Report of Alumni Committee (2018-19)



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The Association of MCM DAV Alumni (AMDA) organized the annual Alumni Meet 'Rendezvous and Reminiscences 2018', on 17th November, 2018, befitting the golden jubilee celebration of the college. The meet ushered in a new dawn of hope with its theme of "Sustainability: Weaving threads of Identity, Creativity and Joy' aiming to understand issues pertaining to climate change, organic food, green packaging, water conservation in conjunction with matters/questions about whether everybody has equal access to the basic amenities, time for recreation and leisure, inclination towards creativity and much more. The theme symbolizes the vision that the AMDA has for the society and the nation. The meet was well attended by more than 100 alumni and retired faculty of the college.

At the Meet, two events were directed at conveying the message of sustainable lifestyle. 'Sugandh', a musical parody was enacted to portray the stories of ordinary men, women and groups who are working towards protecting the environment and culture or facilitating social and/ or economically sustainable way of life in India.

A stall was set up to showcase and sell the work of underprivileged women by 'PhilARThropy', a non-profit collective, endeavour to add to the income of the local women by teaching them art, digitising their work and then putting them on merchandise. The exhibit 'Org-art-ic' was an attempt to help PhilARThropy, by bearing the cost of the merchandise manufacturer.



Cake cutting ceremony to celebrate 50 years of the college



Guests and worthy Principal at the art exhibit



Mother daughter duo who are MCM alumni with worthy Principal



'Sugandh' a musical parody by the students of MCM depicting the theme of the meet



Worthy Principal welcoming Dr Binu Dogra, Principal, PGGCG 42 and an alumna of the college

The meet ended on an electrifying musical note with a band performance by a celebrated English rock band 'Four Failures', ushering in the idea of sustainability through musical representations of the ethos from maestros across time.

On 16th November, 2018, AMDA was registered as a trust at the office of the Registrar, sector 17, Chandigarh at Serial No. 4976, Book NO: 1, Volume No: 266, Page No: 59

Ms. Mita Vashisht (Theatre and Cine personality), an alumna of the college was honoured at "Festival Celebrating Unity", a mega event organized by the DAV united from 21st December to 23rd December, 2018 at Indira Gandhi National Centre for arts, New Delhi.

The alumni committee organized a workshop on sustainable urban farming at Carmel Convent School, sector 9, Chandigarh to spread the awareness about organic farming amongst the school children on 20th August, 2018.