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TRAINING SHIP RAHAMAN **(Nautical Education & Training)**

Capt Prakash Joag delivered career guidance lecture on Merchant Navy in our campus on 31st January to the school children.



Pre Sea students participated in Cricket & Soccer Tournaments held in our campus on 31st January.



Capt N P Singh, Capt Tetsuya Hakozaiki & Capt Koichiro Kimura, NYK Ship Management visited campus on 6th February.



“SHRI AMBIKA YOG KUTIR” YOGA Training Programme conducted in our campus for faculty & trainees on 6th February.



GP Ratings Batch 60 & CCMC Ratings Batch 23 appeared for Board of Examination for Seafarers Trust (BEST) Exit Examination on 23rd December 2017 their results were declared on 7th February.

Capt. Ashis Kumar Dass, MITSUI OSK Lines conducted Online test for Third Year BSc Nautical Science Cadets batch 11 on 8th February.

Mr. Vincenzo Lovreglio & Capt Kedar Chowdhary, ASTER GULF W.L.L. (Italy) visited campus on 8th February.

Capt K S Varadkar & Capt (Dr) Ashutosh Apandkar attended NMIS Function on 3rd February.



Capt (Dr) Ashutosh Apandkar attended meeting in D G Shipping office on 9th February.

BSc Nautical Science Cadets attended "Exuberance 2018" Seminar at Sfimar, Borivali Mumbai on 9th February.

Capt K S Varadkar attended CMMI Annual Dinner Meet 2018 at Supremo, near Matoshri Sports Complex, Andheri on 10th February.

Six Third Year BSc Nautical Science Cadets reported to MOL, Andheri for a personal interview on 13th February.

MASSA/FOSMA/INSA Maritime Training Institution Benchmarking Audit carried out by Mr. Tejinder Singh, MITSUI O.S.K Lines, Mr Prasad Nayak, Anglo Eastern Ship Management & Mr Pawan Kapoor, ISF Group on 16th February.

Third Year BSc Nautical Science Batch 11 semester V results were declared by University of Mumbai on 17th February.

Capt (Dr) Ashutosh Apandkar attended Departmental Committee Meeting for selection of PhD candidates in IMU, Chennai on 20th February.



Capt S G Bhatnagar attended meeting in University of Mumbai, Kalina on 20th February.

Eng. Emmanuel Gonzalez, Vice Consul General of Panama visited campus to discuss courses for Panama Maritime Authority on 23rd February.

Trekking schedule for Pre Sea students is as follows:-

Sr. No.	Date / Day	Course
1.	20 th to 23 rd February 2018	IMU 17 C
2.	23 rd to 26 th February 2018	BACA
3.	26 th February to 1 st March 2018	FY BSc Nautical Science
4.	01 st to 04 th March 2018	CCMC A
5.	04 th to 07 th March 2018	IMU 17 A
6.	07 th to 10 th March 2018	IMU 17 B
7.	10 th to 13 th March 2018	CCMC B
8.	13 th to 16 th March 2018	GP III
9.	16 th to 19 th March 2018	GP II
10.	19 th to 22 nd March 2018	GP I

Mrs Manisha Sonawane & Ms Charlotte Samson attended 3 days Pilot Programme on “English Communication and Soft Skill course for Maritime Instructors” at Anglo Eastern Maritime Training Centre, Andheri from 26th to 28th February.

Work is in progress for installation of Bio-metric attendance system in conformance with DG Shipping circular 04 of 2018.

Distance Learning programme (DLP) as on February.

SSTP Certificate issued – 11 Candidates.

On Going DLP – 397 Candidates.

Number of Candidates trained in various courses for the month of February 2018 are as follows:

REGULAR STCW & REFRESHER COURSES		
Sr. No.	Courses	Total no. of Candidates
1	PSCRB	43
2	MFA	41
3	PST	140
4	EFA	140
5	ROC & ARPA	09
6	OCTA	23
7	STR	40
8	GTFC	20
9	FRB	08
10	PSCRB Refresher	10
11	PST Refresher	03
12	MFA Refresher	06



Donation collected by Faculty & Pre sea students for medical treatment of Chandra Bahadur son of Mr. Dhan Bahadur, Upholsterer, was handed over to Mr. Prashant Jha, Chief Accounts officer.

Rahaman College of Advanced Maritime Studies and Research (Engineering Education & Training)

Cadets of GME batch 06 are attending Mazgaon Dock Training for the period 8th January till 26th April 2018.

On Saturdays GME students attend classes in the RCAMSAR College and gain first-hand experience on Engine Room mock up. Objective tests are held every week. Cadets are regularly evaluated on the training received by them at the MDL.

Documents for the Course at operational as well as management levels on the Full Mission Engine Room Simulator Training are being prepared for DG Shipping's approval. Mr. V A Kamath visited D G Shipping on 22nd Feb in connection with these courses.

FOSMA and MAASA representatives evaluated GME course based on their pre determined criterion on 16th February.

Mr. RS Rahate and Ms. Anju Kumari attended opening day seminar of "SMP – Inland Waterways World Conference 2018" which had the theme

"Model Shift: Ganga as National Waterways 1" at CIDCO Exhibition Centre, Vashi, Navi Mumbai, on 21st February.





On account of the restrictions imposed by DG Shipping on courses with inadequate intake, TASCO and MEO Class II courses cancelled.

Number of candidates Trained in RCAMSAR in the month of February were as follows:-

AFF	- 64
AFF REFRESHER	- 10
FPFF	- 142
FPFF REFRESHER	- 08
AUGMENTATION	- 137
IOT	- 11

Activities carried out in the Fire Fighting Complex

Routine maintenance of Portable fire extinguishers, SCBA sets, BA cylinders, Fixed Foam and Fixed DCP Systems.

Assistance rendered to 11 candidates undergoing OCTO courses in drills connected with entry in enclosed spaces.

All helmets and chin straps were washed/cleaned and repaired.

Abdul Rashid Academy Of Culinary Arts And Maritime Hospitality (ARACAMH) (Catering & Maritime Hospitality Training)

On 23rd January, Chef Rajendra Agnihotri, who is associated with ITC Hotels as Executive Chef, conducted a food production practical demonstration for FY and SY, BA Culinary Arts students.



Fleet Management Company representatives visited ARACAMH on 24th January to conduct campus interviews of TY BSc MHS students. Mr Sandeep Chote and Mr Chetan Rathod interviewed 45 students out of which they shortlisted 16.

On 25th January, an industrial visit was organized for FY and SY, BA in Culinary Arts students to Morde Chocolate Factory, Gowardhan Milk Dairy and Go Cheese factories. Chef Sunil, Chef Siraj and Chef Silas accompanied them. The industrial visit was a great learning experience on chocolate manufacturing process. The students also acquired first-hand knowledge about processing of milk and cheese.



Final class test of FY and SY BSc MHS was conducted from 5th to 7th February and class tests for FY and SY BA in Culinary Arts students from 6th to 8th February.

STCW courses for CCMC batch 24 (Group A) were conducted from 29th Jan to 10th Feb 2018. The batch attended Ships Security from 19th to 22nd Feb. For batch 24 (Group B) these were conducted from 12th to 24th Feb and the Ships Security Course will be conducted from 19th to 22nd March.

Board of Examinations for Seafarers declared results of CCMC batch 23 (July to December 2017) final examination on 7th Feb; 69 out of 78 students who appeared for the exams were declared successful.

ARACAMH has received the 5th semester mark list of TY BSc MHS batch 7 from the Mumbai University; 54 students had appeared for this test and all have been declared successful. The results have been displayed on the notice board for the students.

On 01st & 02nd Feb, ARACAMH organized a Cocktail & Mocktail demonstration for SY BSc (MHS) students by Mr. Kiran Ghumare, who has worked for many reputed hotels and cruises like "The Oberoes" and Costa Cruises. He is a skilled barman with vast experience on ships. He exhibited different types of cocktails to the students.



The college has signed MOU with MCTC Cyprus through B W Maritime for providing Cooking and Maritime Hospitality training facilities for their candidates.

The first batch of 11 candidates started their training from 3rd and concluded on 10th Feb. Mr Georgia Sua from Philippines conducted this training.

On 03rd Feb, ARACAHM conducted a one day course on (Galley Safety) for Northern Marine with a batch of 5 candidates.

Mr.Haresh, Mr.Silas and Miss Meena accompanied students of SY BSc MHS for an Industrial visit to Sula Winery, Nasik on 09th Feb. They Started journey from the campus at 0630 hours on 09th Feb to reach Sula wines by 12.00 noon. They were conducted around the winery and the guide explained in detail about wine manufacturing process. Students got an opportunity to learn finer points of wine making and taste five of their best wines. The students departed from Nashik at 3:30 PM and returned to the Campus at 8:00 PM.

One week Pre joining Course for cooks with six candidates of MSC was held from 12th to 17th Feb.

On 21st February, Students of the College organised food festival 'Saturnalia 2018' in the Campus. For this year's festival, Mr. Piyush Baurva of TYBSc. MHS as the General Manager, Mr Rajat Singh as the Executive Chef and Mr Shawn Fernandes as the F & B Manager functioned as a team and succeeded in putting up a spectacular show.

The fest was held at 6:00 pm at the volleyball courts, where stalls of Rahaman Fried Chicken, Rolls and Bowls, Biryani, Punjabi, sweets, Mocktail, Pani puri, Chaat, South Indian, Chinese, Ethnic, Swarma and Tandoor were placed at volleyball ground near the Bullock Cart Canteen. There was a DJ too. The Chairman and family attended the food festival.



Twenty Three students of First Year BA in Culinary Arts along with Mr. Silas Hiwale enjoyed a trekking trip to Rajmachi Fort, Lonavla from 23rd to 26th Feb. Students were there for four days participating in various outdoor activities like Rappelling, Rock Climbing, and Cooking etc.

Lady Khatun Marium School & Junior College

Second Preliminary Examination for the students of Std X was conducted from 29th January to 5th February. Open House was organised on 10th February in Pitale Hall to discuss the progress of the wards with their respective parents.

On the occasion of National Science Day on 16th February, a Science Exhibition was organised on the small Parade Ground. The students from Std. V to XI presented various working models using simple scientific technologies. They also demonstrated experiments and displayed scientific temper.

Special Assemblies were conducted on the topics of National Science Day, Shivaji Jayanti, Thomas Edison and on 'Where there is a will, there is way'.

The School issued application forms for Nursery admission from 1st to 13 February 2018. The interaction with the parents for the same was organised on 24th February.

Final Examination for Std XI and Std IX started from 21st February and it will continue till 5th March.

Fatma Banu Hospital

Patients treated in FB Hospital in the month of February:-

Staff	Trainees	Villagers	School	Total
276	270	126	62	734

Twelve children from the Campus were immunised. Thirty six children attended the Well baby clinic

Infrastructure, Repairs and Maintenance

Maintenance staffs carried out the repairs and modification of the rooms in Sagaresh hostel. Quarter no 4A and 4B were readied for accommodating of training faculty. The Welders fabricated staircase railing of School Hostel 'D' Block, Painting of water tanks, Training Work shop, Officers quarters at "The Heights" and "Shop and Go" at Ulwe was also carried out.

Our Welders fabricated the frames for AC outdoor unit at Ulwe shop. Tiling, electrification, water and drainage connection of new Kitchen at Catering College was completed. Fabrication of aluminium sliding windows of first floor at Sagaresh hostel and repairs to the exhaust system and wall fans of Hasham mess kitchen, dining room, Dish washer of Rahaman College kitchen, steam irons of Laundry and tilting pan of Hasham Mess kitchen.

We provided telephone connections to the Warden's room at Sagaresh Hostel and in Sagaresh suites no 07 & 08. The Security Staff, the Welders and the masons replaced fencing near Fire Gate and widened the adjoining road. Repairs of the fencing as well as the retaining wall near Serang Hostel was also undertaken. Concurrently routine maintenance and repairs were undertaken in the hostels and residence.

LKM SCHOOL



SCIENCE EXHIBITION ON NATIONAL SCIENCE DAY



SPECIAL ASSEMBLY ON NATIONAL SCIENCE DAY



SPECIAL ASSEMBLY ON SHIVJAYANTI



SPECIAL ASSEMBLY ON- "WHERE THERE IS A WILL THERE IS A WAY"

Renovation of the computer lab is underway. This warranted shifting of UPS outside the Lab, and fabrication of a larger MS stand for the UPS re-wiring and provision of the Internet connections to 40 computers. The work is currently in progress. Roof over the cold room at Hasham mess has been constructed. Hooks for ceiling fans in Sagarika Hostel have also been fixed.

Maintenance staffs are currently engaged in modifying and renovating of the computer lab at Barnes Academy, replacing and or repairing the GI sheet fencing near Serang Hostel, repairs of the water coolers, RCC columns and beams of Hasham mess building and external painting of Anchorage Bungalow. Painting of Crane hanger at Offshore Centre, painting of staircase wing at 'The Heights', renovation and repairs of first floor cabins of Sagaresh hostel and plastering and wood polishing of buildings at Wolli. Demolition of the Bullock Cart Canteen is underway in anticipation of expansion of Hospital facilities. Cable laying is in progress for a new telephone connection for wardens at Sagarika hostel.

George Campbell Library

With a view to updating library study material (in conformance with recently revised GP Rating syllabus), order for ten additional books has been placed. The Librarian has also downloaded eight e-books from internet from same "recommended" books list.

Eight Research Scholars from the History Department of the Mumbai University visited GC Library and spent half a day in library for their research project on marine history. They praised the library collection especially the rare books. Research Scholars from the Tata Institute of Social Sciences had also visited our library for a similar purpose.

Past issues of Campus Roundabout and Library Monthly Bulletins have been sent for binding. These are an important source of information of historical value.

The concerned departments have been provided with the latest IMO and ILO's recently implemented Regulations. Further the Catalogue of Books - 2018 publications of IMO, Nautical Institute, Witherby Seamanship etc have been downloaded and stored in all library computers for public access.

Marine Museum

In the month of February, apart from the regular visitors, a group of 75 school students from Swami Vivekananda School, Sanpada visited the Museum. A group of nine MA students from the Department of History, University of Mumbai also visited

Important Visitors

February, 2018

6th February:

NYK Ship Management.

Capt. N.P. Singh

Capt. Tetsuya Hakozaki

Capt. Koichiro Kimura

8th February:

Capt. Ashis Kumar Dass, MITSUI OSK Lines

Mr. Vincenzo Lovreglio, ASTER GULF W.L.L. (Italy).

Capt. Kedar Chowdhary, ASTER GULF W.L.L. (Italy).

16th February:

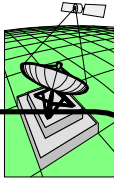
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Future Watch : March, 2018

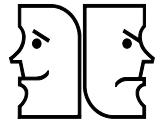
Schedule of Dock visit for GP Rating Batch 61 is as follows :

1. GPI – 14th March.
2. GP II – 15th March .
3. GP III – 20th March.
4. CCMC A – 23rd March.
5. CCMC B – 26th March.

Well baby clinic - 10th and 24th March

Pulse Polio - No Fixed Date

NEW FACES



Mr. Karnadev Mandal, Training Instructor, Training Department with effect from 04th January 2018.



Capt. James Richardson Maddela, Training Faculty, Training Department with effect from 15th January 2018.



Capt. Ajay Kumar, Training Faculty, Training Department with effect from 01st February, 2018.

PRE SEA SECTION

MY EXPERIENCE WHILE TREKKING

The day finally arrived, 20th February 2018, the day scheduled for our trek at Rajmachi. We boarded the bus with mixed feeling of excitement and anxiety; the former, concerning the trek and the latter, regarding the upcoming class test. But the anxiety soon disappeared as soon as we started singing and dancing in the bus. Everyone was enjoying themselves, and this was just the beginning.

The class of IMU 17C, departed from the campus at 1300 hrs, accompanied by our swimming instructor Mr. S K Sharma. Soon we arrived at Lonavala where we were greeted by the trekking instructor, Mr. Arjun and Mr. Jeff. I was very excited about the future events. We began walking towards our campsite which was about 10-12 kms away. It wasn't even an hour's walk, before I felt like giving up. We were exhausted and our water bottles were empty but our curiosity to experience more about this event kept us going. Finally, at 1600 hrs, we reached the campsite. What a relief, to finally rest while Mr. Arjun instructed us about the do's and don'ts to follow during the trek.

Our group of 24 students was divided into 3 groups of 8 each. A leader and deputy leader for each group were selected and then we settled down for dinner. After dinner we were allotted our tents. Most of us chose our spot and soon fell asleep. Every night a group was assigned night watch duty.

The next day we awoke at 0500 hrs, ready to embark on our first trekking experience. After a cup of tea, we proceeded for the basic rappel. It was a long walk before we reached the rappelling point. Everyone clicked photographs as the cool breeze brought a smile to our face. The atmosphere was so clean and refreshing, I wished time could stand still at that very moment. We adorned our safety gear and got ready for the basic rappel. I was scared and decided not to attempt it but my classmates motivated me to try and I was finally convinced to do so. It was a good experience. We returned to our campsite and had breakfast.

The next event was Jhummaring. That was a wonderful experience too and everyone enjoyed it. By then we were all tired and hungry so we returned to the campsite for a delicious meal. After lunch, we rested and then we got ready to prepare dinner.

My group collected the ingredients and made rice, dal, chapatis and soya kheema. My friend and I prepared Sheera- a sweet dish. By 1830 hrs dinner was ready. Our instructors tasted our preparation first before we all enjoyed our cooking. We assembled outside our tents and Mr. Arjun assigned us our night duties. The best part of the trek was 'no using mobile phones'. This allowed us to interact with each other and share our experiences.

The next morning, 22nd Feb'18, we woke up at 0500 hrs, had a cup of tea and proceeded for the next level of rappelling. The Intermediate Rappel was from 90 feet. I was a bit scared initially but completed it successfully and was selected for the final one. Then we had breakfast and went down to our campsite to prepare lunch. The big rappel was scheduled for after lunch so we rested for an hour before the challenge.

At 1500 hrs we left for the big rappel. This time, it didn't feel as scary as the last two. I was very excited to rappel down 300 feet. We returned to the campsite and had dinner. Most of us were tired and ready to retire for the night. Sleeping in the lap of nature was truly a relaxing experience.

The last day, we woke up at the same time as usual and climbed to the highest point of the fort. We clicked pictures of the sunrise. It was a windy day, the refreshing breeze created a calm and peaceful environment. We meditated for a while in complete isolation from each other. Mr. Arjun called this experience 'Time Out', which was very refreshing. A while later we returned to the campsite for breakfast. It was time to return to the campus. We packed our things and were ready to leave. After lunch at 1200 hrs, we thanked our trekking instructors for the wonderful experience and set foot on the same trail that brought us back to the boarding point.

Soon we were back to our normal routine, but memories of this 'once-in-a-lifetime' experience will linger forever.

CADET MUAZ DALVEE

IMU- 17C

THE BEST INVENTION OF OUR TIMES

When asked, "Which is the best invention of our times?" many thoughts crossed my mind. Before answering that question, it's important to understand what an invention is. Essentially anything that didn't exist previously, whether a mechanical gadget, art, literature or music, is an invention. The most important invention can be any of them that impacts and benefits humanity as a whole.

An invention is very important for progress. Without it, we would still be living in the ancient times. There isn't a single invention that is more or less important. Each one of them is useful in some way for the evolution of today's civilization. If I had to make a list of all the inventions since ancient times and choose the one that impacts humanity the most, I would choose the invention of the mobile phone.

Today, the mobile phone is a very important gadget for most people. Credit goes to Martin Cooper, the pioneer and visionary in the wireless communication industry. He is recognized as an innovator in radio spectrum management. Cooper invented the first handheld cellular mobile phone in 1973 and led the team that developed it and brought it to market in 1983. He is considered the "Father of the Cell Phone" and is also cited as the first person in history to make a handheld cellular phone call in public. People were less aware of this gadget back then, but today it has become an indispensable part of our life.

People from all walks of life own and use a mobile phone no matter how simple or complex it is. It has become the most essential part of our daily routine. Mobile phones have increased the speed of communication. This invention and regular use of the mobile phone has limited the use of other modes of communication like letters and postal service. Besides communication, it can also be a form of entertainment with the number of applications called 'apps', featured on it. With internet connectivity, e-mailing, banking and online shopping is possible. Multimedia is also one of the best specifications of the mobile phone.

This invention and its technological progress has had a great impact on our development and brought the world closer. I conclude by saying that we are lucky to have this invention in our life.

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