

Tathagat
Society of Department of History
Aryabhata College, D.U.

Academic Year 2018-19

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10th Sep 2018

“Institution of Slavery in American History”
A Lecture by Dr Archana Ojha

Department of history invited Dr. Archana Ojha for a lecture on the topic “**Institution of Slavery in American History**” organised by Department of History on **10 September 2018**, at 1p.m. in the **seminar hall**. The speaker elaborated on the evolution of the institution of Slavery in American History along with the their economic integration into the production process in American through the 18-19th Century. The event was attended by 47 students and all the teachers of the department.

28th Jan 2019

One Day Workshop in association with AIWEFA – Promoting Intergenerational Bonding between Old & Young

Department of History along with the NSS organised a day long workshop in collaboration with AIWEFA. The workshop aimed at Promoting Intergenerational Bonding between Old and Young. The problems of generation gap, Importance of care to the old and importance of family was stressed upon in the workshop. The Speakers Dr. Sarla Machanda and Dr. Renu Malviya spoke some of the psycho-biological impacts of strong family bonds. The seminar was attended by large number of students.

N.S.S Unit
And
Department of History

is organizing a one day
workshop
in association with
AIWEFA

**TOPIC: Promoting Intergenerational
Bonding Between Old & Young**

Speakers:

Dr. Sarla Manchanda
(vice president, AIWEFA)

Dr. Renu Malviya
(Prof. Dept. of Education
Lady Irwin College)

& team

All teachers & students are invited to be a part of this workshop.
your participation will be appreciated

Date, Venue and Time
Jan 28, 2019
Seminar Hall
12:45 PM

more info.
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22nd Jan. 2019

Movie Screening for Voting Awareness

NSS and Department of History organised screening of the movie "NEWTON" to educate and sensitise the students and first time voters. The movie is a satirical drama that focuses on the issue of problems with the Indian voting system. The screening started with an enlightening speech by the Principal who highlighted the importance of collective conscience and awareness in the process of choice making and subsequently voting in all sorts of democratic institutions, starting from college student's bodies to the government of the country.

The screening was followed by a panel discussion by Dr. Rajesh Diwedi, Associate Professor, department of English, Aryabhata College, D.U. Prof Diwedi, pointed out the role and importance of voting in a democracy, he further urged the students to vote actively in upcoming elections.

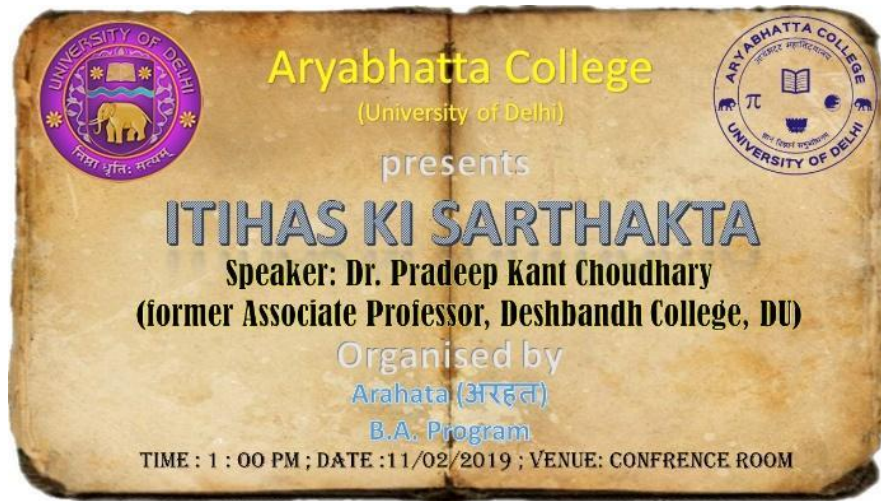
Screening saw the presence of a large number of students who asked questions, shared reviews of the films and addressed their difficulties that they face and challenges they observed in their surrounding in the process of voting. The event saw approximately 70 students.



Special Note:- Proposed History society excursion of medieval cities and monuments: 25 October 2018 to 29 October 2018, but could not be executed.

16th Feb 2019

Relevance of History" in Contemporary Period – A Lecture by Dr. P.K. Chaudhary



B.A Prog and department of history, invited Dr. P.K. Chaudhary, former associate professor of Deshbandhu College, DU delivered a lecture on "Relevance of History" in contemporary period.

P.K Chaudhary spoke on the relevance of History in society and world today, he highlighted how in the changing times its not only history but also social sciences that are being ignored, side lined across the world. The world is increasingly running after technology or immediate need-oriented disciplines in education. The States are discouraging social sciences in general and history in particular by introducing them as alternate subjects rather than compulsory subjects right from school curriculum up till universities. He told the students hpw social sciences are tools to understand society and its functioning but history helps one understand questions like identity of a place, person or institutions, gives the power to students, the ability to think, analyse and write.

The lecture was attended by 73 students of history honours, political science, and BA Programme in large numbers. Guest was warmly welcomed by Asst. Prof. R. Diwedi, senior professor in department of English, Aryabhata College, DU



18th Feb.2019

**"The Gupta Age: Historical and Histological Analysis" – A Lecture
by Dr. Anand Burdhan**

Arahat & Tathagat - BA Prog and History society organised a lecture on "**The Gupta Age: historical and histological analysis**" by **Dr. Anand Burdhan**. He enlightened the students about the historical sources, cultural achievements of the Gupta period. He elaborated on Samudragupta's period. He talked about the architectural heritage left behind by Gupta's. He also highlighted the changing narratives of history and limitations of archaeological evidence of the period.

The guest was welcomed by principal Dr. Manoj Sinha. 77 Students attended the lecture in large number and lecture of guest was followed by a question answer session by the students.



27th. Feb. 2019

Guided Heritage Walk to Shahjahanabad
conducted by Dr. Archana Ojha

The heritage club along with Arahath and Tathagat collaborated to organise a guided heritage walk to **Shahjahanabad** conducted by **Dr. Archana Ojha**, Associate professor, Kamla Nehru College, DU. Students of History hons, political science Hons and BA program participated in the walk accompanied by Dr. Rajendra Dyal, Dr. Krishna Murari, Dr. Rashmi Rai and Ms. Namita Singh.

The tour covered the Red Fort, modern Chawri Bazar, Fatehpuri mosque as part of the Shahjahanabad city. They were enlightened about the architectural style, significance of each monument within the palace, water management techniques of the Mughals, city planning and process of articulation of authority practiced by the Mughal emperor Shahjahan. The politics and history of the Mughal empire from Shahjahan to Aurangzeb was touched upon to make students understand the complexities of state formation in the medieval era. 54 students attended the walk from history hons. and political science hons courses.

The walk concluded in 3.5 hours followed by lunch in an eatery established in 1949, located in by lanes of the Mughal city.

