeared the ‘**C Certificate**’ examination held on 27/02/2021.

Our NCC Unit is dynamic and actively functioning overall activities of college social activities to build up National Integration.

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