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Editor's Desk

It is matter of immense pleasure that the maiden issue of our quarterly bilingual e- newsletter Horizon is seeing the light of the day. Horizon, the apparent meeting of sky and earth signifies immense possibilities of character building through human values, gender sensitivities and environmental awareness among both the students and the staff. As we all know, a newsletter mirrors the college-its vision and mission. Inaugural edition starts with brief account of important events that has taken place within the college. The literary section explores and manifests the shining intellect and knowledge of eminent poet Kabirdas. It also includes the article on Rhonda Byrne's Secret which reveals that positive thinking leads to success.

I convey my gratitude to our Editorial Board to make this newsletter. We also solicit your support and cooperation for the next issue of Horizon. We will appreciate your ideas and suggestions to make newsletter more vibrant and lively.

Mrs. Shruti Tiwari

Principal's Corner



“Happiness is when what you think, what you say and what you do are in harmony”.

- Mahatma Gandhi

The Maiden issue of Horizon has made this a reality. It is a matter of great pleasure to have e-newsletter for the college which will encapsulate not only the college activities but also important happenings around us in a cogent manner. It is a milestone in the path of college's progress towards excellence. I appreciate efforts and dedication of all the college staff and the students materializing the dream. This newsletter will serve to reinforce and allow increased awareness, improved interaction and integration among all of us.

Dr. Dewasish Mukherjee

Entrance Exam for P.G. Diploma in Yoga

5th July, Mahant College organized the entrance exam for P.G. Diploma in Yoga. One Hundred and twenty three students took the entrance exam. There are sixty seats for the course. The admission would be given on the merit basis.



The plantation programme by National Services Scheme of college

8th July, The NSS wing of the college celebrated the plantation of saplings under the plantation programme. On this occasion the Principal Dr. Dewashish Mukherjee emphasized the necessity of planting trees.



He said that plantation is essential for the healthy environment. He further said that every student should take initiative to plant saplings. On this occasion the Mayor of Raipur Mr. Pramod Dubey also planted a sapling and praised the initiative taken by

the college. The entire college staff and students were present on the occasion.

Prof. R. P. Das Honored

2nd August, A felicitation ceremony was organized to honour Prof. (Dr) R. P. Das, Director, Institute of Management, Pt. Ravishankar Shukla University Raipur, on his appointment as Vice Chancellor of Berhampur University, Odisha. On this occasion Prof. Das attributed his achievement to hard work and the blessings of Lord Jagganatha. The college also gave him a warm send off with lots of best wishes for his new assignment.



Tulsidas Jayanti

10th August, The Hindi Department organized Goswami Tulsidas Jayanti. This year the key note speaker was Dr. Neelam Sharma Asst. Prof. of Durga College Raipur.



She emphasized on the importance of Gurus in our lives. She also added that through Lord Rama we can learn the principles propagated by the Guru. On this occasion Dr. Kiran Agrawal, Mr. Pritam Kumar Dass, Dr. Kiran Tiwari and other staff members and students were present.

70th Independence Day

15th August, The Chief Guest on the occasion was Mr. R. P. Sharma, President of Shiksha Pracharak Samity, hosted the flag. On this auspicious occasion he delivered a



speech and praised the sacrifice of martyr Vivekanand Tripathi and said that we owe a debt of gratitude of his sacrifice for the country. The students sang patriotic songs and performed various cultural programmes.

Student Union Election and Oath Taking ceremony

10th September, Dr. Dewashish Mukharjee administered the oath of office and secrecy to the newly elected office members and Class Representative (C. R.) and the Student Council.

The oath was taken by Mr. Rahul Chandrakar as President, Mr. Tushar



Tiwari as Vice President, Miss Pratibha Sahu as secretary and Mr Rajat Sahu as joint secretary. The member of the student union took an oath to trot out the college problems. The Chief Guest on the occasion was Mrs. Richa Jogi and Mr. Ankit Jaiswal.

Hindi Diwas

14th September, The Department of Hindi celebrated the Hindi Diwas in the seminar hall. The Chief Guest on the



occasion Principal Dr Dewashish Mukherjee emphasized the need to incorporate Hindi in our day to day life. He also underlined the importance of Hindi as mother tongue.

Renowned Personalities

Personality	Field of work	Achievement
Sakshi Malik	58 kg free style wrestling female	Bronze
P. V. Sindhu	Women Badminton	Silver
Deepa Kermakar	Produnova form of Gymnastics	Fourth position
Jitu Rai	50 meter Air Pistol	Silver

- All four of them have been awarded Rajiv Gandhi Khel Ratna award 2016.
- Mr. Urjit R. Patel, Economist has been appointed as new governor of RBI

Positive Thinking: A Way to Success in Rhonda Byrne's "Secret"

- Megha Singh

Asstt. Professor (English)

It is seen modern men being stuck in the ordeal of life. Success is beyond his reach. Business loss, loss of opportunities, bad luck, and bad fortune puts him in trauma. Worry, anxiety, fear grips him all along. A great Australian writer Rhonda Byrne's Secret generate strong spiritual faith in individuals that make us believe that there is much more to life, the world and place in the society which is perceived through the senses. Thoughts, feelings, and words shape the world around us that shape life and destiny which is shaped through the power of mind.

Rhonda Byrne opens up the world of optimism and introduces us to the law of attraction which says "like attracts like." It works through the power of thoughts. Thoughts have the power with a certain frequency. The universe is an abundant giver. Whatever thoughts of frequency are sent out to the universe it is received back with the same frequency by us. Thoughts need to be nurtured and programmed properly as they have the capacity to build or destroy. If one thinks of success he will get success, if one thinks of failure he will get failure. Thoughts of "won't" or "can't" be replaced by "will" or "can," thoughts like "I don't have the ability," "I don't have the power" must be replaced by "I have the ability," "I have the power." The law of universe says, "What you think, you become that" and this is followed by all successful people and also by ancient saints or sages, great warriors and successful business people. Imagination plays a great role in shaping our lives. Only the good thoughts and actions be nourished and nurtured so that it makes one stronger. Whatever one focuses on and whatever manipulates ones thinking then one attracts exactly the same one desire. Those who are strong in mind never contemplate on things what they

don't wish to attract. They don't worry about an illness getting worse, an absence of funding, loss of business, opportunities and so on. Their mind contemplates on the things they can create by virtue of their positive thoughts like the lucky break, good interview, brand new car, new home, right people or circumstance. They exactly materialize the desires they wish to create for themselves that can be done by three principles of creative process that is "Ask, Believe and Receive."

Rhonda Byrne says that the first step is to become absolutely clear in thoughts and make a command to the universe. It is necessary to orient or cultivate and contemplate thoughts on the set goal and the law of universe works on it. Secondly people must have the traits of self discipline and self reliance about achieving the goal. A path of success can be paved if the feelings of doubts are replaced by unshakable faith, faith that makes one believe that one has already accomplished or realized goal. She talks about the third principle of creative process that is "Receive." The thoughts envelop the centre and develop an idea that one has boundless energy to do anything. The whole environment surrounding will be surcharged with energy that emits frequency that everything is possible that

one dreams about. One is an energetic person and possesses all the vitality and liveliness to accomplish anything. Such an attitude or willingness moves one with an unlimited vigor. It will give an arousal of feelings that one is at the receiving end of receiving success, wealth, health, happiness, riches and abundance. He would find great solace and peace believing that one is going to receive all that when it is aligned with the highest aspirations of life.

कबीर साहित्य की प्रासंगिकता 'वर्तमान संदर्भ में'

डॉ. किरण अग्रवाल
विभागाध्यक्ष (हिंदी)

- कबीर नाम है - प्रेम का।
कबीर दर्शन है - एकता सद्भाव का।
कबीर विशेषण है - मस्त फवकड़ और निडर
व्यक्ति का ।
कबीर संगम है - दो संस्कृतियों का।

कबीर साहित्य में दो संस्कृतियों का समागम दृष्टिगोचर होता है। कबीर का अधिकांश जीवन काशी में व्यतीत हुआ है, वे काशी के जुलाहे के रूप में ही जाने जाते हैं। कबीर जी ने मदरसे में विद्याध्ययन नहीं किया फलस्वरूप वे किताबी विद्या प्राप्त न कर सके, किन्तु किताबी विद्या ही सब कुछ नहीं होती, जिसमें आत्मा नहीं भातुकता नहीं, कार्य करने की भवित नहीं, वह तो पुस्तक पढ़ कर भी मूर्ख बना रहेगा। सब जानते हैं कबीर ज्ञान के भंडार थे :-

"पोथी पढ़ पढ़ जग हुआ पंडित भया न कोरा।
ढाई अक्षर प्रेम का पढ़े सो पंडित होए।"

कबीर दास जी की ख्याति भारत वर्ष में एक संत कवि की है। उनके समय में भी हमारा समाज अनेक वर्णों समुदायों और सम्प्रदायों में विभाजित था, तथा सभी अपने सम्प्रदाय को और स्वयं को बड़ा मानकर बाकी अन्य को नीचा दिखाने की कोशिश सदैव किया करते थे। ईश्वरीय सत्ता को सभी मानव हृदय से महसूस करते थे, फिर भी हृदय की आवाज को अनसुनी करके ईश्वर प्राप्ति के लिए अनेक कर्म कांड और आडम्बर का आश्रय लेते सदैव दिखाई पड़ते थे। कबीर की वाणी इन्हीं भेदभाव और आडम्बर से मुक्त की प्रेरणा देती है। वर्तमान भारतीय समाज में अब भी वही बुराईयाँ व्याप्त है। जो तत्कालीन भारत में व्याप्त थी। इनकी वाणी सार्वभौमिक सत्य का उद्घाटन करती है। उन्होंने जो कुछ भी कहा उसकी गूँज की झंकार आज भी मानव जाति का मार्गदर्शन कर रही है। जीवन के प्रत्येक क्षेत्र में उनका साहित्य तब से आज तक सहज भाव के साथ मानव जाति का मार्ग प्रशस्त कर रहा है। इनकी इन्हीं विशेषताओं को हम इनके दोहों के माध्यम से देख सकते हैं :-

“प्रेम न बाड़ी निबजै प्रेम न हार बिकाय ।

राजा पिरजा जिस रूचै, सिर दे जो ले जाए ।”

वर्तमान भारत के सामाजिक राजनैतिक परिस्थितियों और कबीर के तत्कालीन सामाजिक राजनैतिक और आर्थिक परिस्थितियों में हम प्रगट करे तो भौतिक अविष्कारों के क्षेत्र में भले ही हम बहुत आगे बढ़ गये हैं। किन्तु आध्यात्मिक विकास या मन की शांति के लिए आज भी मंदिर, मस्जिद, गुरुद्वारा तथा गिरजाघरों में भटक रहे हैं। कबीर ने इन्हीं भटकाव को दूर करने का सशक्त प्रयास किया है।

वर्तमान में आम आदमी का जीवन अनेक विषमताओं और जटिलताओं के बंधन में पड़ा वित्तश जीवन यापन कर रहा है। कबीर की वाणी में इन तकलीफों के उबारने के साथ साथ शांति की और अग्रसर करती है। मानव जीवन मनुष्य को किसी अच्छे कार्य के परिणाम से प्राप्त होता है।

इसलिए उसका सद-उपयोग करने की आवश्यकता सदैव से महसूस की जाती है। कबीर की वाणी मनुष्य को समय की सार्थकता से परिचित कराते हुए अनेक उदाहरण प्रस्तुत करती है। जो आज के समाज के लिए अत्यंत महत्वपूर्ण है। आज का व्यक्ति अपने लिए समय निकालने में कठिनाई का सामना करता है। वहाँ उससे सामाजिक कार्यों की अपेक्षा नहीं की जा सकती है। यहाँ पर मानव समाज ईश्वर प्राप्ति के आडंबर को समाप्त करके मानव समाज सामाजिक उत्तरदायित्वों को निर्वाह करके एक पंथ दो काज कर सकता है। आज राजनैतिक स्तर पर भले ही अनेक विधान और योजनाएं बन गई किन्तु उनका उचित निर्वाह नहीं हो पाता है। भौतिक वस्तुएं मनुष्य को अपनी ओर आकर्षित करती है। आज का मानव इन्हीं भौतिक वस्तुओं की प्राप्ति के लिए जी तोड़ मेहनत करता है। प्रतियोगिता में शामिल होता है। तथा पद प्राप्ति पश्चात् वह अपने सामाजिक और राष्ट्रीय कर्तव्यों की आड़ में सब अपना स्वार्थ सिद्ध करते हैं। वर्तमान भारत में अनेक घोटाले इन्हीं लालच के मोह का परिणाम है। जिसे कबीर ने लालची मक्खी के माध्यम से स्पष्ट किया है।

मनुष्य जीवन के लगभग सभी सम्प्रदायों में अनेक कुप्रथाएं कबीर के समय भी व्याप्त थी और आज भी है। अतः कुप्रथाओं के विरोध में कबीर की वाणी आज भी प्रासंगिक है। जिनमें एक उदाहरण इस बात की पुष्टि में सहायक है। जीवन भर युवा पीढ़ी अपनी पुरानी पीढ़ी की उपेक्षा करता है और उन्हें अपमानित करता है।

“जीवन पीतर न मौन, कोए मुए सरथ कराही ।

पीतर भी बपुराएं ज्यों पावही कौआ कुकुर खाही।”

निश्चय ही कबीर का साहित्य मनुष्य को सहृदय बनाने कर्म की प्रधानता देने तथा समाज राष्ट्र विश्व के प्रति अपने उत्तरदायित्वों को महसूस करने की प्रेरणा देता है।

PEARLS OF WISDOM

- A book is a gift you can open again and again. – Garrison – Keillor
- The whole world open to me when I learn to read. – Mary Mdeod Bethune
- There is no friend as loyal as book. – Ernest Hemingway
- A book is a magical thing that lets you travel to far-away places without ever leaving your chair. – Katrina Mayer
- Reading is a way for me to expand my mind, open my eyes, and fill up my heart. – Oprah

CURRENT AFFAIRS

1. Which ship is launched recently by the Indian Navy at Raja Bagan, Kolkata dockyard to build small ships?
- Water Jet Fast Attack Craft
2. What is the name of Indo-Israel medium range surface-to-air missile which is test fired successfully at the coast of Odisha?
-Barak 8
3. Which date is observed as National Doctor's Day in healthcare organizations to recognize the contributions of physicians to individual lives and communities?
-July 1
4. What is the name of app is officially launched by TRAI to test the internet speed?
-My speed app
5. In which place, India's first Commercial Court and Commercial Disputes Resolution Centre inaugurated?
-Chhattisgarh
6. Subroto Cup is related to which Sport? - Football
7. Which State/ Union Territory Government have recently presented a tax-free Rs 6,665 crore budget for the financial year 2016-17?
- Pondicherry
8. The International Day of Peace is celebrated every year on which date to promote the peace and absence of war and violence?
- 21st September
9. Name the India's first interstate river interlinking project was approved by the National Board for Wildlife?
- Ken-Betwa
10. What is the name of 8th edition of India-Russia Joint Military Exercise Begun in Vladivostok, Russia?
- Indra-2016

आगामी गतिविधियाँ

1. प्रथम वर्ष के छात्र-छात्राओं का विश्वविद्यालय में नामांकन।
2. छात्र-छात्राओं का स्वागत समारोह।
3. शैक्षणिक भ्रमण।
4. रक्त दान शिविर।
5. वार्षिक खेलकूद।