



# NEWSLETTER 2015-2016



## Principal's Desk :

A journey has just begun, with a span of just one year for a new college. Now the time has come when we look back at what we have achieved and what were our toughest

hurdles in the year gone by.

Let us enrich ourselves with the wisdom and experiences of yesterday, and wait for brighter days ahead.

## Salient College Events of the Past Days at a glance:

Before Official Inauguration of the College

- ❖ Online procedure for **admission to the 1st Year B.A. / B.Sc. students for 2015-16** academic session began on and from 9th June, 2015.
- ❖ From 15th June, 2015 onwards, purchase of necessary office-equipments and other necessary articles was initiated.

## College Inauguration

- ❖ On 16th July, 2015, this **college was officially inaugurated by our**



**Honourable Chief Minister Ms. Mamata Banerjee**, who named the institution after **Sister Nivedita**.

## A meaningful Journey Started.

- ❖ Admission process started on and from 11th August 2015.
- ❖ On 15th August, 2015, **Independence Day** was celebrated in the college premises.





- ❖ On 20th August, 2015, **Induction lecture** was given by **Principal Professor, Krishna Roy** in the **Orientation Programme** for the first year students. Classes officially commenced on and from 21st August, 2015.
- ❖ On 29th August, 2015, a **cultural programme** was organized by the fresh batch of students.
- ❖ On 07th September, 2015, the **Teachers' Day** was celebrated – For this year felicitation to the students was given by the teachers themselves. Students also celebrated Teachers' Day and Raksha Bandhan.
- ❖ On 18th September, 2015, the **Library Reading Room** was opened to the students. On the same day, the **Registration of the students with the Calcutta University** was also completed.



- ❖ The name of the college was officially recognized as **SISTER NIBEDITA GOVERNMENT GENERAL DEGREE COLLEGE FOR GIRLS**, according to G.O.: 55Edn(A/NGC)10M-121/12 dt 18.09.15
- ❖ Parent-Teacher meeting was organized on 29-09-15 after a Preliminary Test.
- ❖ On 6th October, 2015, an **Essay Competition** for the students was organized on the topic "Sister Nivedita's contributions towards education in India". The word limit was 1000.
- ❖ **From 30/11/2015- 3/12/2015: Mid-term Examination was conducted for the 1st yr B.A/ B.Sc students. The**

**results were declared on 8th Dec, 2015.**

- ❖ Feedback from students on academic issues was received on 08-12-15 and 15-12-15.



- ❖ On 21st December, 2015, the **Annual College Sports** took place on the college ground. Dr. A. N. Dey, Director, School Education, NSOU, acted as the chief guest in the programme.



- ❖ Books are being lent to students overnight on and from 22-01-16.
- ❖ On 26th January, 2016, **Republic Day** was celebrated in the college premises.
- ❖ Celebration of International Mother Language Day and International Women's Day on 15-03-16.



- ❖ Participation of B.Sc. Geology Honours First Year students accompanied by Dr. S. Chakrabarti, Head, Department of Geology in 1-day Seminar on the occasion of **World Water Day** on the theme **“Water & Jobs”** at the Lincoln Room, American Centre, 38A, Jawaharlal Nehru Road, Kolkata-700071 on **22nd March, 2016**.
- ❖ Participation of B.Sc. Geology Honours First Year students (session 2015-18) accompanied by Dr. S. Chakrabarti, Head, Department of Geology in the day long Conference on **“Sustainable Development and Management of Ground Water Resources, its Remedial Measures for Emerging Crisis and Climate Change in West Bengal”** on 28-03-2016 at Rabindra Tirtha, New Town, Kolkata - 700156 in connection with **Jal Kranti Abhiyan 2015-16**; Presentation of Paper by Dr. S. Chakrabarti.



- ❖ A cultural program was organized for celebration of **Rabindra Jayanti** by the teachers, pupils and office staff members on 9th May, 2016.
- ❖ Calcutta University Task force committee visited our college on 24-05-16 and approved both Honours and General courses for Food and Nutrition at the undergraduate level.
- ❖ A good number of students have availed scholarship and stipends through **KANYASREE PRAKALPO**, Swami Vivekananda Merit cum Means Scholarship, Government of West Bengal and

Scholarship from Ministry of Minority Affairs, Government of India.

- ❖ Annual college magazine **KRISTI** has been made ready for release on the ensuing college foundation day 16th July 2016.



### **SEMINAR / WORKSHOP**

- ❖ **1st August, 2015:** Principal, Professor Krishna Roy delivered a lecture on **“Career Advancement Scheme under UGC Regulation 2010”** on a special Seminar.
- ❖ **15th September, 2015:** A workshop on Financial purchase policy, E-tendering, E-Pradan and allied issues concerning financial affairs of college employees was held. The speaker was Mr. Debasis Datta, Deputy Finance Advisor, Department of Higher Education, West Bengal.
- ❖ **19th November, 2016:** A special mock exercise / training and workshop was arranged in the college premises and also in the adjacent grassy land for earth quake management by the Department of Diaster Management, West Bengal.



- ❖ **15th December, 2015:** A library workshop was conducted for the



development of a new college library, by Smt. Gopa Sinha Roy, Librarian, Institute of Education for Women, Hastings House for the benefit of faculty members.

❖ **9th February, 2016 :**  
Pidilite Workshop for Students.

❖ **23rd February, 2016 :**  
Student Awareness Camp organised by SBI, Alipore Branch.

❖ **March 2016 :**  
**Special Orientation Lecture-Series** arranged successively on different dates in the college for motivating students in field and laboratory techniques of Geology by Dr. Sudipta Lahiri, Former Deputy Director General, Geological Survey of India (GSI), North-Eastern Region, Shillong.

❖ **15th March, 2016 :**  
Dr. Soumitra Basu, Professor, Rabindra Bharati University delivered a special lecture

on the occasion of International Mother Language Day.



❖ **05th April, 2016 :**  
Dr. S. Chakrabarti, Head, Department of Geology delivered the first seminar talk as a part of in-house Lecture Series for Quality Improvement of teachers on “**Our Imperiled Environment: The Exemplar of Fluoride Pollution in Purulia District, West Bengal.**”

