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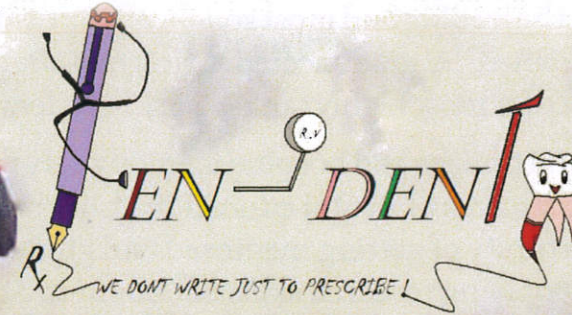


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**COLLEGE  
NEWSLETTER**

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# FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK

Over the last two decades since its inception in 1992, our institute has shown steady progress and is now considered as one of the leading and most sought after private Dental colleges in our country. This is reflected by the NAAC 'A' grade accreditation that the college has received and also by being the college of choice for most highly ranked NEET students.

D. A. Pandu memorial R.V. Dental College and hospital is among very few dental colleges in the country that provides all of the streams of dental education under one roof. A student of this college has wide range of opportunity of getting mentored and guided to achieve Bachelor of Dental Surgery degree right to applying research skills of obtaining a doctorate of philosophy in dentistry. The college also offers a range of short-term certificate courses in specific aspects of dentistry like Aesthetic Dentistry and Implantology to hone the skills of the students. The consistent academic excellence of the students through the training imparted is reflected every year in the list of the University Ranks that the students achieve.

As I pen my thoughts in PENDENT after donning the Principal's role, my recapitulation of the first day at R.V. Dental College is crystal-clear. The journey from Lecturer to Professor and HOD in Oral Medicine and Radiology to becoming the Principal of this illustrious institution has been overwhelming and very memorable. Starting as a novice teacher way back in 1992, and sharing knowledge with students with all the enthusiasm freshly after post-graduation brings out the best in everyone. From there the teaching abilities can be fine tuned and camaraderie can be built up with each batch of students. From undergraduate to postgraduate teaching, the transfer of knowledge progressed to active discussions of challenging cases and interactive sessions and dialogues involving professional and personal spaces. In this passage of time we were mentored by senior teachers. Our founder Principal Dr. K.S. Nagesh took our college to great heights and his contributions to this college has left an indelible mark.

We fondly remember Dr. Shama Rao and Dr. Jagadish K. who left us to the heavenly abode but their association with our college will be forever etched in the memories of most of us who have been a part of this institution since the inception.

The stronghold of our institution is the highly competent and dedicated teaching faculty who strive hard to implement our vision and mission. Their academic achievements, research accomplishments and consistent yearning to keep themselves up to date is what makes the journey of learning for the students more fruitful and enjoyable. The recent MOU that has been signed by our institution with Showa University School of Dentistry opens new avenues for our students and faculty and is designed to offer exposure to international standards in dentistry. In alignment with the mission and vision of the college may we all strive to provide world class dental training by fostering global competencies and aiming to contribute towards quality dental care, serving the under served and delivering a single window to cater to a wide spectrum of patient's needs.

# Editorial...

We are happy to celebrate a decade of the successful publication of our college magazine, Pendent. Pendent was first published under the leadership of the founder principal Dr. K.S. Nagesh. We are grateful to our former principal Dr. Dinesh M.R. and current principal Dr. Asha Iyengar for guiding us all the way.

→ The staffs and students of D.A.P.M.R.V. Dental college have won many laurels in the last 10 years in both academics and extra-curricular activities. It has been a matter of pride for us to showcase their achievements.

Pendent is back in publication after a hiatus of 2 years. We look forward for the support from our colleagues, students and friends to continue this endeavour.

Happy Reading...

*Sapna*

*Ayeyay*



# From 'The BEST'...To 'The BEST'



2018-19 has been a year of transformation, the biggest being the change over in the Principal of RVDC from August 2019.

Dr. Dinesh M. R. had captained our ship in an ever so sportive manner from June 2012 until July 2019, when Dr. Asha R. Iyengar graciously took over the position. Dr. Dinesh is now serving as the Dean of Faculty at the Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Karnataka.

Dr. Asha has been the head of the UG Committee, involved in the UG curricula planning and therefore, understands difficulties associated with UG Academics at the grassroot level. She has recently signed a MOU between RVDC and Showa University, Japan. This will potentially widen academic horizons for our PG and UG students.

Dr. Asha has maintained excellent relations with our staff, keeping them updated regularly. She is extremely approachable and empathetic to all of us. We're earnestly looking forward to journeying the coming years with her zeal inspiring us!

Under his term Dr. Dinesh prepared us and earned our college a NAAC 'A' grade accreditation. He has played a pivotal role in the renovation and up gradation of our Library and Information Science Centre, Board Room Construction and the Principal Chamber's makeover. During his tenure, the Student Information System as well as the White Coat Ceremony was introduced. A Patient Education Museum and a satellite dental centre 'Satya Sai Satellite Centre' were established. On the academic front, the number of PostGraduate seats was increased to 30, PhD centres in all departments were introduced and 12 PhD guides were recognised.

Dr. Dinesh has always had a deep sense of belonging towards all the members of our RVDC family, including our alumni, always encouraging us in various endeavours.

As we said our heartfelt farewell to him, we were equally excited to welcome our new principal. Dr. Asha Iyengar, in her poised manner, stepped in to lead our institution. In the past few months that she has lead us forward, we have already seen the installation of an advanced imaging machine- CBCT in our Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology.

We sincerely hope that our RVDC family, staff and students alike, will accept and co-operate with fresh ideas in this new term and persevere together to lift our institute to newer heights.

# GRADUATION CEREMONY

*Black gowns and caps, group pictures, proud families, happy faces...what else could all these mean other than 'Convocation Day' - A day which proves that the tassels are worth all the hassles!*

Yet again, as every year that preceded, D.A.P.M.R.V Dental College headed by our newly appointed Principal, Dr. Asha.R.Iyengar was all set to bid farewell to a very exuberant batch of undergraduate and postgraduate students.

Held on the 27th September 2018, the ceremony was presided by Dr. S.Sacchidanand, Vice Chancellor, RGUHS (Chief Guest), Dr. M.S.Prakash, Governing Council Chairman (Guest of Honor), and Dr. M.K.Panduranga Shetty, President, RSST.

The events for the day began with the auspicious ceremony of lighting the lamp. The students were then awarded their certificates and the toppers were honored with awards. Dr. Aparna Ganeshan who was the valedictorian of the batch was awarded a gold medal and her parents were also felicitated. Following this the newly graduated students took the sacred Hippocrates Oath wherein they pledged their devotion to our profession. The dignitaries were then called upon to the podium, where they congratulated and motivated the new graduates and wished them the best for all their future endeavors.



And as the tradition continues, even this year the children of our dear staff were awarded certificates for their splendid achievements in various fields such as academics, extracurricular and sports.

Later that afternoon the college day was held and not only did we have a series of fabulous performances by our enthusiastic students but our ever dynamic staff proved that they are no less. Undoubtedly the highlight of the evening was the fashion show by our beloved staff, and once again with their glamorous ramp walk,



they proved that age is just a number and marks no limits. An amazing performance it was! Also all the winners of various competitions of the cultural event Aurora 2018 which had been held since a month prior to graduation were awarded with certificates.



The evening ended with the final performance by the interns who danced for the one last time on the stage of R.V.D.C. bidding farewell to their home for the past 5 years bearing in mind that graduation is not the end but only a beginning to their journey ahead.



# STAFF ACHIEVEMENTS



## Dr. Asha R Iyengar, Principal

Attended UK Study Tour from 18th to 24th November 2018 with other RV heads of institutions and visited-

- University of East London
- University of Southampton
- University College of London
- Christ Church School, London

## Dr. Dinesh M.R, Professor, Department of Orthodontics

- Became Dean of Faculty of Dentistry, Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, on February 2018
- Appointed as NAAC Sectoral Working Group (SWG) member on April 2018



## Dr. Bhagyalakshmi G, Prof & HOD, Department of Anatomy

Was felicitated by Karnataka Chapter of Anatomists, in the conference in September 2018 held at Adichunchanagiri Institute of Medical Sciences, Bellur, for her contribution in academics, curriculum innovation and research in medical innovations.

## Dr. Veerendra Kumar B, Prof & HOD, Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathology

- Appointed as President of Indian Association of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathologists for the year 2018-2019



- Appointed as the President of Indian Dental Association, Bengaluru branch for the year 2018-19



# STAFF ACHIEVEMENTS

## Dr. B.S. Keshava Prasad, Professor & HOD, Department of Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics

Was appointed as a member, PG Board of studies, Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore.



## Dr. H. Murali, Professor, Department of Conservative and Endodontics

Was awarded "Academic Excellence award" at the 33rd IACDE National Conference, Vijayawada.



## Dr. Harikiran A G, Prof & HOD, Department of Public Health Dentistry

- Appointed as a member, PG Board of studies, Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore.
- Appointed as Office Bearer/ Convenor for Community Dental Health, Indian Dental Association, Bangalore Branch for the year 2018-19
- Chairperson for scientific session at the Karnataka State Dental Conference, Dec 14-16th, 2018
- Organized mega health camp at Koratagere, Tumkur District in association with RSST and the Deputy Chief Minister of Karnataka, Dr. Parameshwar in attendance - December 2018
- Organizing chairman - White Coat ceremony, UG research Exposition and colloquiums



## Dr. Preethi Hegde, Department of Physiology

Recognised as PhD Co-Guide by RGUHS for Physiology under Dental Faculty by Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences.



# STAFF ACHIEVEMENTS

## Dr. Deepak S, Reader, Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery

Acquired fellowship and certified as a diplomate of the international congress of oral implantologists.



## Dr. Roshan Kumar P, Reader, Department of Prosthodontics

Was selected for the International Scientific Exchange Program of Indian Prosthodontic Society and Japan Prosthodontic Society. He underwent training at Niigata University under Prof Katsumi Uoshima where he was posted for 4 weeks between 24th September 2018 and 19th October 2018.



## Dr. Madhura M.G. ,Reader, Department of Oral Pathology

- Appointed as 'Assistant editor for the Journal of Medicine, Radiology, Pathology and Surgery', an international peer reviewed indexed journal.
- Appointed as an Executive Committee Member, Indian Association of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathologists (Nov 2017 - Nov 2018)
- Member, Women Dental Council - Indian Dental Association Bengaluru Branch (1st Feb 2018 - 1st Feb 2019)



## Dr. Deepti Vadavi, Reader, Department of Public health Dentistry

- Participation in the 14th World Congress of Bioethics, by the International Association of Bioethics at St. Johns Medical College, Bengaluru
- Organizing secretary for Undergraduate research exposition March 2018



## Dr. Jyotsna S, Reader Department of Public health Dentistry

- Participation in the 14th World Congress of Bioethics, by the International Association of Bioethics at St. Johns Medical College, Bengaluru- December 3rd to 7th, 2018
- Organizing secretary for Patient safety and communication skills training workshop for third year undergraduates- August 20th and 21st, 2018





# STAFF ACHIEVEMENTS

## Dr. Ramya BJ, Senior Lecturer, Department of Pedodontics

- Appointed as a member of Board of Studies (BOS) for Undergraduates – at RGUHS University.
- She is a licensed Basic Life Support provider (bls) certified by American Heart Association (AHA).



## Dr. Vinodhini, Senior lecturer, Department of Public health Dentistry

Appointed as organizing secretary for Colloquiums – an interaction session for UG and PG students with external faculty/ guests who have achieved in their academic fields.

## >>> Paper And Poster Presentations <<<

### DEPARTMENT OF ORAL MEDICINE AND RADIOLOGY

Dr. Seema Patil presented a paper on “Evaluation of internal structure (ecogenicity) of masseter in subjects with OSMF”, held from 6th-9th September, 2018, at the 12th Asian Congress of Oral & Maxillofacial Radiology, Mumbai.

Dr. Subash B.V presented a paper on “Usefulness of Maxillary sinus & Frontal sinus in gender identification- A Systematic Review”, held from 6th-9th September, 2018, at the 12th Asian Congress of Oral & Maxillofacial Radiology, Mumbai.

### DEPARTMENT OF ORAL AND MAXILLOFACIAL SURGERY

Dr. Deepak S presented a paper titled “Crestal approach sinus bone regeneration, Lateral approach sinus bone regeneration techniques” at an International conference held at the Hilton Colombo Residences, from March 24th to March 26th, 2018 in Colombo.

### DEPARTMENT OF PROSTHODONTICS- CROWN AND BRIDGE

Dr. J Sridevi presented on the topic 'Perio-Prosthodontic Inter Relationship' at the Master Class in association with the Indian Prosthodontic Society, Karnataka Branch & D A Pandu Memorial R V Dental College, & Hospital, Bangalore on 3rd Feb 2018.

Dr. Roshan Kumar presented a paper titled 'Challenges in Digital Dentistry' at the 3rd International Digital Dental Conference, 3rd -5th August 2018, NIMHANS Convention Centre, Bengaluru.

Dr. Roshan Kumar presented a paper titled 'Bone Quality: is it limited to Bone Mineral density or is it limitless?' at the 46th Indian Prosthodontic Society Conference, conducted from 15th to 18th November 2018 in Mangalore.

Dr. Archana K Sanketh presented a paper titled 'Airway Prosthodontics' at the 46th Indian Prosthodontic Society Conference, from 15th to 18th November 2018 in Mangalore.

### DEPARTMENT OF PERIODONTICS

Dr. Apoorva S M presented at the IOS-MYC on “Ortho-Perio Interrelationships” held in Brussels, Belgium on 27th July, 2018.

### DEPARTMENT OF ORAL AND MAXILLOFACIAL PATHOLOGY

Dr. Madhura MG presented a paper titled “Micro-RNA-222 and micro-RNA-203 signatures in oral squamous cell carcinoma: potential role in progression and as therapeutic targets” at AAOMP (American Academy of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathology) – IAOP (International Association of Oral Pathology) 2018 Joint meeting and Continuing Education programme in Vancouver, Canada, 23rd – 28th June 2018.

Dr. Sarita Yanduri presented a paper titled “Methylation in oral potentially malignant disorder and oral squamous cell carcinoma” at the 2nd World Cancer Congress – 2018, held at Hotel Royal Orchid ,Bengaluru, from 25th – 26th September 2018.

### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH DENTISTRY

Dr. Deepti Vadavi presented “What Influences empathic behavior in undergraduate dental students? – A mixed methods study” at the Regional FAIMER Centre at PSG Institute of Medical Sciences & Research Centre, Coimbatore during 15th – 19th June 2018, and at the National Conference on Health Professional Education in Nagpur held between 15th and 17th November 2018.

Dr. Jyotsna presented “Stakeholders perception on Early Clinical Exposure – Qualitative study” at the National Conference on Health Professional Education in Nagpur held between 15th and 17th November 2018.

### DEPARTMENT OF ORTHODONTICS AND DENTOFACIAL ORTHOPEDICS

Dr. Dharma R.M presented a paper titled “Role of Paired Box 9 (PAX9) (rs12881240) and muscle segment Homeobox 1 (MSX1) (rs12532) gene polymorphisms in human tooth agenesis” at the 118th American Association of Orthodontists 2018 Annual Session, May 4th – May 8th, 2018, in Washington D.C, USA.

Dr. Dinesh M R presented a paper on “A multi-faceted, versatile, non –invasive anchorage device – CHROMOSOMAL ARCH” at the 53rd Indian Orthodontic Conference 2018, in Kochi, Kerala in December, 2018.

Dr. Manjunath Hegde presented a paper on “Modified EVAA appliance - A novel approach to accelerate two phase treatment for class II correction” at the 53rd Indian Orthodontic Conference 2018, in Kochi, Kerala in December, 2018.



Dr. Dinesh M R at the 53rd Indian Orthodontic Conference



Dr. Manjunath Hegde at the 53rd Indian Orthodontic Conference



# STAFF ACHIEVEMENTS

## Our Faculties As Guest Speakers / Resource Persons

**Dr. Asha R Iyengar** was a guest speaker at Master class in Oral Medicine & Radiology-2018, on 28th February in DA Pandu Memorial RV Dental college, on the topic "Basics of Radiology"

Dr. Asha R Iyengar <sup>was a guest speaker</sup> at the 30th National IAOMR conference, on 23rd to 25th November, 2018 at Pacific Dental College & Hospital, Udaipur, on the topic "Clinical diagnostic skills in Oral Medicine"



Dr. Asha R Iyengar at the 30th national IAOMR conference at Pacific Dental College & Hospital, Udaipur

**Dr. Subash B V** was a guest speaker at Master class in Oral Pathology held on 9th February 2018 in DA Pandu Memorial RV dental College, on the topic "Case history"

**Dr. Revan Kumar Joshi** was a guest speaker at CDE program held at Hotel Inn Shraavanthi on 7th January 2018 on the topic "Digital dental diagnosis and Implant guidelines"

**Dr. Deepak S** was a guest speaker at AOMSI (West Bengal Branch) Annual State Conference, held on 15th September, 2018 on the topic "Full arch reconstruction, Immediate implants, Bone augmentation by ridge splits, Sinus lifts, onlay grafts"

**Dr. Murali** was a guest speaker at the 33rd IACDE National Conference, Vijayawada, on the topic "In - laws of Dentistry"

**Dr. Divya Bhat** was a guest speaker at Perio panorama, Vydehi college of dental sciences on January 17, 2018 on the topic "Cementum in health and disease"

**Dr. Sapna N** was a guest speaker at Perio panorama, Vydehi college of dental sciences on Jan 19, 2018, on the topic "Controversies in periodontics"

**Dr. Sarita Y** was a guest speaker at the Master Class in Oral Pathology 2018 held at DA Pandu Memorial RV Dental College and Hospital, from 6th to 9th February 2018 on the topic "Oral microflora, Gram's stain and Ziehl Neilsen stain"

**Dr. Suma S** was a guest speaker at the Master Class in Oral Pathology 2018 held at DA Pandu Memorial RV Dental College and Hospital, from 6th to 9th February 2018 on the topic "Immunology, Hypersensitivity, Tumor immunology, Autoimmunity" and also at Bangalore Science Forum, National College, Basavanagudi, on 25th April 2018, on the topic "Dentistry as a profession"

**Dr. Madhura M G** was a guest speaker at the Master Class in Oral Pathology 2018 held at DA Pandu Memorial RV Dental College and Hospital, from 6th to 9th February 2018 on the topic "Oral leukoplakia- key aspects"

**Dr. Preethi Hegde** was a guest speaker at the APPICON 2018, Advancing horizons of Medical Physiology & Pharmacology in Research and Teaching on the topic "Cortico amygdala interactions and fear extinction in Enriched Environment exposed Wistar Rats"

# STUDENT ACHIEVEMENTS



**Dr Arunakshi**, BDS graduate (Batch of 2013) secured 2nd rank in AIIMS PG Entrance-2018



**Dr Aparna**, (BDS graduate (Batch of 2013) secured 10th rank in AIIMS PG Entrance-2018



**Neha Choudhary**, 1st BDS student, has secured 1st rank in RGUHS exam July, 2018 and was awarded Dr. KS Nagesh Gold Medal, during Karnataka Chapter of Anatomists Conference in September 2018



**Dr. Divyashree**, PG student in the Department of Pedodontics received Best paper Award at National conference of Pedodontics (ISPPD) held at Nagpur from 24th - 26th October 2018 for her paper titled "The inhibitory effect of Silver Diamine Fluoride (SDF) with and without potassium Iodide (KI) application on enamel demineralization-An in-vitro study using Atomic Absorption Spectroscopy (AAS)". She was also awarded first prize for E-poster titled "Interdisciplinary dentistry - Boon or bane" competition held on 27th February 2018 at DAPM RVDC, Bangalore.



**Dr Aparna**, PG student in the Department of Pedodontics received Best paper Award at National conference of Pedodontics (ISPPD) held at Nagpur from 24- 26th Oct 2018, for her paper titled "Comparison of CCP-ACP and Bioactive glass in remineralisation capacity"



# STUDENT ACHIEVEMENTS



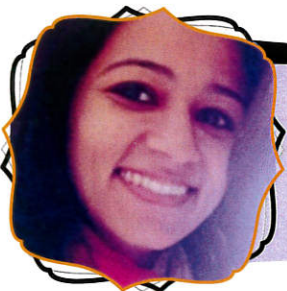
**Dr. Bhavana Puvalla**, PG student in the Department of Periodontics was awarded third prize for E-poster entitled "Interdisciplinary dentistry - Boon or bane" competition held on 27th February 2018 at DAPM RVDC, Bangalore.

**Dr. Surya Suprabhan**, PG student in the Department of Periodontics was awarded third prize for E-poster competition entitled "Interdisciplinary dentistry - Boon or bane" held on 27th February 2018 at DAPM RVDC, Bangalore.



**Dr. Esha Tanwar**, PG student in the Department of Periodontics was awarded First prize for E-poster competition on "Oral Hygiene" the occasion of World Oral Health Day held on 20th March 2018 at DAPM RVDC, Bangalore.

**Dr. Manmita Das**, PG student in the Department of Oral medicine and Radiology was awarded second prize for poster presentation titled "Advances in ultrasonography imaging (photoacoustic imaging) s at Pacific Dental College & Hospital, Udaipur, held between 23rd-25th November 2018.



**Dr. Swathi Shukla**, PG student in the Department of Prosthodontics was awarded 3rd prize for the debate on Locator attachments at the master class program held between 2nd-4th February 2018.

**Dr. Supriya**, PG student in the Department of Public Health Dentistry, received best Essay award at the 23rd Indian Association of Public Health Dentistry National Conference, Modi Nagar, Nov 30th to Dec 2nd 2018.



# STUDENT ACHIEVEMENTS

**Dr. Sushmita Suman**, PG student in the Department of Public Health Dentistry received the best Poster Award for paper titled "Development and Validation of tool to assess local language competency among dental students" at 46th Karnataka State and 5th Interstate Dental Conference at Bangalore from 13th to 17th Dec 2018.



**Dr. Ankita Sharma**, PG student in the Department of Prosthodontics has been awarded best paper for the paper presentation titled "Bio Material Metamorphosis in Bone Regeneration - Ti Granules" at the 6th Karnataka State Conference, Kalaburagi at HKE's Nijalingappa Institute of Dental Sciences and Research on 8th April 2018.



**Dr. Aswathi Prabhu**, PG student in the Department of Prosthodontics has been awarded best paper for the paper presentation titled 'Sloped Implants: Follow Nature's Contour' at the 6th Karnataka State Conference, Kalaburagi at HKE's Nijalingappa Institute of Dental Sciences and Research on 8th April 2018.



**Dr. Tanuj Kumar**, PG student in the Department of Prosthodontics was awarded the best student paper in a particular session and for the overall conference paper titled "A risk based approach to simplify the management of fractured implant screws" at the 46th Indian Prosthodontic Society Conference, Mangalore held between 15th to 18th November 2018



**Dr. Vijetha Vishwanath**, PG student in the Department of Endodontics, awarded 'Best paper presentation of clinical relevance' for the presentation entitled "Antimicrobial resistance - shedding light on professionals & patients' perspective" at 19th IACDE- IES PG Convention 2018, Gulbarga



**Dr. Pavitra Ravindra**, PG student in the Department of Endodontics, awarded "Best Paper presentation" for the presentation "The functional accuracy of new 4th generation apex locator - Comparative in-vivo study" at 33rd IACDE National Conference, Vijayawada





# STUDENT ACHIEVEMENTS



**Aditya Keshav**, III BDS student, won first prize for paper presentation in Original Research titled "Natural mimics for formalin - A comparative study", presented at the World Dental Conference, Dubai, 30th September & 1st October 2018.



**Akshay M.S.**, III BDS student, won first prize for paper presentation titled "The big picture through a small aperture", presented at the World Dental Conference, Dubai, 30th September & 1st October 2018

## Talent Corner

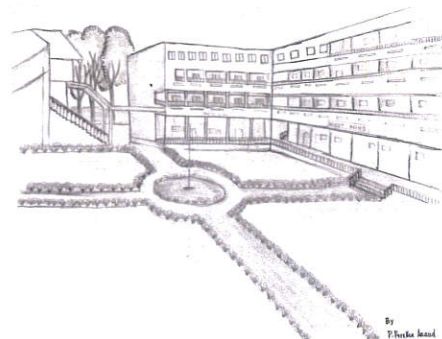
**Dr. Suma**,  
Reader, Department of Oral & Maxillofacial Pathology



**Rathna**  
Non-Teaching Staff, Department of Periodontics



**Preetha Anand**  
BDS Student



**Akhila**  
BDS Graduate



# NEWS AND EVENTS

## DEPARTMENT OF ORAL MEDICINE AND RADIOLOGY

Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology conducted a "Master class in Oral Medicine & Radiology-2018", from 28th February to 2nd March, 2018, with a total of 17 speakers.



"Master class in Oral Medicine & Radiology-2018"

Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology conducted a CDE programme on "Management of Oral Cancer" on 23rd August 2018. Dr Satish Nair, Consulting Oncosurgeon, Apollo Hospital, Bangalore, delivered a lecture on different aspects of the management protocol for Oral Cancer. The lecture was well attended by the staff, post graduate, under graduate students and interns.



CDE programme on "Management of Oral Cancer"

Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology conducted a CDE programme on "Recent advances in probiotics in clinical practise" on 17th October 2018. Dr. Vijayaraghavan, delivered a lecture on the scenario of probiotics. He emphasised the role of probiotics in dentistry.



CDE programme on "Recent advances in Probiotics"

## DEPARTMENT OF ORAL AND MAXILLOFACIAL SURGERY

CDE Programme on Overview of practicing Basic Life Support (BLS) held on 12th December 2018, 2.P.M to 3.30.P.M, in the auditorium of DAPM RV Dental college by Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery.

Guest speaker of the programme, Dr. Kumar Swamy.E. MBBS, Dip.EM(RCGP,UK) Royal college Faculty(UK), Head, Dept of Accident & Emergency medicine, Fortis hospitals, Bangalore. Lecture and live demonstration of the steps of BLS along with the team of nursing and Paramedics followed by Hands-on session for around 200, teaching, non teaching and students who attended the programme.



CDE Programme on Overview of practicing Basic Life Support (BLS)



# NEWS AND EVENTS

## DEPARTMENT OF PROSTHODONTICS

“Trends in prosthodontics with master class” was conducted in association with Indian Prosthodontic Society, Bangalore Branch and Indian Prosthodontic Society, Karnataka Branch , from 2nd to 4th February 2018.



Department of Prosthodontics conducted a CDE program titled “Comprehensive Interdisciplinary Treatment Planning – A Prosthodontic Perspective” on 04.09.2018, which included talk by Dr Druthil Belur



The Department of Prosthodontics, D.A.P.M.R.V. Dental College conducted a free denture camp from 26.02.18 to 28.02.18. This initiative was a part of the 25th year celebrations of D.A.P.M.R.V. Dental College, Bangalore. We had an overwhelming response with a total of 45 patients. The dentures were fabricated in 3 working days. The completed dentures were handed over to the patients on 06.03.18 at 10:30 am in the Mini Auditorium, II floor, D.A.P.M.R.V. Dental College, Bangalore by Shri K.G. Subbarama Setty, Treasurer, Rashtreeya Shikshana Samithi Trust and Dr. Prakash M.S., Chairman, Governing Council, D.A.P.M.R.V. Dental College, Bangalore



# NEWS AND EVENTS

A CDE program was conducted on “Increase the Volume- Best Practices in GBR/GTR procedures” by Dr Yuval Zubery, DMD, Israel on 8th December 2018.



## DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATIVE DENTISTRY AND ENDODONTICS



Mr. S.Nagendran, Ivoclar Vivadent Marketing Pvt Ltd, Bangalore along with the staff and post graduate students had visited Techno Dental Lab, Bangalore, an authorised milling partner of Ivoclar Vivadent on 4/8/2018 to have an insight of the workflow and knowledge of the modern digital dental lab equipment and their working.



A CDE program on “Rotary endodontics” was conducted by the Department of Conservative Dentistry & Endodontics in association with Dentsply India pvt Ltd on 4th oct 2018. A lecture by Mr. Nanda Kumar was followed by hands-on workshop for the teaching faculty & PG students of the department



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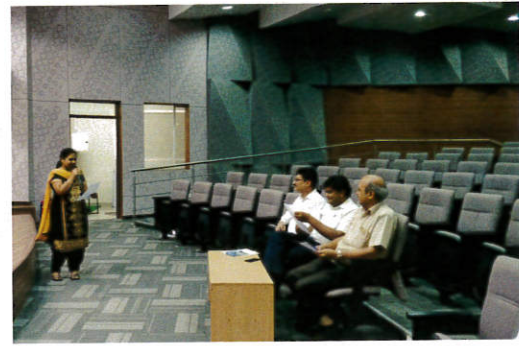
## DEPARTMENT OF PERIODONTICS

An E-Poster competition was held on the topics “Dentistry – then & now, changing trends in dentistry” for undergraduates and “Interdisciplinary dentistry – Boon or bane” for Postgraduates held by Department of Periodontics on 27th February 2018 at mini auditorium, D.A.P.M.R.V.D.C. Almost 35 students participated in the program. Judges for UG competition were Dr Keshav Prasad and Dr Dharma. Judges for PG competition were Dr.Sridevi, Dr. Praveen and Dr. Harikiran.

On the occasion of World Oral Health Day on 20th March, 2018, an E-poster competition was conducted by Department Of Periodontics, Department Of Public Health Dentistry and Student Welfare Committee, at mini auditorium of D A P M RV Dental College. Almost 40 students participated in the program. Judges were Dr Keshav Prasad and Dr Harikiran. A talk was also given by Mr Clifford Jacob on the topic “Young ethical issues and their impact on society”



E - Poster Competition



Talk by Mr. Clifford Jacob

## DEPARTMENT OF ORAL AND MAXILLOFACIAL PATHOLOGY

The Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathology in association with Indian Association of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathologists and Indian Dental Association, Bengaluru branch, conducted a CDE programme titled “Masterclass- Oral Pathology 2018” from 6th February to 9th February 2018. A total of 25 eminent speakers from different parts of Karnataka and other states were invited.



The organising committee of Masterclass



Organizing committee of Masterclass with the delegates

# NEWS AND EVENTS

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH DENTISTRY

Department of Public Health Dentistry and Student Welfare Committee conducted a 2-day 'Patient safety and communication skills' workshop and White Coat Ceremony for the third year undergraduate students at D.A.P.M.R.V.Dental College and Hospital. Dr Harikiran, Prof and Head, Department of Public Health Dentistry, Organizing Chairman, Dr. Keshav Prasad, Prof and Head, Department of Endodontics and Student Welfare Committee as Chairman, and Dr. Jyostna Reader, Dept of Public Health Dentistry as program Coordinator, with resource persons from other organizations and in house.



Dr. D K Srinivas conducted the session on 'Ethics & Professionalism'



Mr. Raghotham Rao conducted the session on 'Communication Skills'



Session on 'Infection control and patient safety'

**White Coat Ceremony** – The third year students were formally inducted into the clinical dentistry program by handing over the “White Coat” and administering the Hippocratic Oath.





# NEWS AND EVENTS



In the year 2018, three colloquiums were conducted. The first colloquium was a Hands-on workshop with Ivoclar Vivadent on 20th Feb, 2018 by Mr Nagendran, Senior executive and Head of Sales, South East Asia. During this program, the participants got an opportunity to learn and work with preventive materials of Ivoclar such as Helioclear and Fluorescent plaque disclosing agents.

The next colloquium was organized on 29th Aug, 2018 where Dr. Nithya Ramesh (BDS, MPH) shared her views on "Learning & Teaching in USA- Challenges & opportunities by Indian Dental students". She also presented an overview of the Dartmouth Institute MPH Program (her current place of work) and also the examination/ course process which is required to apply for the particular Institute.

The third colloquium was organized on 22nd Nov, 2018 where Dr. Puneet Gupta (MDS, Public Health Dentistry, Govt Dental College Indore) oriented the audience towards various advanced research tools/ apps/ software.



"Tools of Research" - Dr. Puneet Gupta

# NEWS AND EVENTS

## UG RESEARCH EXPOSITION

The department of Public Health Dentistry, DAPM RVDC is one of the few institutions in the country that conducts a systematic research program for its undergraduate students. The third or final year undergraduate students undertake a research project under faculty guidance and complete it in a span of one year. In order to showcase the research projects, the department of Public Health Dentistry initiated a one of its kind "Undergraduate Research Exposition" in 2013. UG Research Exposition is a platform for the undergraduate students to share their research projects to the entire college. This platform also provides the students the experience of a conference program with paper presentations followed by discussions and deliberations by the chair persons and audience. Three best papers are also awarded by the external and internal judges. The students also prepare and present posters for their research papers.

**As an outcome of the undergraduate research program and exposition, we have achieved:**

- 7 ICMR Short Term Studentship Grants.
- 15 Paper presentations and 7 Best paper awards at National and state level IDA Conferences and OSMECON (National undergraduate student medical conference) over the last 5 years.
- 5 student publications in academic journals.
- 60% of the undergraduate students voluntarily participating in undergraduate research program of the dept.

**UG Research Exposition 2018:** This year, the UG research exposition was conducted on 19th March 2018. A total of 7 undergraduate research projects were presented at the exposition. The undergraduate research projects focussed on topics like Oral cancer awareness posters in Kannada, documentary video on oral cancer, curriculum issues such as early clinical exposure in dental education, medical emergencies in dental institution, Institutional Review Board and oral health education through flipcharts and magazines. Program started with welcome speech by Dr Deepti, followed by paper presentations and deliberations. At the end of the program, the three best papers were awarded by the judges Dr Asha Iyengar and Dr Sucheta. The program was well received by the audience.



Lighting of the Lamp



Paper Presentation by students



Discussion & Deliberations



Audience questions



Vote of thanks by Dr. Harikiran



# NEWS AND EVENTS

## DEPARTMENT OF PEDODONTICS

### School Oral Health Outreach Programmes



- As a part of on-going school oral health programme for the year 2018, the Department of Pediatric and Preventive Dentistry has conducted 53 camps covering over 13,419 children in various districts of Karnataka (Government schools in Yeldur, Srinivaspura taluk, Kolar, Chintamani, Siddlaghatta, Gowri bidanur, Chikkaballapur, Koratagere, Goravanahalli of Tumkur district, Channarayapatna of Hassan district, Kikkere of Mandya district, urban and semi urban areas of Bangalore south district, Tuticorin and Tirunelveli districts in Tamil Nadu).
- Department has also provided treatment for differently abled children in 'Premanjali Foundation - for the visually impaired', 'Mathru foundation - for the physically challenged', Sajappur, Avvai Ashram and 'Shanti school - for the deaf'.

## DEPARTMENT OF ORTHODONTICS

The Department of Orthodontics conducted a CDE program on "Orthodontic Problem Solving" by Dr Ming-Guey TSENG in D.A. Pandu Memorial R.V. Dental College, Bangalore from October 3rd-4th 2018.



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# Women's Day Celebration

The Women's Welfare Committee of DA Pandu Memorial RV Dental College has conducted the following events in the year 2018:

## WOMEN'S DAY CELEBRATIONS

On the occasion of Women's day the Women's Welfare Committee in association with the women's wing of Indian Dental Association, Bangalore branch conducted a programme for the female faculty and students of the college. The programme started with a lecture on "Cancer in Women" by Dr. Sandhya Ravi, consultant breast surgeon and Managing director of Prameya Health Centre Jayanagar. This was followed by a talk on Women's personal hygiene by Mrs. Tanu. Ms Gowthami, a zumba instructor conducted an energetic Zumba class which was followed by a hands on terrarium workshop by Green Yard. Fun filled games, lucky dip and stalls set up by women entrepreneurs were also part of the day's programme.



Faculty members and students with Dr. Sandhya Ravi



Faculty member and students with Zumba instructor Ms. Gowthami



Participants at the terrarium workshop



# Women's Day Celebration

## MCQ TEST ON LEGAL RIGHTS OF WOMEN

The National Commission of Women through the Dental Council of India was keen on creating awareness amongst students of dental colleges regarding the legal rights of women. In this regard the Women's Welfare Committee had conducted a quiz in order to assess the knowledge of our students on various laws pertaining to women such as Dowry Prohibition act, Protection of Women from Domestic violence Act, Immoral traffic Act etc. The test was conducted on 28th November 2018. A total of 113 students participated in the test which consisted of 31 multiple choice questions. The following is the list of winners.

S.No.	Prize	Name of Student	Year
1.	First Prize	Swathi Bhat	II BDS
2.		Nimiya Sebastian	Intern
3.	Second Prize	Dr. Nadia Anjum	Postgraduate Student
4.		Dr. Anu Gokuldas	Postgraduate Student
5.	Third Prize	Manisha Kumari	I BDS
6.		Ankita	Postgraduate Student
7.		Diksha	III BDS
8.		Amrutha Rao	III BDS
9.		Sandhya Hari	I BDS
10.		Ranjitha BR	I BDS



Students participating in MCQ test.

# KANNADA RAJYOTSAVA CELEBRATIONS

DAPMRVDC has been celebrating Kannada Rajyotsava in a very traditional and majestic manner for the past four years. This year too, the staff and students of the institution united enthusiastically to celebrate the 63rd Kannada Rajyotsava on 29th November 2018. The entire institution was adorned in the shades of Kannada culture, red and orange. Honorable Chief Guest, Dr. Srinath, the legendary Kannada film actor, inaugurated the event and hoisted the Karnataka flag. This was followed by a Blood Donation Camp. After a scrumptious lunch, a variety of cultural programmes were organized, the highlight being the play of "Manyaketha", which struck everyone with awe. Thus, ended yet another memorable Kannada Rajyotsava.

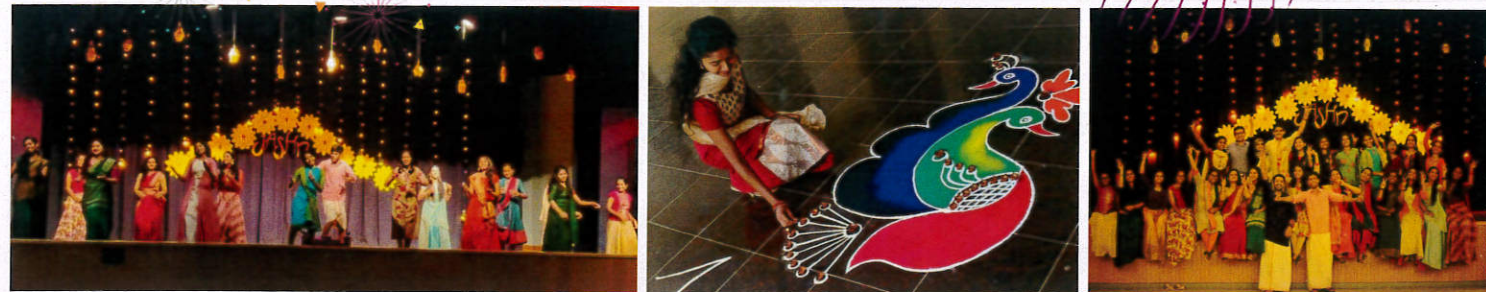


Kannada Rajyotsava celebrations; Dr. Srinath, legendary Kannada film actor was the chief guest





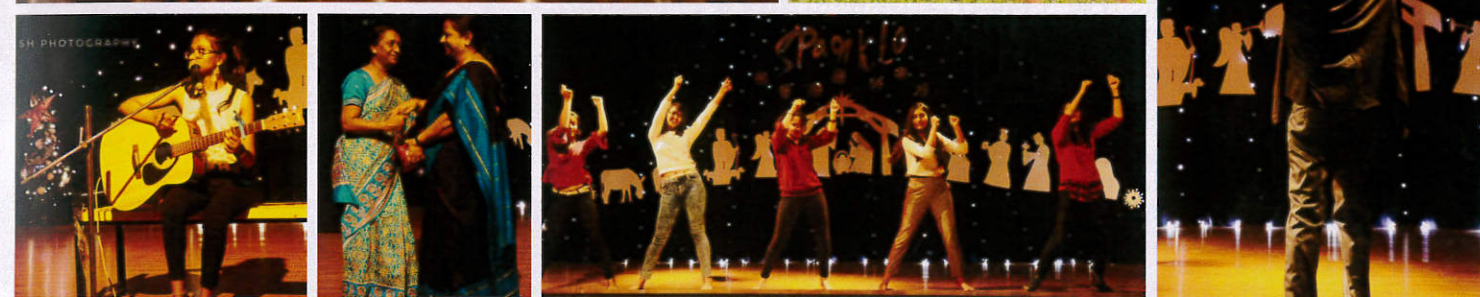
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# RESEARCH

Sl. No.	Department	Completed	Ongoing
1.	Department of Oral medicine and Radiology	3	2
2.	Department of Pedodontics and Preventive dentistry	3	5
3.	Department of Oral & Maxillofacial pathology	4	2
4.	Department of Prosthodontics and Crown & bridge	4	7
5.	Department of Oral & Maxillofacial surgery	2	4
6.	Department of Orthodontics and Dentofacial Orthopaedics	5	10
7.	Department of Conservative dentistry & Endodontics	5	10
8.	Department of Periodontology	2	13
9.	Department of Public Health Dentistry	7	13

## Research Collaborations

- Department of Periodontics has research collaborations with Skanda Life Sciences, Bangalore; K L E College of Pharmacy, Bangalore; Anand diagnostic laboratories; and IISc, Bangalore.
- Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology has collaborations with SHOWA University, Japan; Credora life sciences, Bangalore for MRI and CBCT, respectively; Oral D Diagnostics, Bangalore; and Institute of Genetics & Hospital for Genetic Diseases, Hyderabad.

## Research Grants

- Determination of serum vitamin D<sub>3</sub> in completely edentulous patients – By Dr. N. Kalavathy (Principal investigator), Dr J Sridevi, Dr. Mitha Shetty, Dr. Roshan Kumar (Co – investigators ) from Department of Prosthodontics and Crown & bridge was completed in March 2018 having received grants of amount Rs 2,50,000/- from RGUHS.
- Detection of human papilloma virus and Epstein Barr virus in subjects of oral leukoplakia by polymerase chain reaction (PCR) - By Dr. Asha R Iyengar (Principal investigator), Dr. Seema, Dr. Subash, Dr. Raven Joshi (Co – investigators ) from Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology was completed having received grants of amount Rs 2,55,000/- from RGUHS.

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- Dr.H. Murali, Professor, Department of Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics Contributor & Reviewer for 'Complete Review of dentistry vol I & vol.II' – Published by Wolters Kluwers, Lipincott

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YOU CAN USE TO CHANGE THE WORLD'  
- Nelson Mandela



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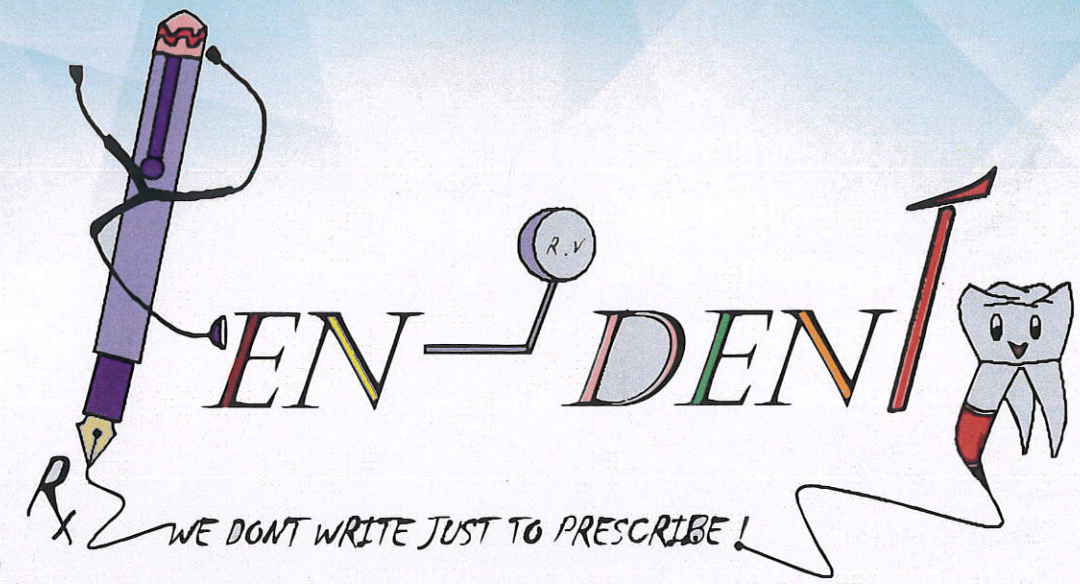
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## From The Editor's Desk...

The past is an "Experience", the present is an "Experiment" and the future is an "Expectation". Use your experience in your experiments to achieve your expectations.

We are already into the second half of this year. Now, is the right time for us to look back and reflect on our achievements during the earlier months of this year and plan for the coming days because the present defines the future and the future builds on the foundation of the past.

Yet again, with the current issue of the college newsletter we are bringing to you the activities and accomplishments of the institution during the first half of the year.

Have a fruitful year ahead...

*Sapna*  
Dr. Sapna N.



# NEWS AND EVENTS

## DEPARTMENT OF ORTHODONTICS AND DENTOFACIAL ORTHOPAEDICS

A two day International Symposium was conducted on 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> June 2016 by the Department of Orthodontics, D.A.P.M. R.V Dental college in association with alumni members of Department of Orthodontics, S.D.M Dental College, Dharwad on the topic "Contemporary Management of Skeletal Malocclusions" to celebrate the 75<sup>th</sup> birthday of Dr. V.P. Jayade.



Dr. Sadashiva Shetty, Principal, Bapuji Dental College and Hospital, Davangere, was invited as the Chief Guest. The programme was also attended by Dr. Gangadhar Prasad, President, Indian Orthodontic Society and Dr. Jyotindra Kumar, Deputy Director of Medical Education, Government of Kerala.



The programme was attended and well appreciated by over 300 delegates including Principals, HODs, senior professors and students from colleges from across the state and from neighbouring states.

## DEPARTMENT OF PERIODONTOLOGY



A presentation was given by Dr. Divya Bhat, Senior Lecturer, Department of Periodontology in collaboration with Colgate Pvt. India Ltd. on "Soft tissue Laser for Periodontal Surgery", on 1<sup>st</sup> June 2016 in the Department of Periodontology addressing post-graduates and interns.



## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH DENTISTRY



Dr. Rajeev, MDS – Public Health Dentistry, Fellow SOCHARA, Alumni of DAPM RVDC, shared his experience of health promotion initiatives at the grass root level with the faculty and PGs on June 13<sup>th</sup> 2016.

This was organized as part of COLLOQUIUM programme, an initiative by Department of Public Health Dentistry. In this programme, achievers from various fields were invited to share their experiences, journey, lessons learnt with faculty, PGs & UGs.

The Faculty and postgraduate students from Department of Public Health Dentistry, visited SOCHARA (Society for Community Health Awareness Research and Action) – A Non Governmental Organization to learn more about the Policy initiatives related to health promotion.



### Outreach programmes conducted by Department of Public Health Dentistry



Oral Health Awareness through Board game “Sparkyman”

Treatment at the camp sites

Sapling planted by the oral health care team at an oral health outreach programme to promote the green cover on the campus at Vaderahalli on June 5<sup>th</sup> 2016.



## INFECTION CONTROL WORKSHOP

An awareness programme on “Infection Control and Biomedical Waste Management for Health Care workers” was conducted by the Infection Control Committee on 27<sup>th</sup> of January 2016 in the Mini Auditorium in two sessions.

Dr. Bharathi, Professor, Department of General Pathology through her beautiful presentation explained the concepts of sterilization, disinfection and waste management to the Group 'D' staff of our college. She explained the topic in a very simple way, at the same time covered the topics thoroughly. Presentation was followed by a one on one discussion on practices in our college. Dr. Bharathi also gave an insight to the staff on how to improvise on currently followed practices.



## WOMEN'S DAY CELEBRATION



On the occasion of Women's Day on 14<sup>th</sup> of March, a field trip to a silk saree weaving factory was organized by Women Welfare Committee for all the female staff of the college. During the field trip, a demonstration on silk saree weaving was given, which was followed by lunch at a restaurant.

## IQAC

Internal Quality Assurance Report (IQAR) for the year 2015 - 2016 has been submitted to NAAC.





# NEWS AND EVENTS

## FELICITATION CEREMONY

A felicitation ceremony of Senate and Syndicate members and for staff and students of our college was held on the 16<sup>th</sup> of March 2016.

The ceremony was presided by Dr. Jayakar M. Shetty, Vice President, Dental Council of India.

The event included felicitation of,

- Dr. Rajakumar S. Alle (President K.S.D.C)
- Dr. Prashanth (Syndicate Member) (Faculty of our college)

Senate members felicitated include:

- Dr. C.S. Ramachandra Bhat
- Dr. N. Srinath
- Dr. Pradeep P.R.
- Dr. Sunil Raj N.
- Dr. Kiran Kumar N. (An alumni of our very own college!)
- Dr. Shashikumar
- Dr. Sadananda M.P.

Following which, was held the felicitation of the staff, as an ode of recognition of their achievements in their respective fields, and recognition of students for their outstanding performance in the recently held university examinations.



## ACHIEVEMENTS OF THE STAFF



**Dr. Dinesh M.R.**, Principal, DAPMRVDC is a member of the following associations:

- Post Graduation Dental Board of Studies in Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences (RGUHS)
- PhD Registration Committee (RGUHS)
- PhD Reviewer Committee (RGUHS)
- Committee to look into the implementation of e-learning methodology (RGUHS)
- NSS Advisory Committee (RGUHS)
- Quality Practice Advisory Committee (RGUHS)
- Academic Council (KLE University)
- Academic Council (Siddhartha University)

❖ He was felicitated by his alma mater, Bapuji Dental College and Hospital, Davangere, on the occasion of their College Day Celebrations to honour him on the achievement of becoming the Principal of D.A.P.M. R.V Dental College.

**Dr. Dinesh M.R.**, Principal, **Dr. Suchetha A.**, Professor and Head, Department of Periodontology and **Dr. Keshava Prasad**, Professor, Department of Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics were felicitated with the certificate of appreciation for their valuable participation in 'Patient Survey Program' for Colgate Sensitive Pro Relief Toothpaste.



**Dr. ANANTHARAJ A.**, Professor, Department of Pediatric and Preventive Dentistry received a certificate of excellence for leadership in the speciality organised by Dental Students Welfare Association of India, Dental Surgeons Association of India hosted by Department of Periodontics, KLE V.K. Institute of Dental Sciences, Belgaum.





## ACHIEVEMENTS OF THE STAFF



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**Dr. Dharma R.M.**, Professor and Head, Department of Orthodontics is a member of American Association of Orthodontists (AAO) and is a fellow of the World Federation of Orthodontists (WFO).

**Dr. Dharma R.M., Dr.Amarnath B.C., Dr.Akshai Shetty, Dr.Manjunath Hegde, Dr.Roopak David and Dr.Pramod K.M.** have attended the Invisalign Certification Course conducted by Dr.Thiti Sirikrai, Thailand, in Bangalore on 15<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup> April 2016.

**Dr. Sapna N.**, Reader, Department of Periodontology and **Dr. Divya Bhat**, Senior Lecturer, Department of Periodontology were invited as the panelists for a discussion on the topic 'Viva Voce' as a part of "Perio Panorama" organized by V.S. Dental College, Bangalore on 30<sup>th</sup> January 2016.



### AWARD WINNING PAPER

**Dr.Jyotsna S.**, Reader, Department of Public Health Dentistry won Best-Paper Award for paper titled "OSCE- is it an effective evaluation tool?" at the National Medical Education Conference, held at JSS University, Mysore on 27<sup>th</sup> and 28<sup>th</sup> February 2016.

### PAPER/ POSTER PRESENTATIONS

**Dr. Dharma R.M.**, Professor and Head, Department of Orthodontics and Dentofacial Orthopedics presented an original research paper on "Association of TGF 3 Gene Variants (rs 2268625, rs 3917201) in Non-syndromic Cleft Lip/Palate" at the American Association of Orthodontists (AAO) 2016 Annual Session in Orlando, FL (U.S.A.) between 29<sup>th</sup> April – 3<sup>rd</sup> May 2016.

**Dr. Pramod K.M.**, Senior Lecturer, Department of Orthodontics and Dentofacial Orthopedics presented an original research paper on "Association of FGFR1 and FGF10 Gene Variants with Non-Syndromic Cleft Lip/ Palate in Local Population" at the American Association of Orthodontists (AAO) 2016 Annual Session in Orlando, FL (U.S.A) between 29<sup>th</sup> April – 3<sup>rd</sup> May 2016.

**Dr. Jyotsna S.**, Reader, Department of Public Health Dentistry, presented an educational research paper on "Situation analysis of communication competency of dental students in DAPMRVDC- the stakeholders perception" at the recently concluded onsite session from 17<sup>th</sup> to 21<sup>st</sup> June 2016 at PSG- FAIMER, Regional Institute, Coimbatore to an audience of International and national health professional educators. She was also trained in curriculum designing, assessment strategies and stakeholder management.



## ACHIEVEMENTS OF THE STUDENTS

**Dr. Ritika Agarwal**, 2<sup>nd</sup> year post graduate student, Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology, won the best poster presentation award for the poster titled "Intraosseous Pleomorphic Adenoma – A rare Case; An Interdisciplinary approach" at the CDE programme 'Odontoplexus', held at The Oxford Dental College, Bangalore on 12<sup>th</sup> April 2016.



**Dr. Raghu Ranjan** and **Dr. Alisha Haldonkar**, 3<sup>rd</sup> year post graduate students and **Dr. Narmada A.**, 2<sup>nd</sup> year post graduate student, Department of Orthodontics won the third prize in the National Quiz contest conducted at the 20<sup>th</sup> IOS PG students Convention, Amritsar on 3<sup>rd</sup> March 2016.



**Dr. Sravani Koduru**, Ex-post graduate student, Department of Periodontology was awarded "The Best Student/ PG Category" at the 8<sup>th</sup> International Dental Students & Second Dental Surgeons Congress 2016 held in KLE V.K. Institute Of Dental Sciences, Belagavi, Karnataka from 9<sup>th</sup>-10<sup>th</sup> April 2016.



**Dr. Bhavana Puvvalla**, 2<sup>nd</sup> year post graduate student, Department of Periodontology won second prize in the Debate competition "PERIO CHARCHA 2016", held at Sri Rajiv Gandhi College of Dental Sciences and Hospital on "Statistical significance not clinical relevance is the need of the hour in periodontal research" on 31<sup>st</sup> March 2016.



## ACHIEVEMENTS OF THE STUDENTS

The following students won laurels for their poster presentations at the 8<sup>th</sup> International Dental Students and 2<sup>nd</sup> Dental Surgeons Congress at KLE V.K. Institute Of Dental Sciences, Belagavi, Karnataka from 9<sup>th</sup>-10<sup>th</sup> April 2016.



**Deepika and Kruthika** from 3<sup>rd</sup> BDS won the best poster award for the poster titled "E-Cigarettes-the new age irony", under the guidance of Dr. Suma S., Reader, Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathology.

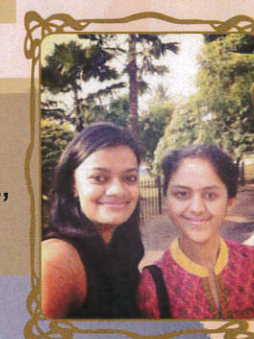
**Neha Mundhra**, 2<sup>nd</sup> BDS and **Kourosh Zare**, 2<sup>nd</sup> BDS won the best poster award for the poster titled "UMAMI- the fifth taste", guided by Dr. Suma S., Reader, Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathology.



**Aaliya Mariam**, 2<sup>nd</sup> BDS won the best poster award for the poster titled "Green Dentistry-Serve to Conserve", guided by Dr. Suma S., Reader, Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathology.



**Arunakshi and Vaishnavi** from 4<sup>th</sup> BDS won the best poster award for the poster titled "Analysis of Muscle – Epithelial distance in Oral submucous fibrosis : A Morphometric study", guided by Dr. Sarita Y., Reader, Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathology.



**Dr. Niharika and Dr. Harsh Ranjan**, House surgeons, won the best poster award for the poster titled, "The Golden Ratio" guided by Dr. Subash, Reader, Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology.



**Maitreyi Desai**, 3<sup>rd</sup> year BDS, won the best poster award for the poster titled "Honey, I Shrunk the Shrinkage" guided by Dr. Divakar, Senior Lecturer, Department of Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics.





# RESEARCH

## PhD Guides

**Dr. Dharma R.M.**, Professor and Head, Department of Orthodontics, **Dr. Anantharaj A.**, Professor, Department of Pedodontics and Preventive Dentistry, **Dr. Prashanth C.S.**, Professor, Department of Orthodontics and **Dr. Keshava Prasad**, Professor, Department of Conservative and Endodontics have been recognized as PhD guides by the Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences (RGUHS), Karnataka.

## RESEARCH PROJECTS

SL No	Department	Completed	Ongoing
1	Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology	2	6
2	Department of Pedodontics and Preventive Dentistry	3	3
3	Department of Oral & Maxillofacial Pathology	5	6
4	Department of Prosthodontics and Crown & Bridge	2	2
5	Department of Oral & Maxillofacial Surgery	2	2
6	Department of Orthodontics and Dentofacial Orthopedics	5	10
7	Department of Conservative Dentistry & Endodontics	-	5
8	Department of Periodontology	-	5
9	Department of General Pathology and Microbiology	-	2

## RESEARCH COLLABORATIONS

- ◆ Department of Periodontology has research collaborations with Skanda Life Sciences, Bangalore and JSD Technodent for CBCT images, Bangalore.
- ◆ Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology has collaborated with Credora Life Sciences and HCG Global.
- ◆ Department of Orthodontics and Dentofacial Orthopedics has collaborated with JSD Technodent for CBCT images, Aristogene Lab for genetic study, Acumen Lab and Dentscan Lab.

## RESEARCH GRANTS

**Dr. N. Kalavathy** (Primary investigator) and **Dr. Sridevi J.** (Co-investigator) from Department of Prosthodontics have received a research grant of Rs. 2,50,000/- from RGUHS for their research project titled "Determination of serum vitamin D<sub>3</sub> in completely edentulous patients".

**Dr. Asha R. Iyengar** (Principal investigator), **Dr. Seema Patil** and **Dr. Revan Kumar Joshi** (Co –investigators ) received grant of amount Rs 2,55,000/- from RGUHS for their research project titled "Detection of Human Papilloma virus and Epsteinbarr virus in subjects of oral leukoplakia by polymerase chain reaction (PCR)"

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SI No	Publications	Department
1	Dr. Murali, Dr. Sunil Mankar, Dr. Shankar. Endodontic management of a three rooted mandibular premolar using CBCT: A case report. Indian Journal of Dental Sciences Mar 2016, 8(1):064 - 066.	Department of Conservative Dentistry & Endodontics
2	Dr.Chitra J., Dr. Suchetha A., Dr. Darshan B.M., Dr. Apoorva S.M., Dr. Divya B., and Dr. Manjari L. Acute phase proteins -An Overview. Journal of Pharmaceutical and Chemical Research Feb 2016; 8(2): 365- 370.	Department of Periodontology
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5	Dr.N.Kalavathy,Dr.Roshan Kumar,Dr.J.Sridevi, D. Mitha Shetty and Dr.Archana Sanketh. Lateral throat form reclassified using a customized gauge: A clinical study. The Journal of Indian Prosthodontic Society, Jan - March 2016; 16(1):20 -25.	Department of Prosthodontics and Crown & Bridge
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7	Dr. M. Sameena Begum, Dr. M.R. Dinesh, Dr. B.C. Amarnath, Dr. R.M. Dharma, Dr. C.S. Prashanth, Dr. K.S. Akshai Shetty and Dr. Varun Pratap Singh. Comparison of the effect of transpalatal arch on periodontal stress and displacement of molars when subjected to orthodontic forces. A finite element analysis" British Journal of Medicine and Medical research 2016;12(12):1-7.	Department of Orthodontics and Dentofacial Orthopedics
8	Dr. Aastha Manchanda, Dr. Asha R. Iyengar and Dr. Seema Patil. Association between Serotonin transporter gene polymorphism and recurrent aphthous stomatitis. Dental Research Journal May 2016;13(3):206 - 210.	Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology
9	Dr. Seema Patil, Dr. Asha R. Iyengar and Dr. Ramneek. Assessment of Knowledge, attitude and practices of dental practitioners regarding temporomandibular joint disorders in India. Journal of Advanced Clinical and Research Insights Mar - April 2016; 3(2):64-71.	Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology
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# State of the art - College Library



## LIBRARY AND INFORMATION CENTRE: A TEMPLE OF LEARNING

If an Education Institution is considered as the Temple of learning then the Library is the sanctum sanctorum of the main shrine.

### BRIEF INTRODUCTION ABOUT OUR LIBRARY & INFORMATION CENTER (LIC)

Library and Information Center at DAPMRVDC is a medium sized Special Library which is enriched with 7601 Volumes and 3526 Titles of Books.

Sl. No.	Particulars	Total in No.
1	International Journals	45
2	National Journals	12
3	National Magazines	07
4	News Papers	06
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6	Back Issues of Journals	1302

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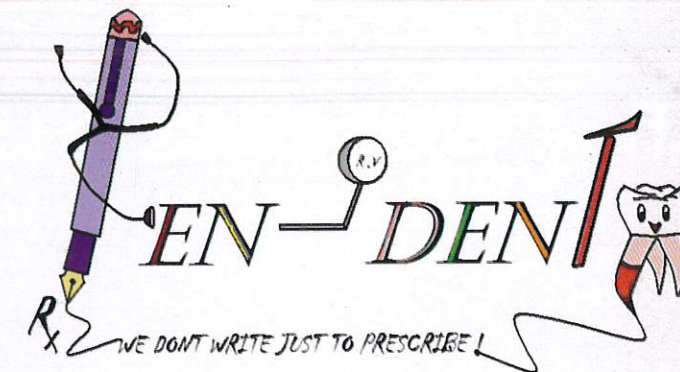
- Library is enriched with LIBSOFT Library Management Software for the Purpose of Transactions of Library Books to Staff and Students, with Bar Code compatibility, Serial Control System.
- WEB OPAC is designed to access the availability of books inside and outside the campus.
- Library books are classified as per the Library of Congress (USA) Scheme of Classification.
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- Tie up with British Council Library for reference and borrow of books on Inter Library Loan Basis.

### SERVICES at LIBRARY & INFORMATION CENTER:-

- Xerox and Printout facility is provided to the users at Nominal Charges.
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# From The Editor's Desk...

From the team of "Magazine committee", I wish you all a very happy and prosperous new year. We are happy to bring it to you the second issue of our college newsletter "pendent".

It is said that "All work and no play makes Jack a dull boy". So, we at RV, make sure that all our staff and students have loads of fun along with academics. This issue brings you the details of the fun filled event of the year, "The Annual College Day" and "Sports Day".

This year we also celebrated "Kannada Rajyotsava". What better way to celebrate this important event than doing a bit towards a social cause? Along with having a cultural event, we also organized a blood donation camp, in collaboration with Lions Club Of India, Bangalore Hanumadri, wherein the staff and students of our college participated voluntarily doing their bit towards society.

So, Come on... Let's rewind those moments with this issue. Happy reading...

*Sapna N.*  
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# NEWS AND EVENTS



## KALEIDOSCOPE - ANNUAL CULTURAL AND SPORTS EVENTS



The Annual Cultural and Sports events were conducted by the Student Welfare Committee during September 2015. Cultural events included music, dance, art and creation competitions.

The Dance and Music competition was held and the teams danced and sang their best. The performances were wonderful and surely made the auditorium come alive!

"The Fashion Show" was one of the attractive events held, which hosted students dressed in costumes according to various themes. The students wore beautiful costumes and walked the ramp.

The Dress from Scrap competition exhibited the creativity in transforming ordinary scrap and waste materials into extraordinary dresses!

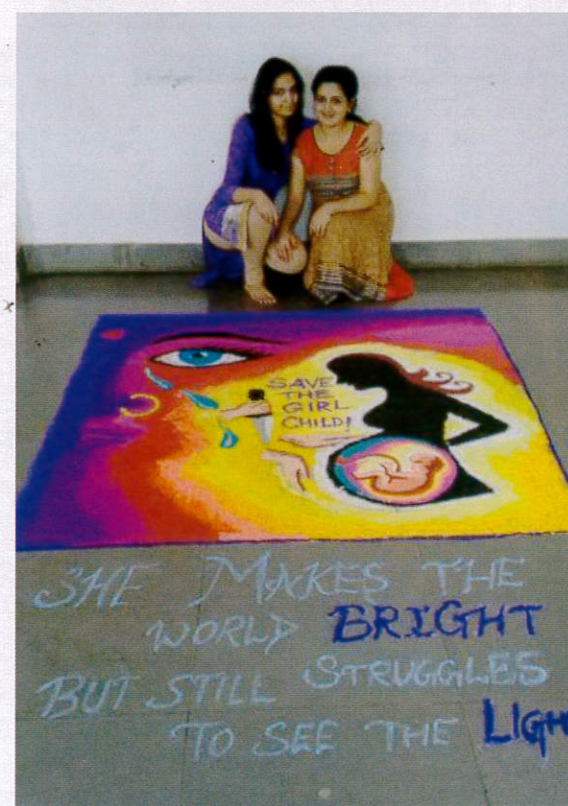
The Rangoli competition showcased various intricate and beautiful Rangoli designs. They were eye-catching and combined with a strong social message.

The cultural events were surely a platform to exhibit one's talent and creativity and they were awarded much appreciation.

A fun fair was held which had various stalls for delicious food and games. The photo booth was the main attraction and memorable photos were captured. The event was well enjoyed by staff and students.

DJ Night was later held in the evening and the students and teachers danced to the latest tunes and beats. It was indeed a memorable day!

The Sports events included outdoor and indoor sports as well as athletic events. Different Sports teams were formed and the best team was awarded the prize. The Sports day began with a march-past followed by 100m Running race, Relay and many other sporting events. All the students, teaching and non-teaching staff participated with much eagerness.





# GRADUATION day

It was time... Time for R.V. to give to the world, a fully enthused batch of Graduates and Post graduates.

The convocation day beckoned us yet again, with its full grandeur!

Held on 8<sup>th</sup> October 2015, this special occasion was presided by Dr. K.S. Ravindranath, Vice Chancellor, RGUHS (chief guest), Dr. M.K. Panduranga Setty, President, RSST and Sri. B.R. Vishwanath Setty, Governing Council Chairman.

The graduation day began with the auspicious lighting of the lamp.

The students were awarded with their certificates, and the proficient were honored with gold medals.

The newly graduated students then took the sacred Hippocrates oath, where they pledged their devotion to our wonderful profession!

Yet again did we celebrate the achievements of the children of our dear staff, in various fields (academics, sports and extra curricular), and awarded them with certificates.

We also proudly released another edition of the PENDENT magazine, which is R.V.D.C. mark in the literary sphere.

The College day was held later in the evening and was enjoyed by Students, Parents of fresh graduates and staff.

It began with great enthusiasm with Welcome song by Aparna, 3<sup>rd</sup> BDS student and followed by amazing Classical dance by Chitra and Bhavana, PGs, Department of Periodontology and Aishwarya Lakshmi, 1<sup>st</sup> BDS student.

The college day hosted various dance and music performance by students but the highlight was truly the Dance by the Staff. What an amazing performance it was! Kudos to all the staff who took part in the event!

Student performance



## Fresh Graduates



Certificate distribution to Fresh Graduates



Honoring the parents of Best outgoing student



Release of pendent magazine



Staff Performance



# Resplendent Rajyotsava

Auspicious lighting of lamp | Flag Hoisting | Blood Donation camp | Yakshagana Performance | Melodrama performance by Staff and students

The 4<sup>th</sup> of December 2015, A historic day marked on the R.V. calendar when we all came together to celebrate the greatness of our state, 'Karnataka'. The day commenced with the lighting of the lamp by the dignitaries, and the hoisting of the yellow and red grandeur, the glory of our state, The Karnataka Flag.

This special event, was Presided by Mr.Thallam Venkatesh, an ex- president of the Lions Club and Mrs.Nirmala Prasad, (President, Lions club), and Mrs.Sumathi (Secretary, Lions Club).The Blood donation campaign, in collaboration with the Lions Club Bangalore, turned out to be a mighty success with the staff and students who voluntarily donated a good 46 units of blood.

The highlight of the programme was the astounding melodrama performance, put up by the staff and students, where they effortlessly narrated the history of our amazing state.

A special mention to our beloved Principal, Dr.Dinesh, The Staff team of the Department of Conservative Dentistry & Endodontics, led by Dr.Shashikala, Dr.Sunil, Dr.Arun, Dr.Divakar and Dr.Shiva Kumar, along with the student team of Dr.Sanjana, Dr.Salmoli, Dr.Rajeesh, Dr.Ravi, Dr.Jabeen, Dr.Rahoul, Dr.Ashwath, Dr.Geeta, Dr.Harini, Sushil and the other staff and student members whose unconditional effort and support made this day a huge success.

We also took this opportunity in felicitating Master Anirudh, a prodigy in the making, and the son of our dear librarian, who was part of the Guinness book of world records, for being part of the largest Electronic Keyboard Ensemble.

# Inauguration of Library

The Renovated Library and Information Center (LIC) at D.A.P.M.R.V.D.C was inaugurated by Dr. C. N. Manjunath, Director, Sri Jayadeva Institute of Cardiology, Bangalore who was the Chief Guest for this programme on 11<sup>th</sup> of September 2015. Hon. Secretary Sri A.V.S. Murthy, Trustees of RSST, Dr. Dinesh M. R. Principal, with Members of Teaching and Non Teaching staff of D.A.P.M.R.V.D.C were also present in the Inauguration programme of Library and Information Centre.

The Library and Information Centre (LIC) at D.A.P.M.R.V.D.C has good collection of Books, International and National Journals for the use of Members of Faculty and Students.

All books at LIC and Departmental Libraries are Classified as per the Library of Congress USA scheme of Classification. All the Books are arranged as per the Classification numbers.

LIC is fully automated such as Bar-Coded Books and Membership cards to save the time of its users for transactions with the Library Management software LIB SOFT.

Under the Valuable guidance of the Principal, Library Advisory committee has been constituted to take library to greater heights. The committee meets once in a month to discuss and take various steps for development.

12 Thin Client systems are provided for students to access e-Library, and HELINET a data base from RGUHS to access E-Journals and WEBOPAC.

The LIC at D.A.P.M.R.V.D.C follows Open Access Book System to save the time of its users where they can choose the books of their requirement.



## Inauguration and Orientation of I B.D.S.Batch Of 2015-16

The Inauguration and Orientation of I B.D.S. for the academic year 2015-16 was held on 6<sup>th</sup> September 2015. Dr. Munir Ahmed, Director, College Development council, RGUHS was the Chief guest and Sri. A.V.S. Murthy, Hon Secretary, RSST presided the ceremony.

It was attended by the new batch of students, their parents and staff.



## Inauguration Of I M.D.S. Course 2015-16

The I M.D.S. course for the academic year 2015-16 was inaugurated on 30<sup>th</sup> May 2015. The event was attended by all faculty, I M.D.S. postgraduate students and their parents.



## Faculty Development programme

The institution organized a "Sensitization programme on educational methodology" by Dr. Munir Ahmed R., Director, College Development Council, RGUHS, Karnataka, on 17<sup>th</sup> August 2015 for the entire teaching faculty.



## Career Development programme For Interns

A guest lecture titled "What's next after B.D.S.?" was organized by the Department of Periodontology on 29<sup>th</sup> July 2015, for the interns. The speaker was Dr. Sridhar, Dental Practitioner, U.K.



## Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology

A guest lecture was delivered on "Radiation Protection" by Dr. Tomohiro Okano, Prof. Emeritus, Showa University, Tokyo, Japan at D.A.P.M.R.V. Dental College, Bengaluru, Karnataka, on 28<sup>th</sup> September 2015. It was well attended by staff and students.

## Department of Pedodontics and Preventive Dentistry

The Department of Pedodontics and Preventive Dentistry conducted an interschool competition for 800 children from 10 schools in our college premises in association with St. Paul's English School on 1<sup>st</sup> August 2015. The events included charcoal shading, water color, graffiti, folk art, acrylic pastel. The prize winning paintings and art work done by the children are retained in our college for display.



Kindergarten children from PLANET KIDS visited the Department of Pedodontics in two batches on 11<sup>th</sup> September 2015. Oral health education and screening was provided for all the children.



## Annual School Oral Health Camp

Annual School Oral Health Camp was conducted for 31 schools in Tirunelveli and Tuticorin district, Tamil Nadu from 9<sup>th</sup> - 22<sup>nd</sup> August 2015. A team of 26 dentists including staff, PGs, UG students from Department of Pedodontics and Preventive Dentistry and alumni of our college from various parts of the country attended the same. 12,792 children were screened and treated in this programme. The Camp was inaugurated by MLAs and the news appeared in all vernacular newspapers and television.



## Caring For Children With Special Health Care Needs

Department also conducted special dental camp at Ramana Maharshi Academy For Blind And Asha Sadan For Disabled, NIMHANS, Remand Home.







An oral health camp was held by Department of Pedodontics and Preventive Dentistry at Dairy Circle, Government School on 6<sup>th</sup> October 2015. It was visited by Head, Bosch - Asia.

## Department Of Conservative Dentistry & Endodontics

Department of Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics, organized a CDE programme titled "Micro-endodontics in Dental Practice" in our institution on 17<sup>th</sup> Aug 2015. The speaker was Dr. Anuj Bharadwaj, Sri Aurobindo College of Dentistry, Indore, and alumni of our college.



A webinar was organized by the Department of Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics, titled "Porcelain laminate veneers for excellent aesthetics and durability" on 10<sup>th</sup> June 2015. The guest lecture was delivered by Dr. Porous Turner.



**Dr. Dinesh M.R.**, Principal, has been appointed as a Member for PG Board of Studies, RGUHS, Karnataka; 'Quality practices' Advisory committee for RGUHS; and committee to look into the implementation of e-learning methodology at RGUHS. He is also elected as Vice President of R.V. Employer's Association.



**Dr. N. Kalavathy**, Professor and Head, Department of Prosthodontics was awarded for her outstanding service rendered at the School Oral Health programme organized by the Department of Pedodontics and Preventive Dentistry at Tirunelveli-Tuticorin district, Tamil Nadu in August 2015.



**Dr. Veerendra Kumar B.**, Professor and Head, Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathology, has been appointed as an Executive Committee Member of the Indian Association of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathologists.



**Dr. Madhura M.G.**, Reader, Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathology, has also been appointed as a Member, PG Board of Studies, RGUHS, Karnataka.



**Dr. Darshan B. Mundinamane**, Reader, Department of Periodontology, has been appointed as an Executive Committee Member of the Indian Society of Periodontology.



### AWARD WINNING PAPER

**Dr. Roshan Kumar**, Reader, Department of Prosthodontics has won the best paper presentation on "Know what's in your Implant" at the 43<sup>rd</sup> Indian Prosthodontic Society Conference 2015, held at Hyderabad, from 4<sup>th</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup> December 2015.



## Guest Speeches

**Dr. Shashikala K.**, Professor and Head, Department of Conservative Dentistry & Endodontics, **Dr. Divya Bhat**, Senior Lecturer, Department of Periodontology, **Dr. Chinmay Dilip Vakade**, Senior Lecturer, Department of Oral & Maxillofacial Surgery delivered lectures on “Applications of Lasers in Dentistry” on 18<sup>th</sup> December, 2015 in D.A.P.M.R.V. Dental College addressing the staff and students of RVCE (Department of Biotechnology).

**Dr. Prashanth C.S.**, Professor, Department of Orthodontics and Dentofacial Orthopedics gave a guest lecture on “Multi – Faceted Non-invasive Anchorage Devices in Orthodontics” at 50<sup>th</sup> Indian Orthodontic Conference held at Hyderabad from 11<sup>th</sup> – 13<sup>th</sup> December.

**Dr. Akshai Shetty**, Professor, Department of Orthodontics and Dentofacial Orthopedics gave a guest lecture on “Surgery First Orthognathic Approach – An Orthodontist’s Perspective” at 50<sup>th</sup> Indian Orthodontic Conference held at Hyderabad from 11<sup>th</sup> – 13<sup>th</sup> December.

**Dr. Deepak S.**, Reader, Department of Oral & Maxillofacial Surgery gave a Guest lecture on “Sinus Lift in Implantology” at 5<sup>th</sup> South East Asia Symposium on Oral Implantology by ICOI, Chennai from 3<sup>rd</sup>-4<sup>th</sup> October 2015.

**Dr. Madhura M.G.**, Reader, Department of Oral & Maxillofacial Pathology, gave a guest lecture on “Tumour-like lesions of oral cavity” at the Zonal CDE programme at Narayana Dental College and Hospital, Nellore, on 26<sup>th</sup> September 2015.

**Dr. Revan Kumar Joshi**, Senior Lecturer, Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology gave a guest lecture on “Medication induced salivary gland diseases” in the International CDE programme organised by Sri Aurobindo College of Dental Sciences, Indore on 30<sup>th</sup> September 2015.

## Resource Persons

**Dr. Suma S.**, Reader, Department of Oral & Maxillofacial Pathology, was invited as resource person for teachers' training workshop: “Training of Teachers Workshop on Educational Science and Technology for Teachers of Dental College”, at Sri Siddhartha Dental College, Tumkur, from 4<sup>th</sup> to 6<sup>th</sup> August 2015 and ITS Dental College, Greater Noida, UP, from 17<sup>th</sup> to 19<sup>th</sup> October 2015. The workshop was conducted under the leadership of Dr. D.K. Srinivas.

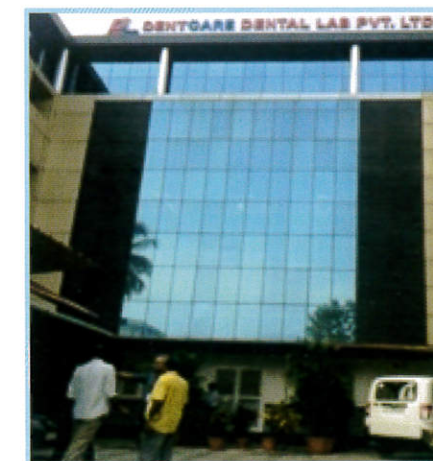
## Workshops

**Dr. Jyotsna** and **Dr. Deepti**, Readers, Department of Public Health Dentistry, attended a Grant writing workshop on 20<sup>th</sup> August 2015 organized by Devraj Urs Medical college, Medical education unit under Department of Physiology held at Kolar.

**Dr. Deepti** attended a Science communication workshop held at Hyderabad on 14<sup>th</sup> & 15<sup>th</sup> September 2015 conducted by DBT/Wellcome trust.



The Staff of Department of Pedodontics and Preventive Dentistry and Department of Prosthodontics visited Dent care Dental lab– Cochin on June 1<sup>st</sup> to learn latest laboratory techniques in dentistry and Vittal Mallya Research Foundation on 3<sup>rd</sup> July 2015 as Orientation for research programme.





## Paper / Poster Presentations

**Dr. Dharma R.M.**, Professor, Department of Orthodontics and Dentofacial Orthopedics presented a paper on "Association of EDA and BMP2 gene variants in class I crowding cases in South Indian population" at the 8<sup>th</sup> International Orthodontic Congress Doctor's programme conducted by British Orthodontic Society and World Federation of Orthodontists held in London (UK) from 27<sup>th</sup> – 30<sup>th</sup> September 2015.

**Dr. Deepak S.**, Reader, Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery presented a paper on "Mucormycin – A fatal fungal disease affecting maxillofacial region – A case series" at FDI, Bangkok held from 24<sup>th</sup> -26<sup>th</sup> August 2015.

**Dr. Chinmay Dilip Vakade**, Senior Lecturer, Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery presented a paper on "Tissue Engineering in Implantology" at the 5<sup>th</sup> South East Asia Symposium on Oral Implantology at Chennai from 3<sup>rd</sup> -4<sup>th</sup> October 2015.

**Dr. Pavan T.P.**, Senior Lecturer, Department of Prosthodontics and Crown & Bridge presented a research paper titled – "Bone implant contact and its influence on Peri-implant tissues" at 43<sup>rd</sup> Indian Prosthodontic Society Conference, Hyderabad from 4<sup>th</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> December 2015.

**Dr. Sharmila Arjunan**, Senior Lecturer, Department of Orthodontics and Dentofacial Orthopedics, presented a research paper titled "Dermatoglyphics and Cheiloscopy in the Inheritance of CL(P) – A Case Control Study" in the competitive category at the 50<sup>th</sup> Indian Orthodontic Conference held from 11<sup>th</sup> to 13<sup>th</sup> December 2015.

## Student MERITS

## Heartly Congratulations

Following Post Graduate students have secured University Ranks (RGUHS) for the MDS examination held during May 2015.



**Dr. Janani R.**  
1<sup>st</sup> Rank  
Oral and Maxillofacial Pathology



**Dr. Shwetha R. Dani**  
2<sup>nd</sup> Rank  
Oral and Maxillofacial Pathology



**Dr. Vivek Kumar**  
5<sup>th</sup> Rank  
Oral and Maxillofacial Pathology



**Dr. Shriyanka R**  
7<sup>th</sup> Rank  
Oral Medicine & Radiology

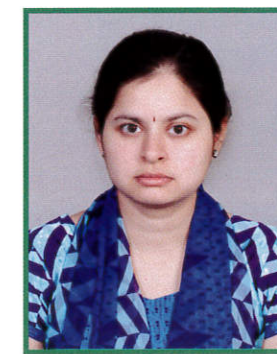


**Dr. Prajakta V. Phadke**  
4<sup>th</sup> Rank  
Periodontology

Congratulations to the undergraduate students from I BDS to IV BDS who have excelled and passed with flying colours in the University examination held in June 2015.

Year	Appeared	Distinction	I Class	Pass Percentage
I BDS	54	18	27	91
II BDS	48	19	28	100
III BDS	49	3	34	100
IV BDS	51	3	35	91

## Paper/ Poster Presentations by Students



Dr. Soumya B., Postgraduate student, Department of Oral & Maxillofacial Pathology won the Best Paper Award for her scientific paper titled "Will bleached vegetable oil be a suitable alternative to xylene in tissue processing?" at the XXIV National Conference of the Indian Association of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathologists, Jaipur, from 20<sup>th</sup> to 22<sup>nd</sup> November 2015.

Dr. Gokul Raj T.R., Intern, won the best paper & session award at OSMECON 2015- National Medical Conference from 26<sup>th</sup> - 28<sup>th</sup> August 2015, at Osmania Medical College, Hyderabad for the paper titled "Undergraduate dental students perception on undergraduate research in a dental teaching institution in Bangalore, India - A Cross Sectional Study."



## P.G. Student Presentations

SL No	Department	No. of presentations
1	Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology	4
2	Department of Pedodontics and Preventive Dentistry	6
3	Department of Oral & Maxillofacial Pathology	9
4	Department of Prosthodontics and Crown & Bridge	3
5	Department of Orthodontics and Dentofacial Orthopedics	4
6	Department of Conservative Dentistry & Endodontics	4
7	Department of Public Health Dentistry	3

## U.G. Presentations

Divya Das, IV BDS student, presented a paper at 43<sup>rd</sup> KSDC conference held at Bantwal, Mangalore from 17<sup>th</sup>-20<sup>th</sup> December 2015 titled "Dental students perception on OSCE as an evaluation tool."



# RESEARCH

Research Projects Of The Institution

SL No	Department	Completed	Ongoing
1	Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology	3	3
2	Department of Pedodontics and Preventive Dentistry	4	6
3	Department of Oral & Maxillofacial Pathology	3	3
4	Department of Prosthodontics and Crown & Bridge	5	7
5	Department of Oral & Maxillofacial Surgery	2	4
6	Department of Orthodontics and Dentofacial Orthopedics	5	10
7	Department of Conservative Dentistry & Endodontics	5	10
8	Department of General Pathology and Microbiology	-	2
9	Department of Periodontology	3	6
10	Department of Public Health Dentistry	6	9

## Research Collaborations

Department of Periodontology has 6 research projects in collaboration with Skanda life sciences, Bangalore.

Department of Orthodontics and Dentofacial Orthopedics has collaborated with JSD Technodent for CBCT images, Aristogene Lab for genetic study, Acumen Lab and Dentscan Lab.

Department of Pedodontics and Preventive Dentistry has collaborated projects with Vittal Mallya Scientific research foundation and Hindustan Unilever Industries private limited.

## Research Grants

### STAFF PROJECTS

**Dr. N.Kalavathy** (Principal investigator) & **Dr. J.Sridevi** (Co –investigator ) from Department of Prosthodontics and Crown & Bridge received Grants of amount Rs 2,50,000/- from RGUHS for the research project titled “Determination of serum Vitamin D3 in completely edentulous patients”.

**Dr. Asha R. Iyengar** (Principal investigator), **Dr.Seema Patil** & **Dr. Revan Kumar Joshi** (Co –investigators ) received Grants of amount Rs 2,50,000/- from RGUHS for the research project titled “Detection of Human Papilloma Virus and Epstein Barr Virus in subjects of oral leukoplakia by polymerase chain reaction (PCR)”



**Dr.Tulika**, 2<sup>nd</sup> year P.G., Department of Public Health Dentistry has received a grant of amount Rs.25,000 by ICMR (2015) for her research project titled “Danta Katha Loka- Oral health edutainment through story telling for 3-6 year old children – A quasi experimental study design.”



**Dr. Chitra Jayachandran**, 2<sup>nd</sup> year post graduate student of Department of Periodontology has been awarded with a sponsorship of Rs. 10,000 by Colgate Palmolive for her dissertation project “Assessment of anti-bacterial, anti-inflammatory and anti-oxidant properties of Psidium Guajava.”

# Publications

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2.	Jaya AR , Umapathy, Nidhi K N, Prasanna K B, Miloni S V, Ramya B J. “Nano Dentistry –A Dental Boon”. International Journal of Oral Care and Research July 2015; Vol 3(9).	Department of Pedodontics and Preventive Dentistry
3.	Sunil V, Chinmay D Vakade. “Management of Intraosseous Hemangioma – A Case Report”. Annals of Dental Specialty 2015; Vol 3(1).	Department of Oral & Maxillofacial Surgery
4.	Chinmay D Vakade. “Comparison between skin staples and sutures in head and neck cancer patients”. Journal of Maxillofacial and Oral Surgery June 2015 ; 1-8.	Department of Oral & Maxillofacial Surgery
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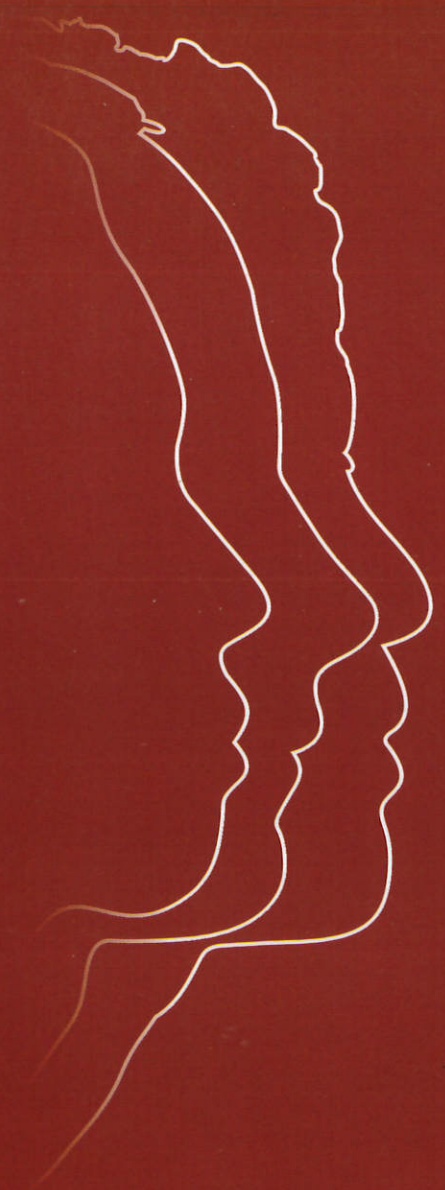


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15.	Sravani K, Suchetha A, Darshan B M, Divya B, Chandran N, Rajeshwari HR. "Plant products in dental and periodontal disease: An overview". International journal of Medical and Dental Sciences July 2015;Vol 4(2):913-921.	Department of Periodontology
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20.	Suchetha A, Nanditha C, Divya B, Sapna N , Sravani K, Darshan BM. "Comparative evaluation of hematological parameters in periodontally healthy, gingivitis and periodontitis subjects". J. Chem. Pharm. Res. Aug 2015;Vol 7(8):407- 413.	Department of Periodontology
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27.	Swaroopa, Shashikala K, Keshava PBS. "Cone Beam Computed Tomography- Adding Three Dimensions To Endodontics." International Dental And Medical Journal Of Advanced Research (2015); Vol 1:1-6.	Department of Conservative Dentistry & Endodontics
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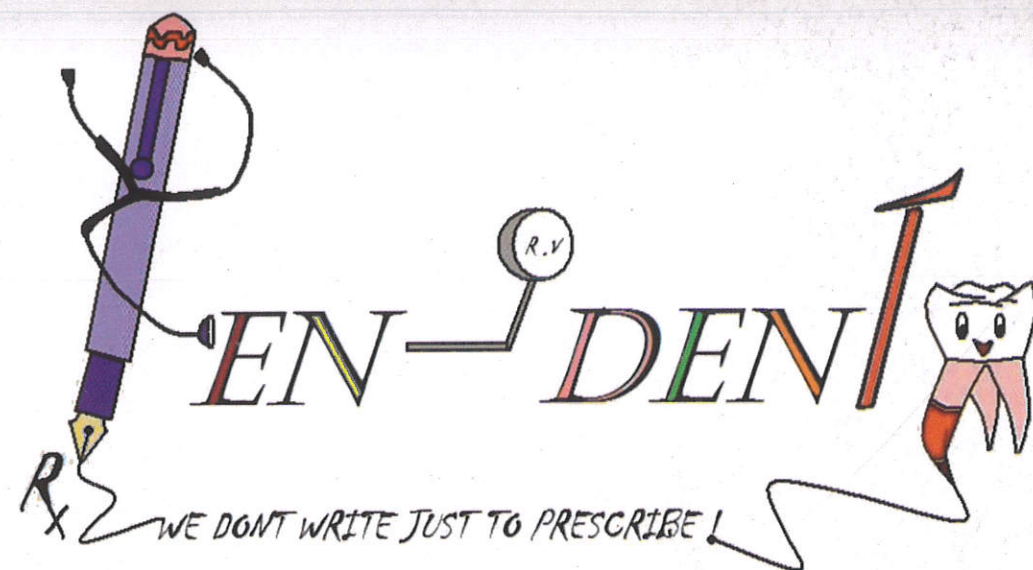
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NEWSLETTER




## From The Editor's Desk.....

Year 2014 ended with the most awaited event of the year-“**National Assessment And Accreditation Council (NAAC)** peer team visit”, wherein we showcased all our strengths and opportunities as well as our dreams and hopes. All our struggle and efforts throughout the year proved fruitful with NAAC committee conferring our institution with “A” grade status. I use this platform to congratulate all teaching faculty, office /Group ‘D’ staff members and students who have contributed to this success story directly or indirectly. However, as *Hal-Borland* said, “*Year’s end is neither an end nor a beginning but a going on, with all the wisdom that experience can instil in us*”. So I just want to say “*Keep up the Spirit, keep going*”. Journey of success and perseverance should go on.

As advised by the principal, magazine committee, from this year onwards will be bringing out the College Newsletter twice a year with the main purpose to make all the stakeholders of the institution aware of the happenings and the achievements of the institution.

Success is never "Permanent" and Failure is never "Final". So, always do not stop efforts until your Victory makes "History".

Anticipating your co-operation in this endeavour.....



Dr. Sapna N.

## What 'A' Achievement !!!

To ensure the delivery of quality education and high standards of patient care, the institution went through the second cycle of National Assessment And Accreditation Council inspection from 18<sup>th</sup> to 20<sup>th</sup> December, 2014. The institution was awarded an “A” Grade for quality performance and improvement in curriculum, infrastructure and research.



## News & Events

### Department Of Prosthodontics And Crown & Bridge

The Department of Prosthodontics organized a Master Class Programme in Prosthodontics on 24<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup> January 2015 at D.A.P.M.R.V. Dental College in association with Karnataka Prosthodontic Society and Bangalore Prosthodontic Forum. This programme was conducted for the final year MDS students to give them an opportunity to listen to the views of the various post graduate teachers from different parts of the country and also to give them an idea about answering the theory paper, clinical exam along with the deliberation and clarification of controversial viva voce questions. Dr. Sridevi, Professor, Department of Prosthodontics delivered a lecture at this master class programme.



A denture camp was conducted from the department at the Ashakta Poshaka Sabha, V.V. Puram, Bangalore from 16-04-2015 to 20-05-2015. The camp was successfully completed wherein 17 patients were treated (13 complete dentures and 4 removable partial dentures). Post insertion checkup was done and the patients were satisfied with the dentures.



### Department Of Oral Medicine And Radiology

The Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology organized a CDE programme on "Radiotherapy and PET scan in head and neck cancer" in collaboration with HCG cancer centre on 25<sup>th</sup> February 2015. Dr Shilpa, Dr. K.G Kallur, Dr.Vishal Rao and Dr.Kumaraswamy were the guest speakers. An overwhelming response from faculty and postgraduate students of institutions across Karnataka was evident.

Another CDE Programme was conducted on "Dental management of Medically Compromised Patients and Chemotherapy in Oral cancer" on 24<sup>th</sup> June 2015. Guest Speakers were Dr. Govind Babu and Dr. G.D. Ravindran.





## Department Of Orthodontics And Dentofacial Orthopedics



On the occasion of the Golden Jubilee year of the Indian Orthodontic Society (IOS), the Department of Orthodontics in association with Bangalore Orthodontic Study Group (BSOG) hosted the "Smile Torch Program" on 4<sup>th</sup> March, 2015.

The smile torch was received by our Principal, Dr. M.R.Dinesh from Dr. Santosh, HOD, Department of Orthodontics, Vokkaligara Sangha Dental College, Bangalore. This was followed by a Smile March to spread the awareness about the benefits of Orthodontic treatment among the general public. Various cultural events with the theme "Embrace your smile" were also conducted.

A day long CDE programme on "NEW VISTAS IN ORTHODONTICS" was held on 26<sup>th</sup> June 2015 by Dr. Nanda Kumar J, MDS, M Dent Sc, Faculty, Division of Orthodontics, University of Connecticut, USA. The programme was attended by over 200 delegates including HODs, senior professors and students from across Karnataka and neighbouring states.



## Department Of Pedodontics And Preventive Dentistry



Department of Pedodontics and preventive dentistry had organized a guest lecture by Dr. Sriram on "Fiber technology and newer composites in Dentistry" on 18<sup>th</sup> March 2015 at D.A. Pandu Memorial R.V. Dental College.

## Department Of Oral And Maxillofacial Surgery

The 5<sup>th</sup> Karnataka State Chapter of Association of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeons of India (AOMSI) conducted the State Annual Conference in collaboration with D.A.P.M.R.V. Dental College in March 2015.

## Department Of Periodontology

A guest lecture on "Periodontal health in implant patients" by Dr. Apoorva S.M., Reader, Department of Periodontology, D.A.P.M.R.V.D.C. was organized by Department of Periodontology and Colgate Palmolive, on 29<sup>th</sup> April 2015. It was well attended by all the staff and the students.



## Department Of Conservative and Endodontics



The Department of Conservative Dentistry & Endodontics in association with the Academy of Conservative Dentistry & Endodontics (ACE), Bangalore felicitated the Senior Endodontist, former Principal of GDC & the first Dental Surgeon to occupy the post of Director of Medical Education, Karnataka, Dr. N. Rajeev Shetty on 11<sup>th</sup> April, 2015 in recognition of his glorious career. He is also the recipient of "Doctor of Science" (DSc)- Honoris Causa from the prestigious Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Karnataka.

## Department Of Public Health Dentistry

Dr. Ashok Kumar, Head of the Department, Allied health courses, KLE University, Belgaum, gave a talk on "Life is beautiful, Do not stress. Stay Calm-Stay Healthy= Stay Long" on March 2<sup>nd</sup> 2015 for the undergraduate students.

## Staff And Student Welfare Committee

A guest lecture on "Bone Marrow Registry Donor Awareness Drive" by Dr. S.R. Umesh, Secretary, Bangalore Medical College Alumni Association, Bangalore was arranged on 20<sup>th</sup> April 2015 in D.A.P.M.R.V. Dental College, Bangalore by the Staff and Student Welfare Committee. All the faculty members and students attended the lecture and many among them voluntarily registered for the bone marrow donation.





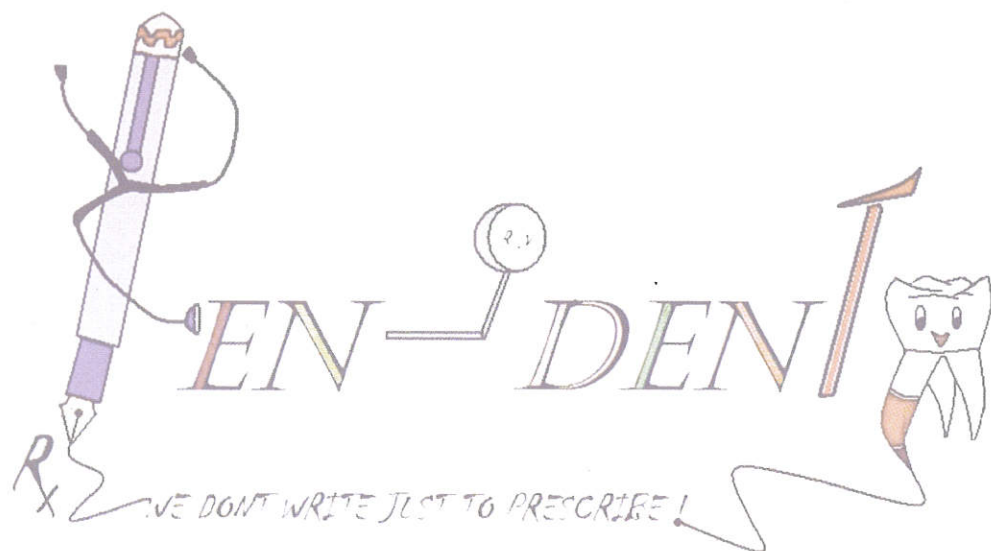
# News & Events

## Women Welfare Committee

On the occasion of Women's day, the Women's Welfare Committee had organized a get together for all the female faculty members, interns and post graduate students on 23<sup>rd</sup> march, 2015 in DADH Lab, D.A.P.M.R.V. Dental College, Bangalore.

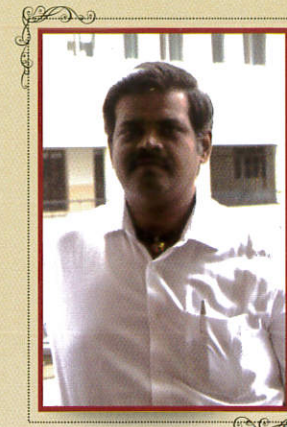


The session included demonstration and display of vegetable carving by Mrs. Mubeen followed by games and refreshments.



## Achievements Of The Staff

All the staff and students of D.A.P.M.R.V. Dental College wholeheartedly congratulate Dr. Prashanth C.S., Professor, Department of Orthodontics for being nominated as a Syndicate member, RGUHS, Karnataka.



## Prize Winning Papers



🏆 Dr. Sridevi, Professor, Department of Prosthodontics, presented a paper on "Comparative evaluation of impression techniques in Implant Dentistry" at the 68<sup>th</sup> Indian Dental Conference, Manpho Convention Centre, Bangalore, from 13<sup>th</sup> to 15<sup>th</sup> February 2015 and was awarded 2<sup>nd</sup> prize for her presentation.

🏆 Dr. Jyotsna, Reader, Department Of Public Health Dentistry, was awarded the Best paper for her paper presentation on Oral Health Information in the "Curriculum of Karnataka State Secondary Education Board Syllabus – Is it enough? – A Content Analysis" at the 68<sup>th</sup> National Indian Dental Conference held at the Manpho Convention Centre Bangalore from 13<sup>th</sup>-15<sup>th</sup> feb 2015.

🏆 At the same conference, Dr. Deepti, Reader, Department Of Public Health Dentistry, was also awarded with the second best paper award for her paper presentation on "Formative Vs Summative assessment – Faculty perceptions from a Dental institution in India."

🏆 Dr. Sarita Yanduri, Reader, Department of Oral Pathology presented a paper titled "Lichenoid features and fibrosis – Coexistence in quid induced lesions" at the XII National triple 'O' conference conducted by Faculty of Dental Sciences at Bangalore on 13<sup>th</sup>, 14<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> March 2015. It has been published in a pubmed indexed journal as a part of a competition conducted at the same conference.





## Guest Speeches/Paper Presentations

- At the 19<sup>th</sup> IOS PG Students Convention held between 26<sup>th</sup> Feb- 1<sup>st</sup> Mar 2015 at NIMHANS Convention Centre, Bangalore-
  - ☛ Our Principal, Dr. M.R. Dinesh, was invited to deliver a Key-note lecture on "Understand Genetics: Role in Diagnosis & Treatment Planning."
  - ☛ Dr. Akshai Shetty, Professor, Department of Orthodontics delivered a Key-note lecture on "Cleft Lip and Palate – Orthodontist's Role – Then & Now."
- Dr. S. Girish Rao, Professor and HOD of the Department of Oral and Maxillofacial surgery, was the guest speaker at the 5<sup>th</sup> Karnataka State Chapter of Association of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeons of India (AOMSI), held at Bangalore in March 2015 where he gave a lecture on "Rare Infections in maxillofacial Region."
- Dr. Akshai Shetty was a guest speaker for the CDE programme held at Yenepoya University on 28<sup>th</sup> March 2015 and the topic was "Planning for Orthognathic Surgery- Art or Science". He was also the guest speaker for the topic "Surgical Orthodontics" at the Courtyard Marriot, Mumbai on 14<sup>th</sup> June, 2015.
- Dr. Murali, Professor, Department of Conservative and Endodontics, was the guest speaker for a CDE programme held at Ernakulam, Kerala on 15<sup>th</sup> Mar 2015. The topic was "Endodontic flare-ups". He also presented a paper titled "Do's and Don't's for indirect restoration" at the Midterm PG convention, at Indore on 1<sup>st</sup> March 2015.
- Dr. Subash B.V., Reader of Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology presented a paper titled "Influence of horizontal condylar angle and x-ray projection angle on the appearance of condyle on the lateral TMJ panoramic radiographs" at the XIII Indian Academy of oral medicine and radiology National Triple 'O' conference at MS Ramaiah Dental College in March 2015.
- Dr. Archana Sanketh, Senior Lecturer, Department of Prosthodontics, presented a paper titled " Forensic Dentistry" at the 68<sup>th</sup> Indian Dental Conference held from 13<sup>th</sup> to 15<sup>th</sup> February 2015 at Manpho Convention Centre, Bangalore.
- Dr. Madhura MG, Reader, Department of Oral Pathology, presented a paper titled "Role of tissue eosinophils in oral leukoplakia- A pilot study" at XII National Triple 'O' conference conducted by Faculty of Dental Sciences at MS Ramaiah University of Applied sciences, Bengaluru on 13<sup>th</sup>, 14<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> March 2015.

## Resource Persons

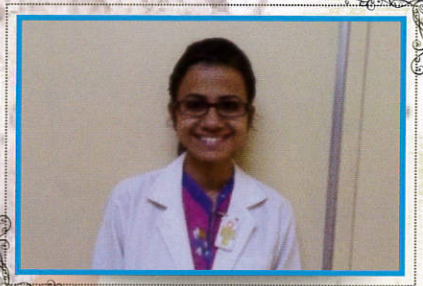
- Dr Bhagyalakshmi, Head of the Department of Anatomy and Dr. Preethi Hegde, Department of Physiology were invited by the RGUHS to be the resource persons for the 6<sup>th</sup> cohort of short course in Educational Methodology.(FEB-APRIL 2015). Dr. Bhagyalakshmi gave a presentation on teaching and learning media on 24<sup>th</sup> February 2015 and was also a chairperson for the microteaching session on the same day. Dr. Preethi Hegde was also a resource person for the microteaching session.
- Dr. Sunil, Dr. Arun, Dr. Shivakumar, Dr. Divakar, Dr. Madhura, Dr. Prashanth, Dr. Deepti, Dr. Jyotsna, Dr. Sridevi, Dr. Pratibha, Dr. Pavithra and Dr. Sharmila staff of our College have successfully completed a short course on educational methodology conducted by RGUHS during the months of February to April 2015.
- Among them, Dr. Deepti, Dr. Madhura, Dr. Arun, Dr. Sunil & Dr. Divakar were the resource persons for the 7<sup>th</sup> Cohort of Short course in Educational Methodology held at Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bengaluru. They were the resource persons for the sessions - "Multiple choice questions" and "Microteaching" of Short course on Educational Methodology (7<sup>th</sup> Cohort) at Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bengaluru.
- Dr. Jyotsna S. Reader, Department of Public Health Dentistry has been selected for the foundation for Advancement of International Medical Education and Research Fellowship (FAIMER) at the PSG Regional Centre, Coimbatore for the years 2015-17.





## Achievements of the Students

Two 3<sup>rd</sup> year post graduate students from the Department of Oral medicine and Radiology, Dr. Ramya Madhuri Kotni and Dr. Mansimranjit Kaur Uppal won the SECOND best scientific paper in the XIII National Triple O Symposium 2015 held on 13<sup>th</sup>, 14<sup>th</sup>, and 15<sup>th</sup> March 2015 at Faculty of Dental Sciences, M.S Ramaiah University Of Applied Sciences, Bengaluru for Paper Presentations titled "Evaluation of efficacy of TENS using Ultrasonography in subjects with Myositis and Myofacial pain" and "Radio morphometric localization of mental foramen and mandibular canal by Cone Beam Computed Tomography as an aid to gender determination - A retrospective study" respectively.



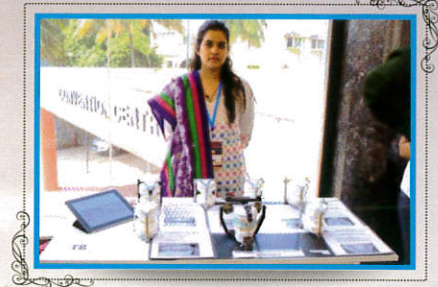
Dr. Sravani Kodur, Dr. Nanditha Chandran and Dr. Chitra Jayachandran, post graduate students from the Department of Periodontology won first prize at the intercollege quiz competition "PERIOSPARDHA" held at Krishnadevaraya College of Dental sciences, Bangalore on 17<sup>th</sup> April 2015.



Dr. Aastha Aggarwal, II year MDS student from Department of Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics, won first prize for poster presentation on topic - "CAD CAM- A Paradigm Shift In Dentistry" At 16<sup>th</sup> IACDE- IES PG Convention, Ghaziabad held from 4<sup>th</sup> June, 2015 to 6<sup>th</sup> June, 2015.

Dr. Hanna, 2<sup>nd</sup> year MDS student, Department of Public Health Dentistry, won the Best paper award at the 9<sup>th</sup> National Convention from 19<sup>th</sup>-20<sup>th</sup> June, 2015 at the Narayana Dental College, Nellore for the paper titled "Students perception on present undergraduate Dental Public Health curriculum in India- A cross sectional study".

At the 19<sup>th</sup> IOS PG Students Convention held between 26<sup>th</sup> Feb- 1<sup>st</sup> Mar 2015 at NIMHANS Convention Centre, Bangalore, Dr. Ruchira Shreevats, 2<sup>nd</sup> year Post Graduate Student, Department of Orthodontics was awarded the 3<sup>rd</sup> prize for Table Clinic on "Splints – A Multifaceted Appliance".



At the same convention, Dr. Raghu Ranjan Prasad, II year Post Graduate Student, Department of Orthodontics was awarded the 3<sup>rd</sup> prize in singing competition (Cultural Events).

Following Undergraduate students were awarded with prizes for their paper presentations at the 68<sup>th</sup> National Indian Dental Conference held from 13<sup>th</sup>-15<sup>th</sup> feb 2015 at the Manpho Convention Centre Bangalore.

TOPIC	STUDENT	AWARD
Standards of Evaluation of Kident Magazine on 6-8 year old children in Bangalore, A qualitative study.	Pavithra, Final Year Student	Best Paper Award
Effectiveness of Health Education on Knowledge, Attitude and Practices of Oral Health of 1 <sup>st</sup> year RV Management Students – A pre and post Comparative study.	Salmoli, Final Year Student	2 <sup>nd</sup> Best Paper Award
Effectiveness of Oral Health Education on Knowledge, Attitude and Practice of Nursing Students in a Nursing College in Bangalore.	Dr. Abhishek MA, Intern	Best Paper Award
Interns Outlook on undergraduate research – A cross Sectional Study in Dental Teaching Institution in Bangalore, India.	Lakshmy CR, Final Year Student	2 <sup>nd</sup> Best Paper Award



### PAPER/POSTER PRESENTATIONS BY STUDENTS (Post Graduates & Under Graduates)

Sl.No.	Department	No. of Presentations
1	Department of Oral Medicine & Radiology	6
2	Department of Public Health Dentistry	13
3	Department of Orthodontics & Dentofacial Orthopedics	13
4	Department of Pedodontics & Preventive Dentistry	6
5	Department of Conservative Dentistry & Endodontics	6
6	Department of Periodontology	2



# RESEARCH

## PhD

Dr.Nirmala from the Department of Physiology has successfully completed her PhD on the topic "Pre Clinical Study of Evolulus alsinoides L. on Cognition and Oxidative stress in Alzheimers Disease" under faculty of medicine of Yenepoya University, Mangalore. Her Guide and Co Guide were Dr. Shankar Bhat and Dr. Urban J.A. D'Souza respectively.

## INSTITUTIONAL RESEARCH PROJECTS

SL NO	DEPARTMENT	COMPLETED	ONGOING
1	Department of Oral Medicine & Radiology	3	3
2	Department of Prosthodontics and Crown & Bridge	-	7
3	Department of Oral & Maxillofacial Pathology	-	7
4	Department of Periodontology	6	6
5	Department of Public Health Dentistry	13	14
6	Department of Orthodontics & Dentofacial Orthopedics	5	10
7	Department of Pedodontics and Preventive Dentistry	-	1
8	Department of Conservative Dentistry & Endodontics	5	5

Some of the above mentioned research projects are done in collaboration with various institutes like Credora Life sciences, Bangalore; Central Lab, Richmond Circle, Bangalore; Oral-D imaging centre, Bangalore; Skanda life sciences pvt limited; JSD Technodent for CBCT images; Aristogene Lab for genetic study; Acumen Lab; Dentascan Lab.

## RESEARCH GRANTS

### ICMR Short term Studentship Program 2015

2 of our UG students have been awarded the ICMR Short Term Studentship Grant for the year 2015

- Roselent (IV Year): Topic- A pre-post study among 11-13 year old children to check the effectiveness of a card game, "32 warriors" from Department of Public Health Dentistry.
- Sanjula Sinha (IV Year): Topic- A study of the empirical knowledge, attitude and behavior towards CPR tutelage among UG dental students – An exploratory study from Department of Public Health Dentistry.

# PUBLICATIONS

Dr. Suchetha A., Professor & HOD, Department of Periodontology, has total of 46 scientific publications in various National and International Scientific Journals with total of 545 DCI credit points (till June 2015). This being the highest in the institution, we congratulate her and wish her many more success in the future.



## PUBLICATIONS FROM THE INSTITUTION

Sl No	Publication	Department
01	Nana Harda, Beloor Vasudeva Subash, Yukiko Matsuda, Kenji Seki, Rishabh Kaplila, Noboru Ishikawa, Tomohiro Okano, Tsukasa Sano. "Characteristic findings on panoramic radiography and Cone-beam CT to predict paresthesia after extraction of impacted third molar". Bull Tokyo dent Coll 2015; 56(1): 1-8.	Department of Oral Medicine & Radiology
02	Renu Tanwar, Asha R Iyengar, K.S Nagesh, Seema Patil, B V Subash. "Prevalence of glutathione S-transferase M1 null polymorphism in tobacco users, oral leukoplakia and oral squamous cell carcinoma patients in South Indian population: A polymerase chain reaction". Contemporary Clinical Dentistry march 2015; 6(1): S59-S64.	Department of Oral Medicine & Radiology
03	Dr Madhura M G. "Dermatoglyphics in oral diseases – A review". International Journal of Current research and Review. April 2015;7(7):72-74.	Department of Oral & Maxillofacial Pathology
04	Dr Sarita Yanduri, Dr Veerendra B Kumar, Dr S Suma, Dr MG Madhura. "Lichenoid features and fibrosis: co-existence in quid induced oral lesions". Journal of Contemporary Dental Practice May 2015;16(5):389-393.	Department of Oral & Maxillofacial Pathology
05	Dr. Suchetha A, Dr.Rajeshwari.H.R, Dr.Darshan B.M, Dr.Sapna N, Dr.Prajakta, Dr.K.Sravani. "Novamin versus sodium fluoride Iontophoresis: The "salvage crew" to the rescue". International Research Journal of Medical Sciences. March 2015; 3(3): 1-4.	Department of Periodontology
06	Dr. Rohit Prasad, Dr. Suchetha A, Dr. Lakshmi P, Dr. Darshan BM, Dr. Apoorva SM, Dr. Ashit B. "Interleukin-11 - its role in the vicious cycle of inflammation, periodontitis and diabetes: A clinico-biochemical cross-sectional study". Journal of Indian society of Periodontology. Mar 2015, 19(2): 159-163.	Department of Periodontology



Sl No	Publication	Department
08	Dr.Umapathy Thimmegowda , Dr. Praveen Prasanna , Dr. Anantharaj Athimuthu , Dr. Prasanna Kumar Bhat , Dr. Yogish Puttashamachari . "A non syndromic autosomal dominant oligodontia with a novel mutation of PAX9-A clinical and genetic report". JCDR, June 2015;9(6): 8-10.	Department of Pedodontics and Preventive Dentistry
09	Dr Sheela N.V. "Comparative evaluation of a new endodontic irrigant- mixture of a tetracycline isomer, an acid & a detergent to remove intracanal smear layer- a scanning electron microscope study". Journal of International Oral Health 2015; 7(4): 1-6.	Department of Conservative Dentistry & Endodontics
10	Dr Sunil Mankar. "To evaluate & compare retention of complete cast crowns in the natural teeth using different auxiliary retentive features with two different crown heights – An in vitro study". International Journal of Biomedical Science. June 2015: 2(2): 99-106.	Department of Conservative Dentistry & Endodontics

#### TEXT BOOKS

01	Dr. Suchetha A, Dr. Sravani K, Dr. Darshan B.M. are authors for the book titled "Periodontal Proteins in Health and Disease" By Lambert Academic publication.	Department of Periodontology
02	Dr. Deepti, Reader, Department Of Public Health Dentistry, is one of the contributors to the Book titled – Clinical Manual for Public Health Dentistry and Practical Record Book by D.P.Narayan.	Department of Public Health Dentistry



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### ACMES – 2019

#### 1. MOU WITH SHOWA UNIVERSITY, JAPAN

Dr.Asha R lyengar, Principal visited Showa University, Japan , signed an MOU for Faculty & students Exchange Program between D A Pandu Memorial R.V.Dental College & Hospital and Showa University School of Dentistry, Showa University in March, 2019.



Signing of MOU with Showa University, Japan

#### 2. BEST DENTAL COLLEGE OF THE YEAR 2019

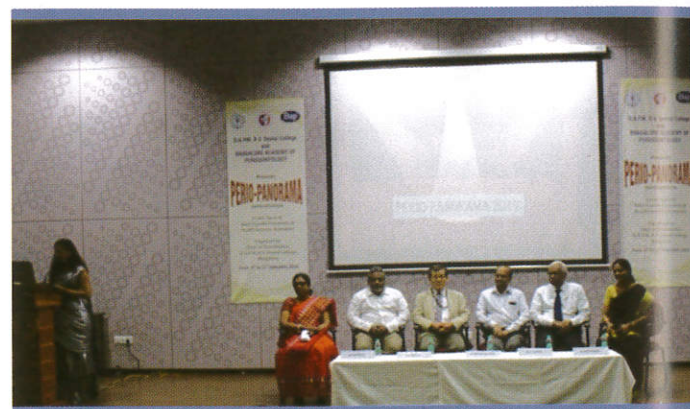
- ◆ Certificate of Excellence was awarded to DAPM R.V.Dental College as the Best Dental College of the year 2019 by National Press Council of India at the National Excellence awards 2019 held on 27th September, 2019.



Best Dental College of the Year 2019 award by National Press Council of India

### SCIENTIFIC EVENTS – 2019

1. Perio Panorama was conducted by Department of Periodontology for Post graduate students from 9th January to 11th January, 2019. 26 eminent speakers from our country and 2 foreign speakers were invited and 200 delegates attended the program. The dignitaries who graced the inaugural ceremony were Dr. Mohamed Faizuddin. Founder member of BAP, Dr. A.V. Ramesh, BAP co-ordinator, Dr. Takao Watanabe, Associate Professor, Kanagawa Dental College

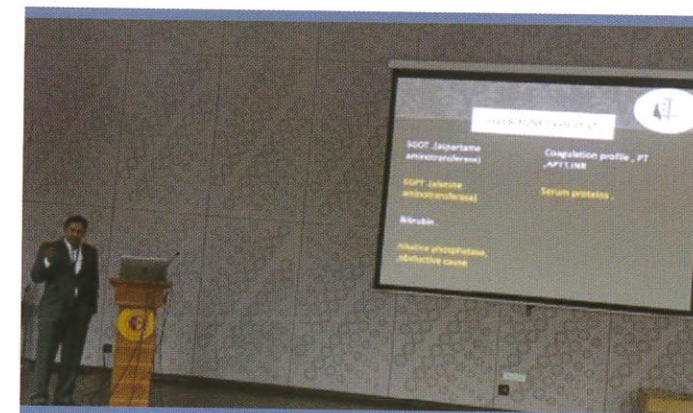


Periopanorama – A masterclass for postgraduate students of Periodontology

2. The Association of Oral And Maxillofacial Surgeons of India(AOMSI) and Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery conducted a 3 day intensive, interactive course named FOUNDATION MAXFAC for 1st year post graduate students from 25th January to 27th January, 2019. 122 students attended the



program. Resource persons were Dr. Rebecca And Professor Elsa Varghese, Pediatric Anesthesiologists; Dr Krishnamurthy, Dr Adithya Moorthy, Dr Jayanth B S, Dr Vijay Pillai, Dr Anjaneya Dubey And Dr Prithvi Bachalli, all leading names in the maxillofacial community.



Foundation MaxFac for I MDS students of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery

3. The 4th Undergraduate Research Synopsis Exposition 2019 was organized in partnership with NSS, RGUHS and IDA, Bangalore Branch. This program was initiated to build strong foundation of research from undergraduate level by orienting the students towards the basic aspects of research and its significance in community health.



4th Undergraduate Research Synopsis Exposition

4. Karnataka state dental council and Rajiv Gandhi University of health sciences organized a state- level sensitization program for interns "Beyond the Syllabus" on 7th, 8th, 13th and 14th August, 2019. The programme was attended by around 600 interns from Bangalore and nearby districts of RGUHS affiliated institutions.







**Beyond the Syllabus programme for interns by KSDC and RGUHS**

5. Dentist convention-2019 was organised by Indian Dental Association, Bangalore Branch on 17th August, 2019 in association with DAPM RV Dental College. Theme of the convention being "Dentist Back to Future", more than 150 students and around 200 practitioners from Bangalore attended the programme. Four pre-convention workshops and student poster presentations were organized on 16th August, 2019. The inauguration ceremony was handled by Dr. Harikiran. Chief guest was Dr. M K Panduranga Setty, who addressed the gathering. Guest of Honours Dr. Asha R. Iyengar and Dr. Prakash H.P and Chief Patron Dr. Sudhakar M C, felicitated the senior dentists, Dr. T R Gururaj Rao and Dr. A V Ramesh. Dr. Utkarsha Lokesh, Dr. Jagadeesh C, Dr. Veerendra Kumar S C and Dr. Anjan Shah were the Resource Persons. The programme concluded with a vote of thanks by Dr. Deepak S, Convenor.



**Dentist Convention 2019**

6. A CDE programme was conducted by Department Of Pedodontics on the topic 'Research Methodology and Biostatistics' for postgraduate students on 29th August, 2019. Resource persons were Dr. Nagesh Lakshminarayan and Dr. Puja C Yavagal. The programme was successful with 45 delegates including the post graduate students from our college and various colleges in and around Bangalore.



**Research Methodology Workshop for Postgraduate Students**

7. Department of Prosthodontics in association with DACE centre conducted a CDE programme on 'Partial Extraction Therapy- Evidence and Techniques- beyond the Concept' on 1st September, 2019. Resource person was Dr. Marcelo Ferrer from Chile. Around 53 participants that included students, interns and PG students attended the programme. Faculty, private clinicians and HoDs of other Departments also attended the programme.



**CDE programme on Partial Extraction Therapy-Evidence & Techniques –Beyond the Concept” by Dr.Marcelo Ferrer,Chile**

8. Patient Safety & Infection Control Workshops, White Coat Ceremony was conducted for III BDS Students. Dr.D.K.Srinivas & Mr. Raghotham Rao were the External Resource Persons for the programme.





### FACULTY TRAINING PROGRAMMES

1. A lecture on "Intellectual Property Rights and an interactive session on documentation, informed consent and clinical practice ethics", was conducted by Dr. Elbe Peter, MDS, LLB, Government Dental College, Kottayam, Kerala on 19th September, 2019.
2. A Two-day workshop on basic course in Education Methodology was conducted by RGUHS on 21st and 22nd August, 2019 & 3rd and 4th September 2019. All the faculty members of the institution attended the workshop.

### VALUE ADDED PROGRAMMES

1. An annual motivational talk on "**SWAMI VIVEKANANDA – BE GOOD DO GOOD**", was organized for the students. The programme focused on the life events and teachings of Swami Vivekananda, the speaker also spoke upon the historical, philosophical, ethical and social values that one needs to inculcate in their life. The resource person for the programme was Mr. K N Hiriyannaiah from Mythic Society, Bangalore.



Motivational talk on "Swami Vivekananda – Be good Do good"

2. International Yoga Day was celebrated in a grand way with enthusiastic participation from staff, students and general public on 21st June, 2019. The programme was organized by Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology and Department of Public Health Dentistry, in association with NSS Unit, SVYASA University and Indian Dental Association, Bangalore.



International Yoga Day Celebrations

### HEALTH AWARENESS PROGRAMMES

1. The Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery, DAPM R V dental college in coordination with the Association of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeons of India (AOMSI) conducted a 'Max Fac Walkathon' for 'Road Safety Awareness' on 13th February, 2019 on the occasion of International Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeons Day Golden Jubilee celebrations. A poster competition was conducted for PG students and interns. A rally was also conducted starting from R V dental college till Kempegowda Majestic Metro Station.



MaxFac Walkathon for "Road Safety Awareness"



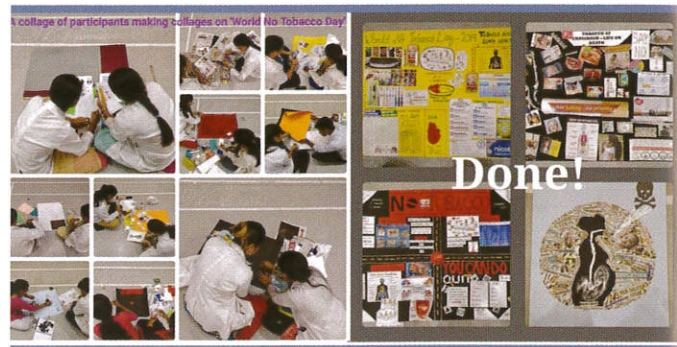


2. Department of Public Health Dentistry, IDA Bangalore Branch, District AIDS Prevention and Control Unit, Karnataka state AIDS prevention society & NSS unit DAPMRVDC conducted a collage competition based on the theme "Say Ahh Act on Mouth Health" on 20th March, 2019 on the account of World Oral Health Day.



Collage Competition Say Ahh Act on Mouth Health on World Oral Health Day

3. "World No Tobacco Day" was observed by a presentation by Dr. Subhash, Reader, Dept. of Oral Medicine and Radiology on the topic 'Tobacco- A Sinister Devil' on 31st May, 2019.



Collage competition on World No Tobacco Day

4. Faculty & Students participated in the Health Awareness Programme organized by Aster RV Hospital on the occasion of World Hepatitis B Day on 28th July, 2019. The motive was to create awareness among the general public about Hepatitis, its cause and methods of spread. The event started with warm up and Zumba. About 100 people participated in the event.



Walkathon by Aster RV Hospital on World Hepatitis Day

5. On the occasion of 'World Heart Day', to create awareness about heart and various cardiac problems, RV Aster Hospital in association with DAPM RV Dental College & Hospital, had organized a "Be Young at Heart- 5K Run" on 29th September, 2019. About 800 people, 200 Students including staff from DAPM RV Dental College participated in the event.



Participation in 5K run on World Heart Day

COMMUNITY OUTREACH PROGRAMMES

1. Camps:

- ◆ Around 63 camps were conducted and 21473 patients treated from January 2019 to December 2019 from the departments of Pedodontics and Public Health Dentistry.
◆ The Department of Pedodontics and Preventive Dentistry in association with Sankalpa Education Foundation and Dronalaya Educational Trust conducted dental camps at Channarayapatna, Hassan district and Kikkeri, Mandya district on 23rd January, 2019. And 24th January, 2019 respectively. A total number of 658 patients were screened and treated of which 369 patients required restorations. 102 patients required pit and fissure sealants and 225 patients required oral prophylaxis. Oral health education was also provided to the patients. The organizers expressed their gratitude for the services provided and the support of the college towards the same.
◆ School Oral Health program was conducted for four days by the Department of Pedodontics in association with TVS Motor Company at Mysore from 23rd June, 2019 to 27th June, 2019 covering 16 schools. 2017 children were examined and treated.
◆ A comprehensive health camp was organized by Department of Oral Medicine & Radiology, Pediatric & Preventive Dentistry, Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences & Department of Youth Empowerment and Sports (DYES), Government of Karnataka on 6th July, 2019 at Vidyanagar Sports School and Hostel, Bangalore. Pediatricians, Gynecologists from Various Government & Private Healthcare institutions attended the camp & screened 102 patients.
◆ A comprehensive health camp was organized by Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology, DAPMRVDC & Babu Jaga Jivan Ram Hospital, BBMP Bangalore on 14th July, 2019 at Kesavar Village Near Devanahalli & screened 1450 patients.

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Screening and Treatment Camp at Channarayapatna, Hassan district and Kikkeri, Mandya district





- ◆ "Oral cancer screening" camp was conducted on 31st May, 2019 at KSRTC bus depot by Department of Oral and Maxillofacial surgery, Department of Oral Medicine and Department of Public Health Dentistry in association with Rajiv Gandhi Hospital. 450 patients were screened.

### ACHIEVEMENTS OF THE FACULTY

#### 1. PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENTS:

- ◆ Dr.M.R.Dinesh, Professor, Department of Orthodontics has been nominated as a Member - Academic Council & Board of Studies (Dental Subjects) of Sri Siddhartha Academy of Higher Education, Tumkur.
- ◆ Dr.Sudhir R, Lecturer, Department of Pedodontics has been appointed as Member- Board of studies (Under-graduate studies) -Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences.
- ◆ Dr. Sarita Y, Co-ordinator, Indian National Registry of Oral and Associated Diseases (An initiative of Indian Oral and Maxillofacial Pathologists)
- ◆ Dr. Suchetha A, Head, Department of Periodontology has been appointed as Editor in Chief of RGUHS Dental Journal from June 2019 to June 2021 & the following faculty members as Reviewer Panel:
  - ▲ Dr. Harikiran AG      ▲ Dr. Praveen P      ▲ Dr. Keshava Prasad. BS
  - ▲ Dr. Darshan. BM      ▲ Dr. Sapna. N      ▲ Dr. Madhura. MG

#### AWARDS:

1. Dr. Veerendra Kumar B, HOD, Department of Oral & Maxillofacial Pathology was felicitated at the World Dental Conference 2019, held at Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia, on 28th & 29th September, 2019, for his outstanding contribution towards the speciality of Oral Pathology and for serving the Indian Association of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathologists as its President (2018-2019).
2. Dr. Jyotsna S, Reader, Department of Public Health Dentistry, has been awarded 5th Rank in the recently conducted NPTEL Course on Health Research Fundamentals National exams.
3. Dr. Sarita Y, Reader, Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathology, won the Best Paper Award for her scientific paper presentation titled "Pearls of wisdom: An insight into the keratin pearls of oral squamous cell carcinoma" at the XXVIII National IAOMP conference, from 1st to 3rd November, 2019 at Kerala.

#### 2. INTERNATIONAL SCIENTIFIC PRESENTATIONS BY FACULTY:

- ◆ Dr.B.V.Subhash, Reader, Dept. of Oral Medicine & Radiology visited Tokyo Dental College and Niigata University Graduate School of Medical and Dental Sciences, Japan for the hands on training in head and neck ultra sonography from 23rd June, 2019 to 7th July, 2019.
- ◆ Dr. Apoorva S M, Reader, Department of Periodontics, presented scientific paper titled "Ortho-Perio Interrelationships" at the Indian Orthodontic Society- Mid Year Convention (IOS-MYC), 2019 held on 20th August, 2019 at IOS-MYC, IOS-MYC, St. Petersburg, Russia.



### ACHIEVEMENTS BY STUDENTS

#### 1. Ph.D awarded:

- ◆ Dr.Sujatha Reddy (Ph.D scholar), Professor, Dept. of Oral Medicine & Radiology at M.S.Ramaiah Dental College, Bengaluru, was awarded with Ph.D. Degree by Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore, in the month of May 2019 in 'Oral Medicine & Radiology' under the guidance of Dr.Asha R lyengar, Principal.

#### 2. Special achievements by students:

1. Dr.Shanahas Manalathu Valappil & Dr.Vivek Aithal – First Place In Quiz Competition "Roar-2019" held at Sri Ramachandra Dental College, Chennai.
2. Dr. Ambili C, won best paper for a paper on "A invitro stereomicroscopic evaluation of marginal seal between MTA, GIC and light cured calcium hydroxide paste as root end filling materials using 1% methylene blue as tracer" at 20th National PG Convention, Chandigarh in March, 2019.
3. Dr Simran won 3rd place in "Curved canal contest" held at MS Ramaiah Dental College.
4. Dr Arya Won best paper of session and best paper of PG Convention for paper presentation on "post endodontic management of critically traumatized tooth- case report", held from 7th to 10th March, 2019.
5. Won 3rd place in Blue print for endodontic success in a competition held as a part of Cons-endo day in March, 2019.
6. Dr. Abirami.S and Dr. Alba Dinesh received Best Poster Presentation titled "MRI-An Imaging Tool for Trigeminal Neuralgia" at the National IOMAR convention 2019 held at V.S. Dental College, Bengaluru on 23rd and 24th August, 2019.
7. Dr. Madhumita P M (PG student, Presenter) Dr Madhura M G (Co author), Dr Veerendra Kumar B. (Co author): Scientific paper titled "Cancer immunotherapy- prospects and challenges" presented at 18th National Post Graduate Convention of Indian Association of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathologists at Kalinga Institute of Dental Sciences, KIIT Deemed to be University, Bhubaneswar, Odisha. This paper won the Best Paper award.
8. Dr Chandu Nadig(PG student, Presenter), Dr. Suma S (Co author), Dr Veerendra Kumar B. (Co author): Scientific paper titled "Role of Chronic mucosal trauma in oral squamous cell carcinoma: Review" presented at 18th National Post Graduate Convention of Indian Association of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathologists at Kalinga Institute of Dental Sciences, KIIT Deemed to be University, Bhubaneswar, Odisha. This paper won the second prize.
9. Dr. Anu Gokuldas(PG Student), completed the course of Health Research Fundamentals by NIE-ICMR, with a score of 87%, achieving aelite+silver certificate.
10. Dr. Nisha M Basheer, Intern, completed the course of Health Research Fundamentals by NIE-ICMR, with a score of 77%, achieving aelite+silver certificate.

Indian Society of Periodontology merit award was conferred to Dr. Pallavi Goel for scoring 1st position in the subject of periodontology at D A P M R V dental College, Bangalore in the year 2019.





## UNIVERSITY RANKS & GOLD MEDALS

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**UNDER GRADUATES**

 <b>Dr. Aparna G</b> 6 Gold Medals 17 Ranks	 <b>Dr. Arunakshi</b> 11 Ranks	 <b>Dr. Shrishma</b> 6 Ranks	 <b>Dr. Apoorva Basur</b> 6 Ranks	 <b>Dr. Shanmathi Vinodh</b> 4 Ranks	 <b>Dr. Shwetha S Prasad</b> 3 Ranks	 <b>Dr. Aditi Singh</b> 2 Ranks
 <b>Dr. Atul U R</b> 2 Ranks	 <b>Dr. Therese George</b> 2 Ranks	 <b>Dr. Reshthi Anna Varghese</b> 2 Ranks	 <b>Dr. Shubasmitha Panda</b> 2 Ranks	 <b>Dr. Shilpa R.S</b> 2 Ranks	 <b>Dr. Sanshavi Ponnamma A.R</b> 2 Ranks	 <b>Dr. Harshika Singhal</b> 1 Rank
 <b>Dr. Aparajita</b> 1 Rank	 <b>Dr. Joel Joseph Eathathattan</b> 1 Rank	 <b>Dr. Minusan Venkatesh</b> 1 Rank	 <b>Dr. Reshma Scaria</b> 1 Rank	 <b>Dr. K.S. Priyanka Kala</b> 1 Rank	 <b>Dr. Anju Prakash</b> 1 Rank	 <b>Dr. Megha Chinni Sam</b> 1 Rank
 <b>Dr. Sara Anjum Hussain</b> 1 Rank						

the Gold Medalists & the Rank Holders of 2015-2018 Batch Students

**POST GRADUATES**

 <b>Dr. Bushra Kanwal</b> Gold Medalist	 <b>Dr. Roopa P Gaddagimath</b> Gold Medalist	 <b>Dr. Purnvika Bhavana</b> 3 <sup>rd</sup> Rank	 <b>Dr. Andavarapu Spondana</b> 10 <sup>th</sup> Rank	 <b>Dr. Sujala Radha</b> 4 <sup>th</sup> Rank	 <b>Dr. Harimada A</b> 4 <sup>th</sup> Rank	 <b>Dr. Tarevi Rishika Suniti</b> 2 <sup>nd</sup> Rank	 <b>Dr. Lipika Kansal</b> 6 <sup>th</sup> Rank
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Under Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences

University Rank Holders and Gold Medalists

## FELICITATION CEREMONY

A felicitation programme was organized in honour of Dr. K. S. Nagesh, who was awarded an Honorary Doctorate from Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Karnataka. The Doctorate was presented during the Annual Convocation of RGUHS on 27th March, 2019.



Felicitation Ceremony in honour of Dr. K S Nagesh



## KANNADA RAJYOTSAVA CELEBRATIONS

Siril Gannada Samarambha- 2019 was organized to celebrate Kannada Rajyotsava, on 5th December 2019. Mr. M S Narasimha Murthy renowned Kannada comedy writer and orator, was the Chief Guest. The ceremonial lamp lighting was followed by hoisting of Karnataka Flag with the State Anthem being played. A blood donation camp was organized in association with Lions' club. The highlight was a short movie enlightening the audience about the story of the birth of Karnataka as a State, the Kannada Ekeekarana Movement (1905 to 1956).



Kannada Rajyotsava Celebrations

## WOMEN'S DAY CELEBRATIONS

The Women's Welfare Committee of DA Pandu Memorial R V Dental College and Hospital, Bangalore celebrated Women's day on 12th March, 2019. The event started with a lecture by Prof. Dr. Elizabeth V. S, faculty, National Law School, Bangalore. The topic of the lecture was "Sexual harassment and Women's response in the times of #metoo campaign". This was followed by certificate distribution for the winners of the MCQ competition which was conducted to create awareness regarding the legal rights of women on 28th November, 2018.



Womens' Day celebrations





EXTRA-CURRICULAR EVENTS

1. Department of Prosthodontics conducted a cultural extravaganza VISMAY 2019; as a part of Prosthodontist's Day celebrations on 20th January, 2019.



Prosthodontist day Vismaya 2019

2. ETHEREAL 2019: The annual cultural and sports event were conducted in October 2019. Cultural events included music, dance, art and creation competitions. A fun fair was also held. Sports events included outdoor and indoor sports as well as athletic events. The annual sports day was conducted on 24th September, 2019. All the students, teaching and non-teaching staff participated with much eagerness.



Ethereal 2019 – cultural events

- ◆ Graduation ceremony was held on 27th September 2019. The fresh graduates were given their graduation certificates and they took the Hippocratic Oath. Academic awards were distributed to recognize the students' achievements. The college newsletter PENDENT was also released by the dignitaries. The graduation ceremony was followed by college day celebrations.



Graduation Ceremony



Release of College Newsletter PENDENT



College day Celebrations





### SCIENTIFIC PROGRAMMES CONDUCTED

The Department of Prosthodontics, in association with Indian Prosthodontic Society, Bangalore Branch and Indian Prosthodontic Society, Karnataka Branch conducted a conference on 'Trends in prosthodontics with master class' on 2nd-4th February 2018.



Trends in Prosthodontics with Master class

The Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathology conducted a "Master Class in Oral Pathology", a National level programme was conducted 6th to 9th February 2018.



Participants and Resource Persons of Masterclass in Oral Pathology – 2018

The Department of Oral Medicine & Radiology conducted a "Masterclass in Oral Medicine & Radiology", 28th February 2018 to 2nd March 2018.

A Patient Safety Workshop & White Coat Ceremony was conducted by Dept. of Public Health Dentistry on 20th & 21st August 2018 to induct III BDS stu-

dents to enter Dental Clinics. They were trained to develop communication skills and ethics & professionalism and infection control:

- Communication skills workshop: Resource person: Mr. Raghotham Rao, Guest faculty, Jain College
- Ethics & Professionalism workshop: Resource persons: Dr. D K Srinivasa, Former Consultant, RGUHS & Dr. Olinda Timms, St. Johns College, Bangalore
- Infection control workshop: Resource persons: Dr. Harikiran A G, Dr. Deepti Vadavi, Dr. Vinodhini K, Dr. Jyotsna S

The training program was followed by a formal handing over of the "White Coat" and administration of the Hippocratic Oath.



Fig 3a: The III-year BDS students in white coats and the Organizing team members



Fig 3b: Patient safety workshop for III BDS students



Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology, in collaboration with Apollo Hospital, Bannerghatta road, Bangalore; conducted a CDE Program on "Management of Oral cancer" on 23rd August 2018. The talk was delivered by Dr Satish Nair, ENT Specialist, Apollo Hospital.

The Department of Prosthodontics organised a CDE program on 'Comprehensive Interdisciplinary Treatment Planning – A Prosthodontic Perspective' on 04.09.2018. The speaker for the program was Dr Druthil Belur, an alumnus of the college.



Fig 4: CDE program on Comprehensive Interdisciplinary Treatment Planning – A Prosthodontic Perspective

Department of Orthodontics conducted a CDE programme titled "Orthodontic Problem Solving", on 3rd and 4th October 2018,. Dr. MING-GUEY TSENG was the guest.



Fig 5: CDE programme on "Orthodontic problem solving"

The Department of Oral Medicine & Radiology conducted a CDE programme on "Management of Oral Cancer", held on 17th October 2018.

The Department of Prosthodontics organised a CDE program on 'Increase the Volume- Best Practices in GBR/GTR procedures' on 08.12.2018. The speaker for the program was by Dr Yuval Zubery, DMD, Israel. This program was organised in association with Dental Experts and Indian Prosthodontic Society Bangalore Branch.



Fig 6: CDE programme on Best Practices in GBR/ GTR procedures

### E-POSTER COMPETITIONS

An E-Poster competition was held on the topics "Dentistry – then- now, changing trends in dentistry" for undergraduates and "Interdisciplinary dentistry – Boon or bane" for Postgraduates held by the Department of Periodontics on 27th February 2018. On the occasion of World Oral Health Day on 20th March, 2018, an E-poster competition was conducted by Department of Periodontology, Department of PHD and Student Welfare Committee.

### ORIENTATION PROGRAMME FOR I BDS STUDENTS

The orientation programme for the I BDS students of July 2019 batch was held on 27-08-2018. A total of 35 students attended the orientation programme along with their parents.





Principal Dr. Asha R Iyengar welcomed the gathering and briefed the audience regarding the college and the faculty. I BDS faculty, hostel wardens, librarian and the office staff in-charge of the student section were introduced to the students. The students then introduced themselves to the faculty. The timetable and the calendar of events along with details of the BDS curriculum were distributed among students. The orientation programme concluded with a tour of the college for both the students and their parents.

### THE COLLOQUIUM PROGRAMME

The department of Public Health Dentistry has initiated a "Colloquium" since 2014 for the benefit of its undergraduate, interns and postgraduate students. Through the colloquium, various achievers in the field of health care are invited to share their journey and perspective with the faculty, UGs, PGs and interns.

**This year in 2018, three colloquiums were conducted:**

- The first colloquium was a hands-on workshop with Ivoclar Vivadent on 20th Feb, 2018.
- The next colloquium was organized on 29th Aug, 2018 where Dr. Nithya Ramesh (BDS, MPH) shared her views on "Learning & Teaching in USA- Challenges & opportunities by Indian Dental students".



**Fig 7: Learning & Teaching in US- Challenges & opportunities by Indian Dental students"- Dr.Nithya Ramesh**

- The third colloquium was organized on 22nd Nov, 2018 where Dr. Puneet Gupta (MDS, Public Health Dentistry, Govt Dental College Indore) oriented the audience towards various advanced research tools/ apps/ software.



**Fig 8: "Tools of Research"- Dr.Puneet Gupta**

### ANTI-RAGGING WORKSHOP

A workshop was organized on "Anti-ragging" on 18th December 2018 for 1 year undergraduates and postgraduate students.



**Fig 9: Orientation programme for I BDS students**

### COMMUNITY OUTREACH PROGRAMMES

The Department of Pedodontics and Preventive Dentistry conducted 18 camps and 6185 patients were benefitted. Whereas, the Department of Public Health Dentistry conducted 43 camps and 10,432 patients got its benefits.



### FREE DENTURE CAMP

The Department of Prosthodontics, conducted a free denture camp from 26.02.18 to 28.02.18. This initiative was a part of the 25th year celebrations of the College. We had an overwhelming response with a total of 45 patients. The dentures were fabricated in 3 working days. The completed dentures were handed over to the patients on 06.03.18 by Sri K G Subbarama Setty, Treasurer, RSS Trust and Dr Prakash M S, Chairman, Governing Council of the college.



**Fig 10: Free denture camp as an initiative Department of Prosthodontics**

### ACHIEVEMENTS OF THE FACULTY

#### PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENTS:

Dr. Asha R. Iyengar, Department of Oral Medicine & Radiology, was appointed as the Principal.

Dr. Dinesh M.R, Professor, Department of Orthodontics, has been appointed as 'Dean of Faculty - Dentistry' of Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences (RGUHS) in February 2018. He is also a peer team member of NAAC and an Expert Member for Sectoral working group [SWG] (Dental) by NAAC.

Dr.B.S. Keshava Prasad, Professor and Head, Department of Conservative Dentistry & Endodontics has been appointed as the Member – Board of studies (Post-graduate studies) –RGUHS, Karnataka.

Dr. Harikiran A.G, Professor and Head, Department of Public Health Dentistry, was appointed as Office bearer / Convenor for Community Dental Health (2018-19), Indian Dental Association, Bangalore branch.

Dr H Murali, Professor, Department of Conservative Dentistry & Endodontics has been appointed as the Member of International association of Dental Traumatology and International association for dental research. He is also the Editorial review board member, Journal of Conservative Dentistry.

Dr. J Sridevi, Professor & Head, Dr. Roshan Kumar P, Reader Department of Prosthodontics were appointed as EC Members of Indian Prosthodontics Society, Bangalore Branch, for a period of two years from June 2018 to June 2020.

Dr. Veerendra Kumar B, Professor and Head, Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathology, was appointed as the President of Indian Association of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathologists (2018-2019) and President of Indian Dental Association, Bangalore Branch (2018-19).

Dr. Madhura M.G., Reader, Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathology, was appointed as the Assistant Editor, International Journal of Medical and Dental Case Reports, an International Indexed journal. She is also the Reviewer for Journal of Cancer Research and Therapeutics and is a Member of Women Dental Council, Indian Dental Association Bangalore Branch (Feb 2018-Feb 2019)

Dr. Sarita Y, Reader, Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathology, was appointed as the Reviewer of Highpublication Journal of ENT disorders, Journal of Pediatric Disorders and Neonatal Care, Journal of health Sciences and Research and SRM Journal of Research in Dental Sciences

Dr. Deepak S, Reader, Department of Oral & Maxillofacial Surgery, was selected as Clinical Co-ordinator / Resource person to organise "Advance Sinus Surgery





Management Course" in Colombo, Srilanka, from 24th to 26th March 2018.

Dr. Ramya B.J, Lecturer, Department of Pedodontics is appointed as Member- Board of studies (Undergraduate studies) -Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences.

## COURSES COMPLETED

Dr. Ramya B.J, Lecturer, Department of Pedodontics, has completed a course in Basic Life Support (BLS) and is now a licensed BLS provider certified by American Heart Association.

## AWARDS

Dr. G. Bhagyalakshmi, Professor, Dept. of Anatomy was felicitated for her contribution to the field of Education & Research at the 20th State level conference of Karnataka Chapter of Anatomists at AIMS, Bellur

Dr.S.Deepak, Reader, Department of Oral & Maxillofacial Surgery, awarded "DIPLOMATE of International Congress of Oral Implantologists" in the Examination conducted by the Board of ICOI (USA) at Melaka, Malaysia on 6th April 2018

## INVITED AS GUEST SPEAKERS AND RESOURCE PERSONS

Dr. Sarita Y, Reader, Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathology, was an invited speaker for "Master class- Oral Pathology 2018" held at D.A.P.M.R.V Dental College and Hospital, Bengaluru from 6th to 9th February 2018. The topic was "Oral Microflora, Gram's Stain, Ziehl-Neelson stain"

Dr. Suma S, Reader, Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathology, was an invited speaker for Master class- Oral Pathology 2018" held at the College 6th to 9th February 2018. The topic was "Basics of Immunology". She also spoke on "Awareness about

general dentistry and dentistry as a profession" at Bangalore Science forum at National College, Basavanagudi, Bengaluru on 25th April 2018

Dr. Madhura M.G., Reader, Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathology, was an invited speaker for "Master class- Oral Pathology 2018" held at D.A.P.M.R.V Dental College and Hospital, Bengaluru from 6th to 9th February 2018. The topic was "Oral Leukoplakia – key aspects".

Dr. Asha R. Iyengar, Principal, delivered a guest lecture on "Clinical Diagnostic Skills in Oral Medicine & Radiology", during the 30th IAOMR National Conference held at Udaipur on 25th November 2018.

Dr. Preethi Hegde, Head, Department of Physiology, was invited as Resource Person for the 64th Annual National Conference of Association of Physiologists and Pharmacologists of India, held on 29th November 2018 to 1st December 2018, Manipal.

## INTERNATIONAL SCIENTIFIC PRESENTATIONS BY FACULTY

Dr. Dharma R.M, Professor & HOD, Dept. of Orthodontics, presented a paper titled "Role of Paired Box 9 (PAX9) (rs12881240) and muscle segment Homeobox 1 (MSX1) (rs12532) gene polymorphisms in human tooth agenesis"" at Oral research paper at 118th American Association of Orthodontists 2018 Annual Session, May 4-8 2018, in Washington D.C, USA, May 2018.

Dr. H. Murali, Professor, Department of Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics, presented a paper titled "Diagnostic Dilemma in Imaging- Venturing into the unknown", at the 11th IFEA World Endodontic Congress, Seoul, Korea, 2018

Dr. Madhura M.G., Reader, Dept. of Oral pathology & Microbiology presented a paper titled "microRNA-222 and microRNA-203 signatures in oral squamous cell carcinoma: potential role in progression and as

therapeutic targets" at the AAOMP - IAOP 2018 Joint meeting & continuing education program at Vancouver, Canada held from 23rd -28th June 2018.

Dr. Apoorva S.M., Reader, Department of Periodontics, presented a research topic on "Ortho-Perio Interrelations hips" at the IOS MYC 2018 conference on 27th July 2018 held at Brussels, Belgium.

Dr. Seema Patil, Professor & HOD, Dept. of Oral Medicine & Radiology presented Paper on "Evaluation of internal structure (ecogenicity) of masseter in subjects with OSMF" at 12th Asian Congress of oral &Maxillofacial Radiology, held between 6th-9th September, 2018, in Mumbai.

Dr. Subash B V, Reader, Dept. of Oral Medicine & Radiology Poster on "Usefulness of Maxillary sinus & Frontal sinus in gender identification- A Systematic Review" presented at 12th Asian Congress of oral &Maxillofacial Radiology, held between 6th-9th September, 2018, in Mumbai.

Dr. Sarita Y, Reader, Dept. of Oral pathology & Microbiology presented a paper titled "Methylation in oral potentially malignant disorders and Oral squamous cell carcinoma" at the 2nd World Cancer Congress-2018 held at Royal Orchid Convention centre, Bengaluru on 25th and 26th September 2018.

## BOOKS AUTHORED

A book on Interdisciplinary Periodontics was authored by Dr. Suchetha A and co-authored by Dr. Sapna N, Dr. Apoorva S M, Dr. Darshan B M and Dr. Divya Bhat. Dr. M. R. Dinesh, Dr. B. S. Keshava Prasad, Dr. J. Sridevi contributed chapters to the book and was reviewed by Dr. H. Murali. The book was published by Paras Medical Books.

## INTERNATIONAL EXCHANGE PROGRAMME

Dr. Roshan Kumar P, Reader, was selected for the International Scientific Exchange program of Indian



Prosthodontic Society and Japan Prosthodontic Society. He underwent training at Niigata University under Prof Katsumi Uoshima where he was posted for 4 weeks between 24th September 2018 to 19th October 2018

## ACHIEVEMENTS BY STUDENTS

### UNIVERSITY RANKS

In the July 2017 RGUHS Examinations, 57 students from BDS and 04 students from MDS obtained ranks.

## ACHIEVEMENTS OF POSTGRADUATE STUDENTS

### International presentations and Awards:

Dr. Vijetha (III MDS) & Dr. Pavithra (II MDS), Department of Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics, presented a paper titled "Diagnostic Dilemma in Imaging- Venturing into the unknown", at the 11th IFEA World Endodontic Congress, Seoul, Korea, 2018

## NATIONAL AND STATE AWARDS

Dr. Divyashree R, Department of Pedodontics, Won I prize and Dr. Bhavana P and Dr. Surya Suprabhan, Department of Periodontics, Won III prize in E- Poster competition held on 27th February 2018 on the topics "Interdisciplinary dentistry – Boon or bane at the College.

Dr. Esha Tanwar, Department of Periodontics, Won I prize in E- Poster competition held on 20th March 2018 on the topics "Oral Health" at the College.

Dr. Aparna, Department of Pedodontics, won the Best Paper award for her presentation titled "Comparison of CCP-ACP and Bioactive glass in remineralization capacity" at the National Conference of Pedodontics (ISPPD) at Nagpur. In the same conference, Dr. Divyashree, Department of Pedodontics,





won the Best Paper award for her presentation titled "The inhibitory effect of silver diamine fluoride with and without potassium iodide application on enamel demineralization: an in-vitro study using atomic absorption spectroscopy".

Dr. Swathi Shulka, Department of Prosthodontics, was awarded 3rd prize for the debate on Locator attachments at the master class program held between 2nd-4th February 2018.

Dr. Ankita Sharma, Department of Prosthodontics, has been awarded Best Paper for the paper presentation titled "Bio Material Metamorphosis in Bone Regeneration – Ti Granules" at the 6th Karnataka State Conference, Kalaburagi at HKES Nijalingappa Institute of Dental Sciences and Research on 8th April 2018. In the same conference, Dr. Aswathi Prabhu, Department of Prosthodontics, has been awarded Best Paper for the paper presentation titled 'Sloped Implants: Follow Nature's Contour'.

Dr. Tanuj Kumar, Department of Prosthodontics, paper presentation titled "A risk based approach to simplify the management of fractured implant screws was selected for the Best Student Paper at the 46th Indian Prosthodontic Society Conference, Mangalore held between 15th to 18th November 2018

Dr. Vijetha, Department of Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics was awarded 'Best paper presentation of clinical relevance' for paper "Antimicrobial resistance – shedding light on professionals & patients' perspective" presented at 19th IACDE- IES PG Convention 2018, Gulbarga.

Dr. Supriya G, Department of Public Health Dentistry, won the Best Essay award at the 23rd Indian Association of Public Health Dentistry National Conference, Modi Nagar, 30th November to 2nd December 2018.

## ACHIEVEMENTS OF UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS

### International Awards:

Mr. Aditya Keshav, final year BDS student won first prize for paper presentation titled "Natural mimics for formalin – A Comparative study" by at the World Dental Congress 2018, Dubai on 30-09-2018 & 01-10-2018. The study was guided by Dr. Sarita Y, Reader, Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathology.

Mr. Akshay S, final year BDS student won first prize for paper presentation titled "The Big Picture through a small aperture" at the World Dental Congress 2018, Dubai on 30-09-2018 and 01-10-2018. The review was guided by Dr. Suma S, Reader, Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathology.

Ms. Neeksha K.M., Final BDS student won Third Prize for presenting paper titled "Computerised Dental and Bite mark analysis in Disaster Victim identification" at World Dental Conference 2018 held from Sept. 30th – October 1st 2018 at Dubai, UAE.

### National and State Awards

Ms. Aparna G, BDS student of our college was Awarded "Prof. C.U. Ramachandra Rao memorial Award" by Indian Society for Dental Research International Association for Dental Research (Indian Division) for scoring highest marks in Periodontics in final Year BDS at the 31st ISDR Annual Conference, Navi Mumbai.

Ms. Desna Vinay Shroff, III BDS student won first prize for poster presentation titled "Direct Composite laminate Veneers Template assisted composite Veneers" in world dental congress held in Dubai on 29th September 2018.

Ms. Neha Chowdhary studying in II BDS Was Awarded "Dr. Nagesh Gold Medal Award" for scor-



ing highest marks in Human Anatomy in I BDS in the Karnataka Chapter of Anatomists Conference held at AIMS, B.G.Nagara, September 2018

## WOMEN'S DAY CELEBRATIONS

On the occasion of Women's day, the following events were conducted by the Women's Welfare in our institution on 8th March 2018. The day began with a lecture on "Cancer awareness and prevention for women", by Dr. Sandhya Ravi, a consultant breast surgeon and Managing Director of Prameya Health Centre, Jayanagar. She elaborated on the risk factors for cervical and breast cancer in women. Later, Mrs. Tanu delivered a talk on Women's personal hygiene.

Several stalls were set up by women entrepreneurs exhibiting terracotta jewellery, homemade healthy beverages, etc. Pre-lunch, all the women enthusiastically grooved to a Zumba session conducted by Ms. Gowthami. Post-lunch, all participants enjoyed the making of their own terrarium, during the workshop conducted by Mrs. Shakti and Mr. Stephen. In addition to all these, a lucky dip and fun-filled games were organized by the committee and everyone had a gala time!

## SPORTS AWARDS

Ms. Neeksha K.M, IV BDS student attended the RGUHS swimming tournament held on 8th September 2018 at Davangere and won 03 Gold Medals in 50m, 100m and 200m backstroke; 02 Silver Medals in 50m butterfly stroke and 50 m free style and a Bronze medal in 100m freestyle. She is also selected for the All India Inter University Swimming Tournament scheduled to be held at Belagavi, Karnataka from 2nd to 4th November 2018.

Dr. Sanchavi & Dr. Arunakshi represented the College and were Runners up in RGUHS Badminton Tournament of Bangalore Zone.

## EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

The Graduation and College Day Celebrations were held on 27.09.2018. Dr. S. Sacchidanand, Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Karnataka, was the Chief Guest; Guest of Honour: Dr. M. S. Prakash, Chairman, Governing Council & Dr. M. K. Panduranga Setty, President, RSS Trust presided over the function.

## KANNADA RAJYOTSAVA CELEBRATIONS



Fig 14: Kannada Rajyotsava celebrations; Dr. Srinath, legendary Kannada film actor was the chief guest

The College has been celebrating Kannada Rajyotsava in a very traditional and majestic manner for four years. This year too, the staff and students of the institution united to celebrate the 63rd Kannada Rajyotsava on 29th November 2018. The entire institution was adorned in the shades of Kannada culture...red and orange. Honorable Chief Guest, Dr. Srinath, the legendary Kannada film actor, inaugurated the event and hoisted the Karnataka Flag. This was followed by a Blood Donation Camp. After lunch, a variety of cultural programmes were organized, the highlight being the play of "Manyaketha", which struck everyone with awe. Thus, ended yet another memorable Kannada Rajyotsava.





## ARISE

**R**V Educational Consortium (RVEC) collaborated as Knowledge partner by Tech Mahindra Foundation for its "All Round Improvement in school Education (ARISE) project" and they worked with four Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike (BBMP) pre-primary and primary schools.

ARISE Programme aims at the all round development of school education and the four areas for implementation of the activity are children, teachers and head teachers, school, and community.

Teachers were trained with respective subject-content workshops and this year workshops were conducted considering teachers as resource persons where the participants were from 13 BBMP Schools. During the workshops teachers would engage mostly in discussion of the monthly plan, creation of resources, reading / watching videos relevant to their subjects and discussing within their group.



Open library has been set in all the four schools and its purpose is to make all readers own the library and share a sense of responsibility to keep it alive. In this library many children have started reading books, developed interest in reading also some of the children have started borrowing books. Almost 30 to 40% of the children have become independent readers.



Once in a month RVEC hold workshops for the Head Teachers of the four ARISE schools in order to bring them together to reflect, discuss and exchange their ideas for the development of their individual schools. Workshops focus on orienting head teachers towards the effective implementation of their project plan and also train them with the computer literacy for the effective functioning of school management.



## TKJ Memorial

5th September 2018

Dr. T.K. Jayalakshmi was the founding Director of RV Educational Consortium. In her memory, there was a presentation on "Impact of teaching on student motivation towards science". Dr. Indira Vijaysimha

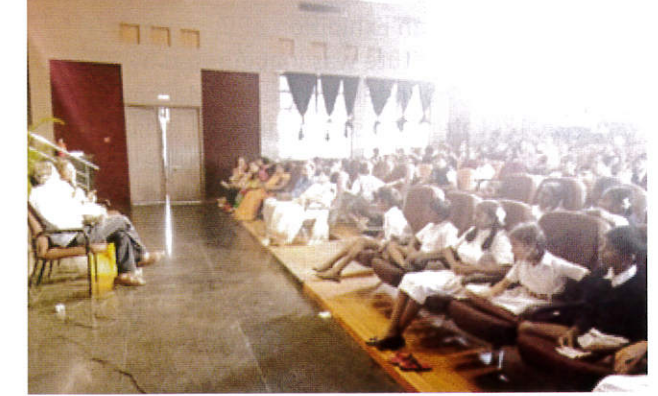


faculty at Azim Premji University and also founder of Poorna Learning Centre, an alternative school in Bangalore and Kalpana Aravamuthu presented the paper.

This was followed by discussion with teachers, students teachers and students.

## Big Little Book Award

RVEC had collaborated with Parag Initiative, Tata trust in organising the library event for the teachers and children of government schools. The daylong event had theatre, music and read aloud workshops. Children later interacted with the authors who were nominated for the award. There was parallel workshops in Kannada and English for teachers on facilitating library activities. The day concluded with a panel discussion on "Kannada Children's literature – Trends and Challenges".



## Education Research Group meetings.

At RVEC, group of educators and all those working in different streams of education have been meeting regularly to share their works, study and researches. This year too there was at least one meeting every month and in addition reading and discussion of latest studies or ideas are being continued.





# R V Integrated School for Disabled

On 26th August 2017, in 'Balanandana' - a drawing competition, 20 students participated. Suhas S and Akash secured the I and II place respectively. 'Saving Rivers' - an awareness programme was conducted by Isha Foundation for the students of the RV Complex.

Suhas S of 10th Std., won the I prize in an Inter-school drawing competition organized by Sanathana Dharma (ISKCON) on 16th September 2017.

A unique dance programme by the specially abled students, 'Miracle on Wheels' was held at R V Teachers College Auditorium, under the guidance of Sri Syed Salauddin Pasha, an International Dance Trainer.

Some selected students from R V Complex attended the screening of 'Yug Purush' a film on Gandhiji at Chowdaiah Memorial Hall. This programme was arranged by one of the Trustees of RSS Trust.

## Teachers Achievements and Awards

Staff attended the workshops on 'Cashless Transaction', 'Prevention of Virus in Computers and Mobiles' etc. organized by the RSS Trust.

A visit to Mathru Foundation for the Blind and Deaf was organized for the staff.



Fancy Dress Competition for Students

Smt. Revathi K M was honoured with 'National Builders Award' by Rotary Innerwheel South on the occasion of Teachers Day.

Smt. Suman Rao was honoured and felicitated on the occasion of Teachers Day by Rotary Club South during their meeting.

## Training Programme

School organized orientation programmes on deafness and its implication and teaching methods for hearing impaired students, to the staff from Mathru Foundation for the Deaf and Blind, students from the Department of Special Education of St. Ann's College, Teacher Trainees from Teachers Training Centre, Kanakapura, B.Ed and M.Ed students from Vijaya College.

The school helped Dr. Sneha (Dentist) to collect data for her doctoral thesis.

Dr. Praveen, a renowned Audiologist delivered a lecture on 'Recent Developments in the field of Hearing Aids' for the teachers. He spoke on certain specific speech therapy methods. He also addressed the parents about the merits and demerits of cochlear implant.



Kishore



Suhas



Sushmitha

# D A PANDU MEMORIAL R V DENTAL COLLEGE AND HOSPITAL

A number of events were conducted by the institution. The list follows:

## 1. WHITE COAT CEREMONY and PATIENT SAFETY WORKSHOP:

The White Coat Ceremony and formal training of third year undergraduates in Patient safety and communication skills was conducted for the first time on 22nd and 23rd August 2017. Three eminent resource persons conducted workshop and hands on training session for III BDS students.

## 2. CONTINUING DENTAL EDUCATION (CDE) PROGRAMMES:

a. A CDE program on Temporomandibular Disorders was conducted in February 2017, by the Department of Oral Medicine & Radiology. Rajkannan P, Professor Oxford Physiotherapy college was the guest speaker.

b. The College was the centre for the RGUHS Master Trainers' Selection Workshop for Dental Faculty, conducted by Dr. Munir Ahmed, RGUHS held on 1st and 2nd March 2017. It was attended by faculty of various colleges under RGUHS. Three faculty of the college participated in the workshop and were selected as master trainers.



RGUHS Master Trainer's Selection Workshop for Dental Faculty

c. A CDE programme on "Innovations in Dentistry" by Dr. Abhishek Nagaraj was organized by the Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery on 14th March 2017.

d. A one day CDE programme was conducted on 21st April 2017 by the Department of Orthodontics on 'The Damon Approach: A proven combination of passive self-ligating system'. Dr. Gurkeerat Singh, Professor and HOD, of Orthodontics, Sudha Rastogi College of Dental Sciences & Research, Faridabad, Haryana, was the guest speaker.



DR GURKEERAT SINGH RECEIVING A MOMENTO FROM DR.DHARMA R.M

e. Anti-tobacco day proceedings were organised on May 31st 2017 with a Lecture on Tobacco cessation by Dr. Subash B V, Reader and a skit on Harmful effects of tobacco by Post graduate students of Oral medicine.

f. A Master class - A Comprehensive Programme for the Post- Graduates was conducted on 28th June 2017 by the Department of Orthodontics in association with Dr. Mukesh Kumar, Professor, Department of Orthodontics, Teerthanker Mahaveer Dental College, Moradabad.

g. A Master class - A Comprehensive Programme for Post-graduates was conducted on 28th and



29th July 2017 on the topic "Fundamentals of Orthodontic Biomechanics" by Dr. Nanda Kumar Janakiraman, Georgia School of Orthodontics, USA.

h. Dr N Kalavathy and team conducted a one day CDE Program in association with AAID Study Club on 17th August 2017. The speaker was Dr Adam Foleck, DMD, Secretary of the American Academy of Implant Dentistry. He enlightened all the delegates on the topic "Advanced Digital Dentistry- Diagnosis to Treatment Planning".

i. A Webinar was organized on 21st August 2017, by the Staff Welfare Committee on 'Challenges and solutions in Endodontics' and the speaker was Dr. Vivek Hegde.

j. A CDE programme on 'Practical aspects of Haematopathology' was conducted by the Department of Oral & Maxillofacial Pathology, on 30th Oct 2017. Dr. Sitalakshmi S, Professor and Head, Department of Transfusion Medicine & Immunohaematology, St. John's Medical College was the guest speaker.

k. A Career guidance programme was organized by Dr. Nithya Ramesh, an alumna of the institution, on 4th November 2017. She spoke to the interns about Education/Job opportunities abroad.

**3. HANDS-ON WORKSHOP**

a. The Department of Orthodontics conducted a Hands-on workshop on 16th September 2017 on "Damon Bonding Demystified" with renowned International faculty, Dr. Dimitris Mavreas, Clinical Professor at Vrije University, Brussels, Belgium, conducting live demonstration of Bonding procedure and presentation of cases. The workshop was a part of the National 2nd India Symposium, Bangalore, conducted between 16-18th September 2017.



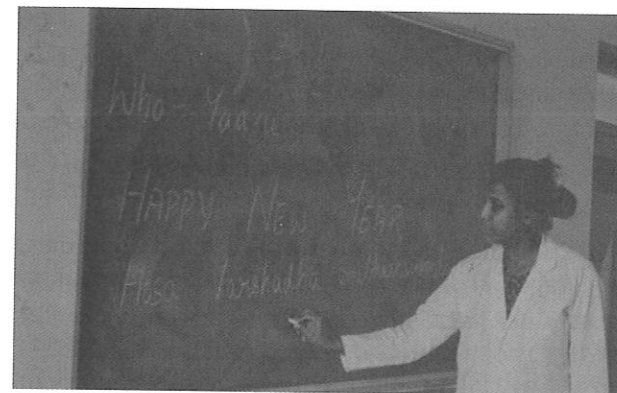
**ORGANIZING COMMITTEE AND THE PARTICIPANTS WITH DR DIMITRIS MAVREAS DURING THE DAMON HANDS ON WORKSHOP – 16TH TO 18TH SEPTEMBER 2017**

The Department of Prosthodontics, DAPMRV in association with the Bangalore Branch of the Indian Prosthodontic Society celebrated International Elders day on 9th October 2017. Presentations on 'Nutrition in elderly patients' and 'Maintenance of dentures' and 'Yoga for the Elderly' was arranged. Feedback from the patients was taken.



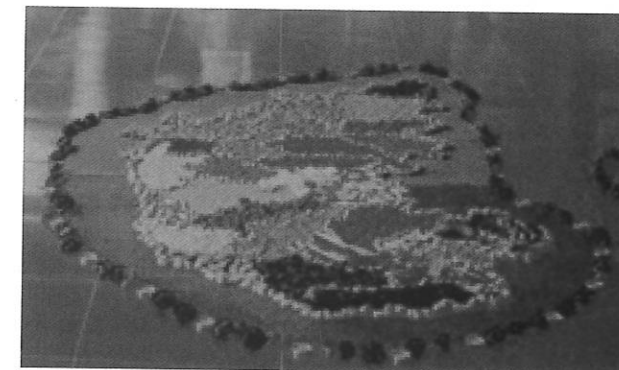
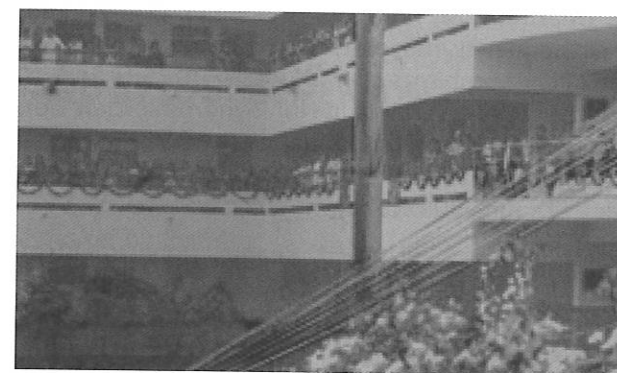
**WORLD ELDER'S DAY CELEBRATION**

Kannada speaking classes are conducted for students to aid in communication with patients. The classes are conducted on every Wednesday, by Dr. Roopa M, Lecturer, Department of Prosthodontics.



**KANNADA SPEAKING CLASSES**

Kannada Rajyotsava was held in college on 25th November 2017. Yakshagana and flash mob dancing to popular Kannada songs were the special attractions. Dr. Vasanth Shetty, RGUHS, Karnataka was the Chief Guest.



**KANNADA RAJYOTSAVA CELEBRATIONS**

**COMMUNITY OUTREACH PROGRAMMES**

	Total no. of camps	No. of patients treated
Department of Pedodontics and Preventive Dentistry	35	3519
Department of Public Health Dentistry	78	13572

Department of Prosthodontics has successfully implemented DhanthaBagya scheme which provides free dentures for senior citizens with BPL card, introduced by the Govt of Karnataka



## BOOKS PUBLISHED

1. Dr.Suchetha A, Dr. Bhavana, Dr. Sapna N published a book on periodontal view on desquamative gingival lesions in October 2017 with ISBN number-978-620-2-01947-7
2. Dr.Suchetha A contributed a chapter on Oral hygiene in the book titled "Hygiene matters" on April 2017

## ACHIEVEMENTS OF THE FACULTY

### 1. PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENTS:

- **Dr. Dinesh M.R, Principal, is a member of the following associations:**
  - a. Post-Graduation Dental Board of Studies in Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences (RGUHS)
  - b. PhD Registration Committee (RGUHS)
  - c. PhD Reviewer Committee (RGUHS)
  - d. Committee to look into the implementation of e-learning methodology (RGUHS)
  - e. NSS Advisory Committee (RGUHS)
  - f. Quality Practice Advisory Committee (RGUHS)
  - g. Academic Council (Siddhartha University)
- **Dr. Veerendra Kumar B, Professor and Head, Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathology,**
  - a. Appointed as the 'President Elect' (2017-2018) Indian Association of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathologists
  - b. Appointed as the 'President Elect' (2017-18), Indian Dental Association, Bengaluru branch
  - c. Appointed as 'Vice President', Indian Dental Association, Karnataka Branch
  - d. Associate editor of Indian Journal of Dental Advancements

- **Dr. Suma S, Reader, Department of Oral & Maxillofacial Pathology,**
  - a. Appointed as Associate editor for RGUHS journal of Dental Sciences
- **Dr. Madhura M.G., Reader, Department of Oral & Maxillofacial Pathology,**
  - a. Appointed as an Executive Committee Member, Indian Association of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathologists (Nov 2017 – Nov 2018)
  - b. Continued as Member of PG Board of Studies, Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Karnataka (June 2015 - June 2018)

### 2. FELLOWSHIPS

- **Dr. Jyotsna:** Completion of 2 year Foundation for Advancement of International Medical Education and Research (FAIMER) Fellowship with Distinction from PSG. Coimbatore.

### 3. INTERNATIONAL SCIENTIFIC PRESENTATIONS BY FACULTY:

**Dr.Madhura M.G,** Reader, Department of Oral Pathology, & Maxillofacial Pathology presented a poster entitled "Malignant transformation rate of oral leukoplakia in Indian population – A meta-analysis" under the category 'Early detection' at 6th World Oral Cancer Congress of the International Academy of Oral Oncology (IAOO) at Bengaluru from 17th – 20th May 2017.

**Dr. Dharma R.M,** Professor and Head, Department of Orthodontics, presented a research paper on "Genetic Polymorphisms of AXIN 2 (SNP rs 7591 and rs 7224837) Gene Variants in Non-Syndromic Cleft Lip/Palate in the Local Population" at the 93rd Congress of the European Orthodontic Society held between 7th – 9th June 2017 at Montreux, Switzerland.

**Dr.Roopak Mathew David,** Reader, Department of Orthodontics, presented a paper on "Association of FGFR1 and FGF 10 Gene variants with Cleft Lip/Palate in Local Population" at the 93rd Congress of the

European Orthodontic Society held between 7th and 9th June 2017 at Montreux, Switzerland

**Dr.Deepak S, Reader,** presented a paper in the FDI World Dental Congress 2017 held from 29th August to 1st September 2017, in Madrid, Spain.

Dr. Harikiran Presented a paper titled "Oral Health Information in the syllabus of three major secondary school board in Karnataka, India.- A Content Analysis" at 'The International Epidemiological Association, World Congress of Epidemiology' held on 19th – 22nd of August 2017 at Saitama, Japan.

**Dr. Jyotsna S,** Reader, Department of Public Health Dentistry, presented a paper on "Visual Examination/LED/Toulidine Blue as diagnostic tools for Oral Pre-malignant lesions – which is more effective? At 6th World Congress organized by international Association of Oral Oncology from May 17th to 20th 2017.

### 4. AWARDS/RANKS:

**Dr.Deepti Vadavi** secured second rank at National Level in Health research Fundamentals Certificate Course organized by the National institute of Epidemiology (NIE) and Indian Council of Medical Research in June 2017.

**Dr.SaritaYanduri,** Reader, Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathology, Won second prize (staff category) for the paper on "DNA extraction from archived oral cytological slides – A possibility in forensic identification", at 15th National conference of Indian Association of Forensic Odontology at Bengaluru from 9th – 11th Sep 2017.

### 5. INVITED AS GUEST SPEAKERS AND RESOURCE PERSONS:

**Dr. Divya Bhat** was invited as a Panelist on the topic "How to attempt theory exam" at GDCRI, Bangalore on 11th January 2017. She was invited as a guest speaker on the topic "Myths in Dentistry" at National college, Basavangudi, Bangalore on 23rd August 2017

**Dr. Asha R. Iyengar,** Professor and Head, Department of Oral Medicine & Radiology, delivered a guest lec-

ture on "Pigmented lesions" in the first rapid review for PG students conducted in the Ramachandra University, Chennai, on 21st January 2017.

**Dr. Sridevi J,** Professor and Head, Department of Prosthodontics, delivered a lecture on "Factors affecting balanced occlusion" in M S Ramaiah Institute of Dental Sciences on 6th Feb 2017.

**Dr. Sarita Y,** Reader, Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathology, spoke on "Oral Microbiology" during Patho-panorama 2017 at V.S. Dental College & Hospital, Bengaluru, between 7th and 10th Feb 2017.

**Dr. Suma S,** Reader, Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathology, Delivered a talk on "Giant cell lesions" in Patho-panorama 2017 at V.S. Dental College & Hospital, Bengaluru, from 7th to 10th Feb 2017. She was also a Resource Person for RGUHS Sensitization Programme on Student Assessment Practices, April 2017, at:

- i. College of Dental Sciences, Davangere, 5th April 2017
- ii. Bapuji College of Dental Sciences, Davangere, 6th April 2017

**Dr. Madhura M.G.,** Reader, Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathology spoke on "Pigmented lesions" in Patho-panorama 2017 at V.S. Dental College & Hospital, Bengaluru, during 7th – 10th Feb 2017. She was invited as a Resource Person, RGUHS Sensitization Programme on Student Assessment Practices, April 2017, at:

- i. KLE Institute of Dental Sciences, Bengaluru, 6th April 2017
- ii. Al Ameen Dental College, Vijayapura, 10th April 2017
- iii. Maratha Mandal Dental College, Belagavi, 11th April 2017
- iv. Raja Rajeshwari Dental College, Bengaluru, 13th April 2017

She was also invited as a Guest speaker for "Health and Hygiene week celebration" at Deccan International School, Bengaluru, 23rd Nov 2017. Topic of the guest lecture was "Oral health".



**Dr. N. Kalavathy**, Professor, Department of Prosthodontics, was an invited speaker for CDE Program on Dental Implants – Surgical and Prosthetic Concepts at Dayananda Sagar College of Dental Sciences, Bangalore on 16th & 17th February 17

**Dr. Suchetha A**, Professor and Head, Department of Periodontics, delivered a talk on “Oral Hygiene” in a national medical “Hygiene matters” conference (Dermatology department) Held at NIMHANS, Bangalore on 25th March 2017.

**Dr. Apoorva S M**, Reader, Department of Periodontics was invited as a guest speaker on the topic “Oral Hygiene products” in a national medical “Hygiene matters conference” (Dermatology department) Held at NIMHANS, Bangalore on 25th March 2017

**Dr. Revan Joshi**, Senior Lecturer, Department of Oral Medicine & Radiology, delivered a guest lecture at the ICOI preconference workshop on “CBCT and Implantology” in September 2017. He delivered a guest lecture at the IDA, Coorg on “CBCT-from a clinician perspective” in November 2017. He also delivered a guest lecture at Ma Kamalabhai Charitable Trust College of Dental Sciences, Ahmedabad on “Oral cancer in India-A public health perspective” in November 2017.

**Dr. Veerendra Kumar B**, Professor and Head, Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathology delivered a Guest lecture on “Early diagnosis and investigation of oral cancer” at IDA CDE programme conducted on the occasion of Dentist’s Day held at KLE Institute of Dental Sciences, Bengaluru on 9th September 2017.

## 6. RECOGNITION OF ACHIEVEMENT:

**Dr. Dinesh M.R**, Principal, was felicitated for his contribution to the field of Orthodontics at the 2nd IN-DIA SYMPOSIUM, Bengaluru, held between 16th and 18th September 2017 conducted by the Indian Orthodontic Society (IOS) and Bangalore Orthodontic Study Group (BOSG).

**Dr. Manjunath Hegde**, Reader, Department of Orthodontics was selected by the Indian Orthodontic Society (IOS) to participate in the IOS Member Exchange Program held from 20th to 25th March 2017 at the Dental service/Cleft and Craniofacial Center, KK Women’s & Children’s Hospital, Singapore.

## STUDENTS ACHIEVEMENTS

### UNIVERSITY RANKS & GOLD MEDALS

- The graduating batch of 2016 achieved 92 UG ranks, 3 PG ranks and 6 Gold Medals under Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Karnataka.

Dr. Abhishek Pathak, Dr. Pavithra R, Dr. Salmoli Roy Choudhury, Dr. Manju George, Dr. Supraja V.P, Dr. Angeline Jose, Dr. Kavya K.G, Dr. Geetha K, Dr. Lakshmy C.R, Dr. Aishwarya Kumari, Dr. Jabeen Anjum, Dr. Harini A Krishnan, Dr. Shruthy Sanal, Dr. Bindu S, Dr. Nuzrat Parveen Laskar, Dr. Tina Susan Mathew, Dr. Gokul Raj T.R, Dr. Reshma V, Dr. Akram Fatemi, Dr. Harsh Ranjan, Dr. Ashwath Kumar V, Dr. Sanjana B.S, Dr. Abhishek Guria, Dr. Manisha Sinha, Dr. Sayedehsn Hatefi, Dr. Udesman Goswami, Dr. Foadkari-mipour, Dr. Shivani Chauhan secured many ranks and received gold medals in various subjects.

## POSTGRADUATE STUDENTS

### 1. Department of Oral Medicine & Radiology:

Name of the student	Award	Title of the paper/poster	Conference details
Dr. MeghaBadarinath, PG student, Department of Oral Medicine & Radiology	Best Paper Award	Incidence of retromolar canals in a subset of Indian population	National IAOMR PG convention 2017, held on 4th- 5th August, 2017 at Bhubaneswar, Orissa.
Dr. MeghnaGohain, PG student, Department of Oral Medicine & Radiology	Best Poster Award	New Age Sherlock Holmes- Saliva	15th National Conference of Indian Association of Forensic Odontology, held from 9-11 September, 2017 at Bangalore.
Dr. Sanjana M, PG student, Department of Oral Medicine & Radiology	Best Poster Award	New Age Sherlock Holmes- Saliva	15th National Conference of Indian Association of Forensic Odontology, held from 9-11 September, 2017 at Bangalore.
Dr. Aparna Karakavalasa, PG student, Department of Oral Medicine & Radiology	Best Paper Award	Prevalence of temporomandibular disorders among a subset of dental college students of Bangalore by DC/TMD criteria	29th national conference of Indian Academy of Oral Medicine & Radiology, held from 1st-3rd December, 2017 at ITS Dental college, Ghaziabad.

### 2. Department of Prosthodontics

Name of the student	Award	Title of the paper/poster	Conference details
Dr. Ankita Sharma, PG student	Best Paper Award	“From Osseointegration to Osseoincorporation – Looking beyond Titanium”	5th State Conference, IPS Karnataka branch, held between 09-03-2017 to 11-03-2017
Dr. AswathiPrabhu, Dr. Ankita Sharma, Dr. NikhilAnantharaj & Dr. SanjeevMondal	First Prize, Table Clinic	“Evolution of occlusal analyzing aids	19th Indian Prosthodontic Society PG convention, held between 16/06/17 to 18/06/2017
Dr. Tanuj Kumar	First Prize, Best Poster	“Retrieving a cement retained implant restoration intact: a clinical challenge”	Indian Society of Prosthodontics - Restorative – Periodontics 10th National conference, held between 25/08/17 to 27/08/2017 .
	Best Paper Award	Prevalence of temporomandibular disorders among a subset of dental college students of Bangalore by DC/TMD criteria	29th national conference of Indian Academy of Oral Medicine & Radiology, held from 1st-3rd December, 2017 at ITS Dental college, Ghaziabad.



### 3. Department of Conservative Dentistry & Endodontics:

Name of the student	Award	Title of the paper/poster	Conference details
Dr.ShreyaKohli	Best Paper Award	"Biologic Post"	18th IACDE PG Convention held in Delhi on 8th April 2017.
Dr.Vijetha	Best Poster Award	"Paradigm shift in endodontic microbiology"	18th IACDE PG Convention held in Delhi on 8th April 2017.
Dr.Bidyalakshmi	Best Poster Award	"Paradigm shift in endodontic microbiology"	18th IACDE PG Convention held in Delhi on 8th April 2017.
	Best Paper Award	Prevalence of temporomandibular disorders among a subset of dental college students of Bangalore by DC/TMD criteria	29th national conference of Indian Academy of Oral Medicine & Radiology, held from 1st-3rd December, 2017 at ITS Dental college, Ghaziabad.

### 4. Department of Oral & Maxillofacial Pathology

Name of the student	Award	Title of the paper/poster	Conference details
Dr. Mohammad Azam	Best Poster Award	"Haematocytological assessment in recurrent aphthous stomatitis minor – A comparative study"	XVI National Postgraduate Convention of Indian Association of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathologists at Subharthi Dental College and Hospital, Meerut, Uttar Pradesh on 24th and 25th June 2017

#### UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS:

Name of the student	Award	Title of the paper/poster	Conference details
Dr. Mohammad Azam	Best Poster Award	"Haematocytological assessment in recurrent aphthous stomatitis minor – A comparative study"	XVI National Postgraduate Convention of Indian Association of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathologists at Subharthi Dental College and Hospital, Meerut, Uttar Pradesh on 24th and 25th June 2017

Name of the student	Award	Title of the paper/poster	Conference details
Dr.AfraSuroor	Best Paper award	Second primary tumor of the tongue	National BDS convention of IAOMR, Karnataka held at Dayananda Sagar College of Dental Sciences, Bengaluru on 1ST April 2017.
<b>Abhinav S, III BDS</b>			
Co-author: Dr.Madhura M.G., Reader	Best Paper Award	"Role of dentist in managing bioterrorism"	15th National conference of Indian Association of Forensic Odontology at Bengaluru from 9th – 11th Sep 2017
<b>Aditya Keshav, III BDS;</b>			
Co-authors: Akshay M S, III BDS & Dr.Madhura M. G, Reader	Best Paper Award	"Computerised dental and bite mark registration"	15th National conference of Indian Association of Forensic Odontology at Bengaluru from 9th – 11th Sep 2017
Anshita T, III BDS; Co-author: Dr.Madhura M. G.	Best Poster Award	"Dental age estimation in disaster victim identification"	15th National conference of Indian Association of Forensic Odontology at Bengaluru from 9th – 11th Sep 2017
Aaliya M, III BDS; Co-author: Dr.Madhura M. G	Best Poster Award	Bioterrorism- our role as a dentist	15th National conference of Indian Association of Forensic Odontology at Bengaluru from 9th – 11th Sep 2017
Aparna G ApoorvaBasur K.S. Priyanka Kala Reethu Anna Varghese	III Prize in Table Clinic	Wilckodontics: the new kid on the block	All India Dental Students' Conference, MIDAS 2017, organized by IDA-Madras Branch and Faculty of Dental Sciences, Sri RamchandraUniverstiy, from 15th – 17th December 2017, Chennai



Aiswarya Lakshmi S, RishikaSihare, P Supraja Sai	Best Overall Poster in Oral & Maxillofacial Surgery	Dental Injuries in Endotracheal Intu- bation	All India Dental Stu- dents' Conference, MIDAS 2017, organized by IDA-Madras Branch and Faculty of Dental Sciences, Sri Ramchan- draUniverstiy, from 15th – 17th December 2017, Chennai
Harshitha R, AnjanaMu- rali	Best Overall Poster in Pedo- dontics	The rise of the fallen: resuscitate, replace and rejuve- nate the avulsed	All India Dental Stu- dents' Conference, MIDAS 2017, organized by IDA-Madras Branch and Faculty of Dental Sciences, Sri Ramchan- draUniverstiy, from 15th – 17th December 2017, Chennai
Somanna MV	Third Prize in Pa- per Presentation in Oral Medicine & Radiology	Nanorobotics and Nanotechnology in dentistry	All India Dental Stu- dents' Conference, MIDAS 2017, organized by IDA-Madras Branch and Faculty of Dental Sciences, Sri Ramchan- draUniverstiy, from 15th – 17th December 2017, Chennai
Neha Mundhra Mercy Antony	Third Prize in Poster	Umami: the fifth taste	All India Dental Stu- dents' Conference, MIDAS
Nikita Anand	Presentation in Oral Histology		2017, organized by IDA-Madras Branch and Faculty of Dental Sciences, Sri Ramchan- draUniverstiy, from 15th – 17th December 2017, Chennai

The garden of the College was awarded a special outstanding prize for the "Best Ornamental Gardens", by the Mysore Horticultural Society, during the horticultural show August 2017, for the sixth year in a row!

## WOMEN'S DAY CELEBRATIONS

On the occasion of Women's day, the following events were conducted by the Women's Welfare Committee on 10th March 2017:

1. A lecture on financial planning by Mr. Sreeram, financial advisor, was arranged for all the female faculty.
2. A lecture and workshop was conducted by Mr. Dwiji and Mrs. Sapna regarding the benefits of cooking with millets. A demonstration of 5 dishes based on millets was also given by Mr. Dwiji.



LECTURE ON BENEFITS OF MILLETS BY MR. DWIJI

## EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

The annual cultural and sports events were conducted in October 2017. Cultural events included music, dance, art and creation competitions. A fun fair was also held. Sports events included outdoor

and indoor sports as well as athletic events. The annual sports day was conducted and students, teaching and non-teaching staff participated with much eagerness.

Graduation and college day celebrations were held on 23rd Sep 2017.



GRADUATION CEREMONY



won consolation prizes in 'Quizable 2016', an unique inter school quiz for the hearing impaired, which was organized by SEVA – IN ACTION.

Praveen M of 10th standard, Kishore B and Sushmitha S of 9th standard participated in the 13th Karnataka State Championships for the Deaf, held at Davanagere, during 8th – 11th December, 2018. Praveen secured the top position in the group under 19 years.

### TEACHERS ACTIVITIES

High school staff attended subject oriented classes conducted by the Department of Education.

Primary and High School teachers demonstrated on the topics of curriculum adaptation for differently abled children.

This was demonstrated to



- 32 D.Ed students of South 3
  - 20 D.Ed students of FAME INDIA
  - 25 D.Ed students of RVTTI
  - 7 M.Ed students of Vijaya teachers' College.
- Smt. L. Vanajakshi was honoured by Alumni Association of Himanshu Educational Institution.

### OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS

Sl.No	Student's Name	Std.	Event	Organized by	Prize
01.	Suhas	9th	Drawing	Youth for Seva	I
			Drawing	Cluster level Dept. of Education	I
02.	Deekshit	5th	Craft	Cluster level Dept. of Education	I
03.	Deeksha Ram	5th	Fancy Dress	Cluster level Dept. of Education	I
04.	Gokul	7th	200 mts. running	Cluster level Dept. of Education	I
			High Jump		I
			Throw Ball		I
05.	Rajesh		Discus throw	Cluster level Dept. of Education	I
			Throw Ball		I
			Volley Ball		I

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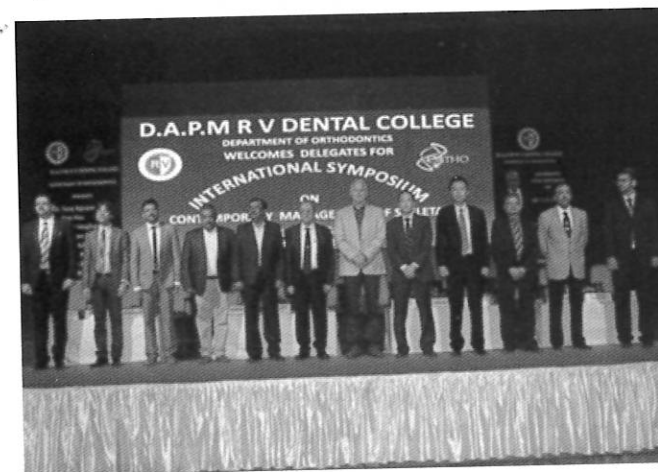
A number of events were conducted by the institution. The list follows:

## 1. INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIUM:

A two day International Symposium was conducted on 4th and 5th June 2016 by the Department of Orthodontics, in association with alumni members of Department of Orthodontics, S.D.M Dental College, Dharwad on the topic "Contemporary Management of Skeletal Malocclusions". The Organizing Committee comprised of Dr. Dinesh M.R, Organizing Chairman, Dr. Dharmaraj R.M, Organizing Secretary, Dr. Amarnath B.C., Dr. Prashanth C.S., Dr. Akshai Shetty, Dr. Manjunath Hegde, Dr. Roopak David, Dr. Pramod K.M., Dr. Sharmila Arjunan.

Dr. Sadashiva Shetty, Principal, Bapuji Dental College and Hospital, Davangere, was invited as the Chief Guest. The programme was also attended by Dr. Gangadhar Prasad, President, Indian Orthodontic Society and Dr. Jyotindra Kumar, Deputy Director of Medical Education, Government of Kerala. Lectures were given by Dr. Tung Nguyen (U.S.A), Dr. Sam Hsu (Taiwan), Dr. Peter Vaughan (Australia), Dr. Narayan Gandedkar (Singapore), Dr. Dileep Patel, Dr. Jayesh Rahalkar, Dr. Amol Patil, Dr. Priti Mulimani.

The programme was attended by over 300 delegates including Principals, HODs, senior professors and students from colleges from across the state and from neighbouring states.



International Symposium on Contemporary Management of Skeletal Malocclusions



Felicitation of eminent Orthodontist, Dr. V.P. Jayade on his 75th birthday by our Principal Dr. M.R. Dinesh and Dr. K. Sadashiva Shetty, Principal of Bapuji Dental College along with other national and international dignitaries.

## 2.CDE PROGRAMMES:

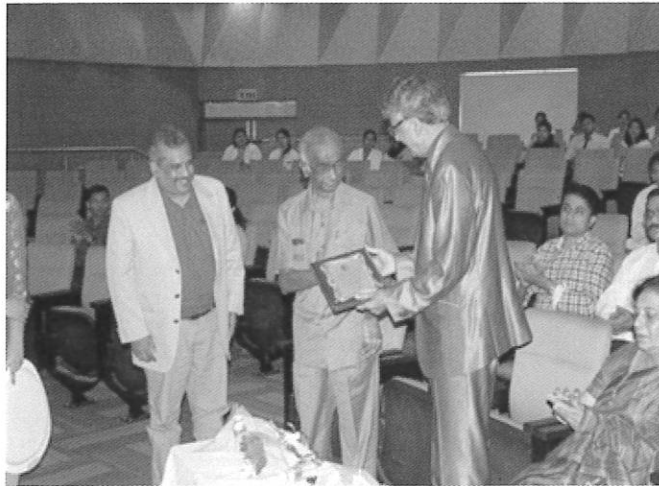
- i. Department of Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics conducted a CDE programme/workshop in association with Ivoclar Vivadent on 24th November 2016 titled "A new tooth colored restorative material". The guest speaker, a renowned Switzerland based dental practitioner Dr. Philip Schneider spoke about a new aesthetic restorative material, Cention N, which was followed by the demonstration of its clinical application. The programme was attended by 150 participants including faculty, students of various dental colleges and dental practitioners.



Dr. Philip Schneider with participants in the workshop



ii. Department of Prosthodontics conducted a CDE Programme on “Practice Management” by Dr.G.K. Thakral from Mussorie on 1st July 2016. Nearly 100 attended the programme including staff, postgraduate students and Interns.



**Dr. G.K. Thakral, receiving a memento as a token of gratitude from the Dr. M.K. Panduranga Setty, President, RSST**

**3. INFECTION CONTROL WORKSHOP:**

An Awareness programme on “Infection Control and Biomedical Waste Management for Health Care workers” was conducted by the Infection Control Committee on 27th of January 2016 in two sessions. Dr. Bharathi M.B., Head, Department of Pathology and Microbiology, explained the concepts of sterilization, disinfection and waste management to the Group ‘D’ staff of our college.

**4. FELICITATION CEREMONY:**

A felicitation ceremony of Senate and Syndicate members and for staff and students of our college was held on 16th of March 2016.

The ceremony was presided by Dr. Jayakar M. Shetty, Vice President, Dental Council of India.

**The event included felicitation of,**

- Dr. Jayakar Shetty (Vice President, Dental Council Of India)
- Dr. Rajakumar S.Alle (President K.S.D.C)
- Dr.Prashanth C.S. (Syndicate Member and faculty of our college)

Senate members felicitated include:

- Dr.C.S.Ramachandra Bhat
- Dr.N.Srinath
- Dr.Pradeep P.R.
- Dr.Sunil Raj N.
- Dr.Kiran Kumar N. (an alumni of our very own college!)
- Dr.Shashikumar
- Dr.Sadananda M.P.

As an ode of recognition of their achievements in their respective fields, staff members of our institution were felicitated. In addition, outstanding performance of students was also recognized.



**Dr. Jayakar Shetty, Vice President, Dental Council of India being felicitated at the ceremony**



**Dr.Prashanth (Syndicate Member) being felicitated at the ceremony**

**5. ORIENTATION PROGRAMMES:**

**i. WHITE COAT CEREMONY:**

The White Coat Ceremony and formal training of third year undergraduates in Patient safety and communication skills was conducted for the first time ever in the history of the College on 26th and 27th September 2016.

Three eminent resource persons conducted workshop and hands on training session for 56 students.

- a) **Prof. Raghotham Rao** from Jain University, visiting faculty RVIM, spoke on patient –dentist communication skills
- b) **Dr. Pushpanjali K.**, Academic Registrar, Ramaiah University of Applied Sciences, trained the students in Infection control practices.
- c) **Dr. D K Srinivasa**, Educationist, Former Consultant, Curriculum Cell, RGUHS, trained the students in Ethics and Professionalism.

After the training sessions, the third year students were formally inducted into the clinical dentistry program by handing over the “White Coat” and administering the Hippocratic Oath.



**White Coat Ceremony**

**ii. ORIENTATION LECTURE FOR I BDS STUDENTS:**

An orientation programme was organized for the I BDS students to help induct them into a professional course and to enlighten them about the challenges faced during the course, on 21st October 2016. Dr. Manjula M, Additional Professor, Department of Clinical Psychology, NIMHANS, addressed the students.

**iii. COLGATE-IDA FUTURE DENTAL PROFESSIONALS PROGRAMME:**

Guest lectures on “Career Guidance” were delivered by Dr. Chandrashekar and Dr. Ratan Salecha, during the Colgate-IDA Future Dental Professionals Programme on 28th September 2016.



**COLGATE-IDA Future Dental Professional Programme**

**iv. LECTURE ON ‘LASERS’:**

- 1. A presentation was given by Dr. Divya Bhat, Senior Lecturer, Department of Periodontology, on “Soft tissue surgical application of Laser”, on 1st June, 2016 in Department of Periodontology, in collaboration with Colgate Palmolive India Pvt. Ltd., addressing post-graduates and interns.

**v. THE COLLOQUIUM PROGRAMME:**

Dr Rajeev, MDS – Public Health Dentistry, Fellow SOCHARA, Alumni of RVDC, shared his experience of health promotion initiatives at the grass root level with the faculty and postgraduate students on June 13th 2016.

This was organized as part of COLLOQUIUM programme, an initiative by Department of Public Health Dentistry. In this programme, achievers from various fields are invited to share their experiences, journey, lessons learnt with faculty, PGs & UGs.

**COMMUNITY OUTREACH PROGRAMMES**

**1. DEPARTMENT OF PEDODONTICS AND PREVENTIVE DENTISTRY:**

CAMPS	NO. OF CAMPS	TOTAL NO OF CHILDREN SCREENED	TOTAL NO OF CHILDREN TREATED
FROM JAN 2016- TO DATE	19	1775	950

The Department of Pedodontics has conducted 14 school oral health programmes from January 2016 till date. The camps were conducted at Chikkaballapur and in local schools in Bangalore which includes Hornavu, Good Shepherd School, Modern School, Lum-



bini Gurukul School in Kanakapura, Government school Chekkere in Channapatna.

2. DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH DENTISTRY:



o Visit to SOCHARA: The Faculty and postgraduate students from Department of Public Health Dentistry, visited SOCHARA (Society for Community Health Awareness Research and Action), a Non-Government Organization to learn more about the Policy initiatives related to health promotion.



Faculty and students of Department of Public Health Dentistry at SOCHARA

3. DEPARTMENT OF PROSTHODONTICS

Department of Prosthodontics has successfully implemented Dantha Bhagya scheme introduced by Govt of Karnataka. Dantha Bhagya scheme provides free dentures for senior citizens with BPL card.

THE RESEARCH REPOSITORY

• RESEARCH PROJECTS

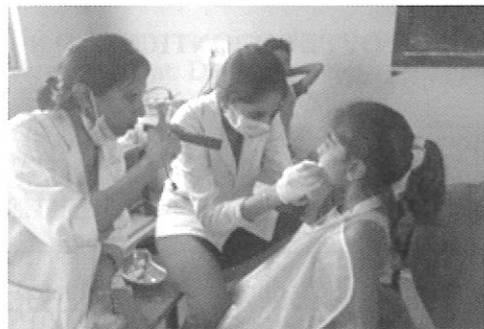
SL No	Department	Completed	ongoing
1	Department of Oral medicine and Radiology	2	6
2	Department of Pedodontics and Preventive Dentistry	3	3
3	Department of Oral & Maxillofacial Pathology	5	6
4	Department of Prosthodontics and Crown & Bridge	2	2
5	Department of Oral & Maxillofacial Surgery	2	2
6	Department of Orthodontics and Dentofacial Orthopedics	5	10
7	Department of Conservative Dentistry & Endodontics	-	5
8	Department of Periodontology	-	5
9	Department of General Pathology and Microbiology	-	2

• RESEARCH COLLABORATIONS:

- o Department of Periodontics has research projects in collaboration with Skanda Life Sciences, Bangalore, and JSD Technodent for CBCT images, Bangalore.
- o Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology has collaborated with Credora Life Sciences and HCG Global.



Oral Health Awareness through Board game "Sparkyman"



Treatment at camp sites

- o Department of Orthodontics and Dentofacial Orthopedics has collaborated with JSD Technodent for CBCT images, Aristogene Lab for genetic study, Acumen Lab, Dentascan Lab.

• RGUHS RESEARCH GRANTS:

1. Dr. N. Kalavathy (Principal investigator), Dr J. Sridevi (Co –investigator ) from Department of Prosthodontics and Crown & bridge have received grant of Rs. 2,50,000/- from RGUHS for their research project titled "Determination of serum vitamin D3 in completely edentulous patients"
2. Dr. Asha R. Iyengar (Principal investigator), Dr. Seema Patil, Dr. Revan Kumar Joshi (Co –investigators ) have received grant of Rs.2,55,000/- from RGUHS for their research project titled "Detection of human papilloma virus and Epstein Barr Virus in subjects of oral leukoplakia by polymerase chain reaction (PCR)"

ACHIEVEMENTS OF THE FACULTY

• APPOINTMENT AS PhD GUIDES:

Dr. Dharma R.M, Dr. Prashanth C.S, Dr. Keshava Prasad B.S., Dr. Anantharaj A and Dr. Sridevi J were recognized as PhD guides by the Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences (RGUHS), Bangalore

• PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENTS:

1. **Dr. Dinesh M.R.**, Principal, is a member of the following associations:
  - o Post-Graduation Dental Board of Studies in Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences (RGUHS)
  - o PhD Registration Committee (RGUHS)
  - o PhD Reviewer Committee (RGUHS)
  - o Committee to look into the implementation of e-learning methodology (RGUHS)
  - o NSS Advisory Committee (RGUHS)
  - o Quality Practice Advisory Committee (RGUHS)
  - o Academic Council (KLE university)
  - o Academic Council (Siddhartha University)
2. **Dr. Dharma R.M.** is a member of American Association of Orthodontists (AAO) and is a fellow of the World Federation of Orthodontists (WFO).

3. **Dr. Veerendra Kumar B.**, is appointed as a reviewer for Indian Journal of Dental Research, a PubMed indexed journal
4. **Dr. Madhura M.G.** is appointed as an executive committee member, Indian Association of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathologists.
5. **Dr. Madhura M.G. and Dr. Suma S.** served as reviewers for Journal of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathology, a PubMed indexed journal, official publication of the Indian Association of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathologists.
6. **Dr. Suma S.**, continued as the assistant editor for RGUHS Journal of Dental Sciences, an official publication of the RGUHS, Karnataka
7. **Dr. Madhura M.G.** was invited to be the Topic Editor for Journal of Advanced Clinical and Research Insights, July-August 2016 issue. The topic was "Oral Potentially Malignant Disorders".
8. **Dr. Madhura M.G.** was appointed as the assistant editor for Journal of Advanced Clinical and Research Insights

• RECOGNITION OF OUTSTANDING SERVICE:

2. Dr. Dinesh M.R. was felicitated by his alma mater, Bapuji Dental College and Hospital, Davangere, on the occasion of their College Day Celebrations to honour him on the achievement of becoming the Principal of D.A.P.M.R.V. Dental College.
3. Dr. Suchetha A, Professor and Head of the Department of periodontology, Dr. Keshava Prasad B.S., Professor, Department of Conservative Dentistry and Dr. Dinesh M.R., Principal, were felicitated with the certificate of appreciation for their valuable participation in 'Patient Survey Program' for Colgate Sensitive Pro Relief Toothpaste by Colgate Palmolive India Pvt. Ltd.



Dr. Suchetha A, Dr. Keshava Prasad B.S and Dr. Dinesh M.R. receiving the certificate of appreciation from Colgate Palmolive India Pvt. Ltd



4. **Dr. ANANTHARAJ A** (Department of Pediatric and Preventive Dentistry)– got certificate of excellence for leadership in the specialty organised by Dental Students Welfare Association of India , Dental Surgeons Association of India Hosted By Department of Periodontics, KLE .V.K Institute of Dental Sciences, Belgaum.

• **Ph.D AWARDEES:**

Dr. B. V. Subash, Reader, and Dr. N. Rakesh, Reader, M S Ramaiah Institute of Dental Sciences were provisionally awarded Ph.D. in Oral Medicine and Radiology under Dental Faculty degree by RGUHS in August 2016 under the guidance of Dr. Asha. R. Iyengar, Prof and HOD, Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology, DAPMRVDC.

• **AWARDS:**

1. **Dr. Dinesh M.R.** was awarded the Human Rights Excellence Award for Dedicated Humanistic Services and Social Contributions to the society, during The Event of Diabetic Award, held on 21st August 2016.

2. The Department of Pedodontics and Preventive Dentistry was awarded the **“Best Pedodontics Department Award”** in India. This award recognized 20 years of school oral health programme conducted by the Department. The event was organised by Dental Students Welfare Association of India, Dental Surgeons Association of India and was hosted by KLE VK Institute of Dental Sciences, Belgaum.

• **AWARD WINNING PRESENTATIONS BY FACULTY:**

1. **Dr. Jyotsna S**, Department of Public Health Dentistry, won the **Best Paper Award** for paper titled “OSCE- is it an effective evaluation tool?” at the National Medical Education Conference, JSS University on February 27th and 28th, 2016.

2. She was awarded the **“Best paper presenter”** at the 4th SEARAME International Conference, Myanmar, Nov 16th to 18th 2016. The paper was titled “Self-Perceived Rating of UG Dental Student’s Core Competencies – A Cross Sectional Survey From A Dental Teaching Institution, Bangalore, India”.

• **OTHER SCIENTIFIC PRESENTATIONS BY FACULTY:**

1. **Dr. Dharma R.M**, Professor, Department of Orthodontics and Dentofacial Orthopedics presented an original research paper on “Association of TGFβ3 Gene

Variants (rs 2268625, rs 3917201) in Non-syndromic Cleft Lip/Palate” at the American Association of Orthodontists (AAO) 2016 Annual Session in Orlando, FL (U.S.A.) between 29th April – 3rd May 2016.

2. **Dr. Pramod K.M**, Department of Orthodontics and Dentofacial Orthopedics presented an original research paper on “Association of FGFR1 and FGF10 Gene Variants with Non-Syndromic Cleft Lip/ Palate in Local Population” at the American Association of Orthodontists (AAO) 2016 Annual Session in Orlando, FL (U.S.A) between 29th April – 3rd May 2016.

3. **Dr. Deepak S.**, Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery presented a paper titled “Mucormycosis-A fatal fungal infection” at FDI-Annual World Dental Congress – Bangkok 2015

4. **Dr. Jyotsna S** (Department of Public Health Dentistry), presented an educational research paper on “Situation analysis of communication competency of dental students in DAPMRVDC- the stakeholders perception” at the recently concluded onsite session from 17th June to 21st June, 2016 at PSG-FAIMER, Regional Institute, Coimbatore to an audience of International and national health professional educators. She was also trained in curriculum designing, assessment strategies and stakeholder management.

5. **Dr. Jyotsna S**, presented a scientific paper titled “Factors influencing the oral health communication competency of Oral Health Care providers in a Dental Teaching Institution, Bangalore, India- A situation Analysis”, at the MEDUCON, JIPMER, Pondicherry, Oct 13th and 14th 2016.

6. **Dr. Suma S**, **Dr. Sarita Y** and **Dr. Madhura MG** presented a scientific poster titled “Birefringence of oral tissues stained with haematoxylin and eosin – an exploratory study” at the 18th International Congress of Oral Pathology and the 25th National conference of IAOMP, at Chennai, from 8th – 11th Sep 2016.

7. **Dr. Madhura MG**, **Dr. Sarita Y** and **Dr. Suma S** presented a scientific paper titled “Observer agreement in grading oral epithelial dysplasia by manual and photographic methods”, at the 18th International Congress of Oral Pathology and the 25th National conference of IAOMP, at Chennai, from 8th – 11th Sep 2016.

8. **Dr. Sarita Y**, **Dr. Suma S**, **Dr. Madhura MG** presented a scientific paper titled “Fluorescent imaging of oral epithelial dysplasia: A haematoxylin and eosin illumination” at the 18th International Congress of Oral Pathology and the 25th National conference of IAOMP, at Chennai, from 8th – 11th Sep 2016.

9. **Dr. Prathibha Rani S**, presented a scientific paper titled “Assessment of knowledge attitude and practice regarding periodontal health and child’s oral health among pregnant women of Bangalore city” at the 38th ISPPD National Conference – Cochin on 20th – 22nd Oct 2016.

10. **Dr. P.Praveen**, presented scientific papers titled “Eyes white shut – a look at changing paradise in Pedodontics” and “Towards a confident smile- better teaching and learning in dentistry” at the KLE Dental College, Belgaum, on 29th September 2016.

11. **Dr. Jyotsna S**, presented a scientific poster titled “OSCE- Is It an Effective Learning assessment Tool for UG Dental Public Health Student? Mixed Method Analysis”, at the 4th SEARAME International Conference, Myanmar, Nov 16th to 18th 2016.

• **FELLOWSHIPS:**

**Dr. Jyotsna S**, was awarded the Foundation for Advancement in International Medical Education and Research (FAIMER) Fellowship- PSG-FRI, Coimbatore 2015-2017

• **FACULTY AS GUEST SPEAKERS AND RESOURCE PERSONS:**

1. **Dr. Madhura MG**, Reader, Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathology was invited as a speaker at the **“Global Conference on Dental and Oral Health”** (GCD- 2016), held during August 22-24, 2016 in Dubai, UAE with the theme: “New Prospective Frontiers in the arena of Dental and Oral Care”. The topic of the lecture was “Etiopathogenesis, and management of tumor like lesions of oral cavity – New insights” for the track Current Concepts in Oral Health.

2. **Dr. Akshai Shetty**, Professor, Department of Orthodontics, delivered a guest lecture at a CDE programme organized by Department of Orthodontics & Dentofacial Orthopedics, Teerthankar Mahaveer Dental College and Research Centre, Moradabad (U.P) on 12th January 2016.

3. **Dr. Sapna N**, Reader, Department of Periodontology and **Dr. Divya Bhat**, Senior Lecturer, Department of Periodontology were invited as the panelists for a discussion on the topic ‘Viva Voce’ as a part of “Perio Panorama” organised by V.S. Dental College, Bangalore on 30th January 2016.



Panelists for Viva Voce at ‘Perio Panorama’

4. **Dr. Suma S**, Reader, Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathology delivered a guest lecture on “Pedagogy” at the first state level Pedagogy competition – 2016, at Sri Siddhartha Dental College, Tumkur, on 23rd September 2016.

5. **Dr. Preethi Hegde**, Department of Physiology, was a Technical expert in configuring and setting up the rodent EEG system, at Syngene Intl. Plot No.2 & 3, Bommasandra IV Phase, Jigani Link Road, Bangalore, India on Thursday, 10th March, 2016.

6. **Dr. Deepti Vadavi**, Department of Public Health Dentistry, was invited as a resource person for Microteaching component of Education Methodology conducted by RGUHS.

7. **Dr. Harikiran AG**, **Dr. Jyotsna S** and **Dr. Deepti Vadavi**, Department of Public Health Dentistry, were Resource Persons for the topic “Critical Understanding and Presentation of Journal Club” CDE programme “Pathfinder III” held on 12th and 13th Feb 2016 at Vydehi Institute of Dental Sciences and research Centre.

• **ENRICHMENT COURSES**

o **Dr. Dharma R.M**, **Dr. Amarnath B.C**, **Dr. Akshai Shetty**, **Dr. Manjunath Hegde**, **Dr. Roopak David**, **Dr. Pramod K.M**, Department of Orthodontics, have



attended the Invisalign Certification Course conducted by Dr.ThitiSirikrai, Thailand, in Bangalore on 15th and 16th April 2016.

- o Dr Roshan Kumar P, Department of Prosthodontics successfully completed Edentulous Implant Prosthetics mini residency conducted by Nobel biocare on 19th and 20th September

• CHAIRING OF SCIENTIFIC SESSION/JUDGE:

1. Dr. Sarita Y, and Dr. Suma S, Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathology were chairperson/judges for a scientific session at 18th International Congress of Oral Pathology and the 25th National conference of IAOMP, at Chennai, from 8th – 11th Sep 2016

**ACHIEVEMENTS BY STUDENTS**

1. Dr. Ritika Agarwal (Post graduate, Department of Oral medicine and Radiology), won the **Best Poster** presentation award titled “Intraosseous Pleomorphic Adenoma – A rare Case; an Interdisciplinary approach”, held at The Oxford Dental College Bangalore.
2. Dr. Lipika Kansal, postgraduate student, Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathology, won the **Best Scientific Presentation Award**, for her scientific paper titled “Will digital algorithm increase the objectivity in grading epithelial dysplasia?” at the XIV National Triple O Symposium 2016, 4th – 6th March 2016, at Meerut, Uttar Pradesh, India
3. Dr. Roopa Gaddagimath, postgraduate student, Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathology, won the **Best Scientific Presentation Award** for her scientific paper titled “Co-existing ossifying fibroma and central giant cell granuloma: A rare case report and review of literature” at the XIV National Triple O Symposium 2016, 4th – 6th March 2016, at Meerut, Uttar Pradesh, India
4. Dr. Tulika Shruti, postgraduate student, Department of Public Health Dentistry, won The **Best Poster award** in “Odontoplexus” held in Oxford Dental College, Bangalore on 12th April 2016 for the poster titled “Is managing medical emergency a challenge in Dentistry? an interdisciplinary approach”.
5. Dr. Raghu Ranjan (III MDS), Dr. Alisha Haldonkar (III MDS), Dr. Narmada A. (II MDS) won the **third prize in the National Quiz** contest conducted at the

20th IOS PG students Convention, Amritsar, Punjab between 3rd to 6th March 2016.

6. Dr.Bhavana Puvvalla, second year PG student (Department of Periodontics) won **second prize in the Debate competition** “PERIO CHARCHA 2016” held at Sri Rajiv Gandhi College of Dental Sciences and Hospital on “Statistical significance not clinical relevance is the need of the hour in periodontal research” on 31st March ,2016.
7. Dr.Sravani Koduru, former PG (Department of Periodontics) was awarded “**The Best Student PG Category**” at the 8th International Dental Students & Second Dental Surgeons Congress 2016 held in KLE V K Institute of Dental Sciences, Belagavi, Karnataka from 9th-10th April.
8. Dr. Roopa Gaddagimath, won the **Second Prize** in Essay Competition on “Pathology beyond slides – Where do you think the future lies?” held at the 18th International Congress of Oral Pathology and the 25th National conference of IAOMP, at Chennai, from 8th – 11th Sep 2016
9. The following students won laurels for their poster presentations at the 8th International Dental Students and 2nd Dental Surgeons Congress at KLE Dental College, BELGAUM, on 9th and 10th April 2016.
  - o Deepika and Kruthika from II BDS won the **Best Poster Award** for the poster titled “E-Cigarettes- the new age irony”, guided by Dr.Suma S
  - o Neha Mundhra (I BDS) and Kourosh Zare (II BDS) won the **Best Poster Award** for the poster titled “UMAMI- the fifth taste”, Guided by Dr.Suma.S.
  - o Aaliya Mariam from I BDS, won the **Best Poster Award** for the poster titled “Green Dentistry-Serve to Conserve” Guided by Dr.Suma.S
  - o Arunakshi and Vaishnavi from III BDS won the **Best Poster Award** for the poster titled “Analysis of Muscle – Epithelial distance in Oral submucous fibrosis: A Morphometric study”, Guided by Dr. Sarita Y.
  - o Dr.Niharika and Dr.HarshRanjan, House surgeons, won the **Best Poster Award** for the poster titled, “The Golden Ratio” guided by Dr.Subash
  - o Maitreyi Desai (A second year BDS Student) won the **Best Poster Award** for the poster titled “Honey, I Shrank The Shrinkage” guided by Dr.Divakar

**SPORTS GLORY**

At the Single zonal RGUHS swimming meet held in Basavangudi Aquatic Centre on 21st September 2016, our institution won the Overall Women Championship Trophy, owing to the many awards won by the following students:

1. **Ms. Neeksha Kapse, II BDS student, won 3 golds and 4 silver:**
  - o Gold: 200 mts backstroke, 100 mts backstroke, 50 mts butterfly
  - o Silver: 100 mts butterfly, 50 mts backstroke, 100 mts freestyle, 50 mts freestyle
  - o Ms. Neeksha was selected for the all India university swimming meet held in Chandigarh from 24th to 2th October 2016.
2. **Ms. Mena C, III BDS student, won 1 gold, 4 silver and 3 bronze:**
  - o Gold: 400 mts freestyle
  - o Silver: 200 mts freestyle, 50 mts breast stroke, 100 mts breast stroke, 200 mts breast stroke
  - o Bronze: 50 mts freestyle, 100 mts freestyle, 100 mts backstroke

**THE GREEN COVER**

1. Our garden was awarded a special outstanding prize for the “Best Ornamental Gardens”, by the Mysore Horticultural Society, during the horticultural show August 2016, for the fifth year in a row! (Photograph 4)



Gardeners with the award for “Best Ornamental Gardens”

2. Sapling planted by the oral health care team at an oral health outreach program to promote the green cover on the campus at Vaderahalli on Jun 5th 2016 (Photograph 5)



Sapling planted at the campus at Vaderahalli

**WOMEN’S DAY CELEBRATIONS**

On the occasion of Women’s Day on 14th of March, a field trip to a silk saree weaving factory was organized by women welfare committee. Committee members along with female staff of the college were present for the same. This was followed by lunch at a restaurant.



Inside the weaving factory with weavers



A groupie after lunch get-together



**PENDENT – COLLEGE NEWSLETTER**

Two issues of the college newsletter PENDENT were released on 16th March 2016 and 28th October 2016. The newsletter is compiled and edited by a team headed by Dr. Sapna N, Reader, Department of Periodontics.



Release of college newsletter- Pendent

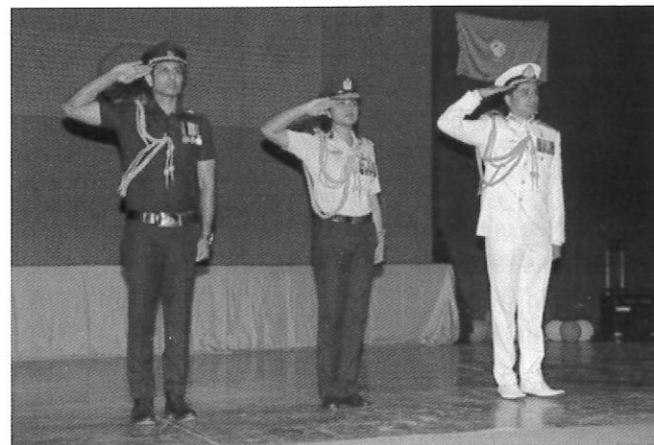
**EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES**

The annual cultural and sports events were conducted in October 2016. Cultural events included music, dance, art and creation competitions. A fun fair was also held. Sports events included outdoor and indoor sports as well as athletic events. All the students, teaching and non-teaching staff participated with much eagerness.

Graduation and college day celebrations were held on 28-10-2015, and Dr. Jayakar Shetty, Vice President, Dental Council of India, was the Chief Guest.



Graduation ceremony



'Surmount', a skit on patriotism by Faculty as part of College Day Celebrations



Themed Fashion Show during College Day Celebrations

# R.V. EDUCATIONAL CONSORTIUM

**R**V Educational Consortium has been actively involved with a number of projects pertaining to the D.Ed sector and has been liaising closely with the Government Education Department and NGO's.

**CURRENT PROJECTS/PROGRAMMES**

**1 Bringing All Round Improvement in School with Support from the Tech Mahindra Foundation (TMF)**

The Consortium has received grants from Tech Mahindra Foundation for the project on "Bringing All Round Improvement in School" under its Program (ARISE) for the following primary and nursery Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike Schools. The below mentioned BBMP schools have been adopted by Tech Mahindra Foundation for All Round Improvement in School Education – ARISE.

- BBMP Nursery School, Jogupalya 1st Cross, Cambridge Road, Ulsoor, Bengaluru -560 008
- BBMP Primary School, Jogupalya, Ulsoor, Bengaluru -560 008
- BBMP Nursery School, Tasker Town, Payappa Garden, Shivajinagar, Bengaluru -560 051
- BBMP Primary School, Tasker Town, Shivaji Circle, Shivaji Nagar, Bengaluru -560 002.
- BBMP Nursery and Primary School, Lakkasandra, 15th Cross, Bengaluru -560 030
- BBMP Nursery and Primary School, 6th Main, Chinnayanapalya, Bengaluru -560 030



Group activities by children.

During this period Facilitators for the schools and subject co-ordinators are recruited. They are oriented and trained for the project. Project Lead, co-ordinator and Subject leads conducted multiple school visits. Base-line assessment, Integrated projects for children and teachers, Teacher Orientation workshop, Facilitators workshop is another priority. There are multiple planning and review meetings both internally, with subject experts, advisory members and the external RPs. The team has created and translated many resources and reading as per the planning requirements.

**2. Resource Kit preparation for Inclusive Education in collaboration with DSERT and with support from UNICEF**

R V Educational Consortium and Seva-in-Action are lending academic support to Department of State Educational Research and Training in implementing a project on Inclusive Education for both practising and prospective teachers. Additional funding has been given by UNICEF towards extension of Inclusive Education project for developing resource kit.

We have generated a range of resources through workshops and compiled narratives through a qualitative study. As part of the extension activities we have set up a resource centre at S1 BRC. To disseminate the resources among teachers we plan to engage them for an hour during cluster sharing meetings, instead of conducting additional workshops.

**3. Pedagogical Content Knowledge of Science in the Teacher Education Sector: A Developmental and Research Project**

The NCERT has approved a developmental and research project on "Pedagogical Content Knowledge of Science in Teacher Education Sector" conducted jointly by RVEC and TISS (Tata Institute of Social Science).

The Consortium has collaborated with Vijaya Teachers College in engaging B.Ed students and faculty. As part of this project 45 students from Vijaya Teachers College attend sessions.

**4. Whole School Development Programme**

This programme is for Sri Ramakrishna Vidya Kendra (SRVK), a rural school at Shivanahalli. The Con-



students displayed their skill in preparing the 'POLY HEDRA' models along with mainstream students.

Ramya, Suchitra, Varsha of 10th std., Pooja gowthami, Sonakshi of 9th std. performed a Fusion Dance on National Integration in an Inter School Dance Competitions conducted by ISOL on the occasion of Children's Day. They received a special prize for their excellent performance despite their disabilities. The same dance group participated in the Interschool Dance Competition called Seva Uthsav conducted by 'Adamyta Chethana Trust'.

ISOL conducted an Interschool Drawing Competition on Swach Bharath. 17 students of the School took part in this competition. Pooja N U and Akash H A of 10th std. received prizes.

The School along with RVHS had arranged an exhibition of students educational projects and models which was inaugurated by Ms. Maya Chandra, Chairman, Governing Council.

12 students of the school participated in an Interschool 'Clay modelling', 'Yoga' and 'Drawing Competition' organized by Youth for Seva. The following students won the prizes in various competitions: Bharath (6th Std.) – I prize in Yoga, Darshan (6th std.) – I prize in Drawing and Gokul (7th std.) – I prize in Clay modelling.

Department of Education conducted several competitions, at Cluster level, Deksharam of 6th std. secured II prize in Drawing, while Suhas and Gokul won prizes

in Athletics. Primary students were taken to Lalbagh for an Echo Therapy program conducted by 'Bengaluru Environment Trust'.

Tejas M, Praveen M of 9th std. and Akash H.A of 10th std. participated in the 12th Karnataka State level Chess Championship for the Deaf and won I, II and IV place respectively.

Shekar and Meghana were honoured for securing above 80% in Kannada in SSLC Board Examination (April 2015) on Rajyotsava Day by Bengaluru Kan-nada Balaga.

### Teachers Activities and Achievements

The School had arranged for an interactive session on 'Role of Teachers in the Present Scenario' with Prof. Sridhar Murthy a practising Psychologist.

Two staff members attended a workshop on 'Effective Approach for Quality Teaching' conducted by 'Centre for Human Resource Development'(CHRD).

Orientation on National Education Policy was conducted by a Nodal Officer from the Department of Education.

Science and Maths teachers of the School attended workshops conducted by the Department. Smt. L.K. Vanajakshi was honoured with 'Best Teacher Award' by Rotary Padmanabha Nagar on the occasion of Teachers Day.



Eco Therapy Programme for the students in Lalbagh Botanical Garden.



Smt. L K Vanajakshi honoured with 'Best Teacher' award on Teachers' Day by Rotary.

# DA PANDU MEMORIAL RV DENTAL COLLEGE & HOSPITAL



Graduation ceremony

### NAAC ACCREDITATION

The College has been graded by NAAC with 'A' in the second cycle of accreditation, with CGPA of 3.21.

### SCIENTIFIC EVENTS

Department of Orthodontics conducted a day long Continuing Dental Education (CDE) program on "New Vistas in Orthodontics" on 26th June 2015. Dr. Nanda Kumar J, MDS, M Dent Sc, Faculty, Division of Orthodontics, University of Connecticut, USA addressed the gathering of over 200 delegates including HODs, senior professors and students from across Karnataka and neighbouring states.

A guest lecture was delivered on "Radiation Protection" by Dr Tomohiro Okano. Prof. Emeritus, Showa University, Tokyo, Japan on 28th September 2015.

Department of Prosthodontics and Crown & Bridge organized a Master Class Programme in Prosthodontics, in association with Karnataka Prosthodontic Society and Bangalore Prosthodontic Forum for final year MDS students from all colleges in Bangalore on 24th and 25th January 2015. Postgraduate teachers from different parts of the country were guest speakers in which Dr.Sridevi, Professor, Department of Prosthodontics of our institution was also one of the speakers.

The Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology organized a CDE program on "Radiotherapy and PET scan in head and neck cancer" in collaboration with HCG can-

cer centre on 25th February 2015. Dr Shilpa, Dr. K.G Kallur, Dr.VishalRao and Dr.Kumaraswamy were the guest speakers.

Department of Pedodontics and preventive dentistry had organized a guest lecture by Dr.Sriram on "Fibre technology and newer composites in Dentistry" on 18th March 2015.

The 5th Karnataka State Chapter of Association of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeons of India (AOMSI) conducted the State Annual Conference in collaboration with the College in March 2015.

On the occasion of the Golden Jubilee year of the Indian Orthodontic Society (IOS), the Department of Orthodontics in association with Bangalore Orthodontic Study Group (BSOG) hosted the "Smile Torch Program" on 04th March, 2015.

The smile torch was received by the Principal, Dr. M.R.Dinesh from Dr. Santosh, HOD, Department of Orthodontics, VokkaligaraSangha Dental College, Bangalore. This was followed by a Smile March to spread the awareness about the benefits of Orthodontic treatment among the general public. Various cultural events with the theme "Embrace your smile" were also conducted.

A guest lecture on "Periodontal health in implant patients" by Dr.Apoorva S.M., Reader, Dept. of Periodontology of the College, was organized by Department of Periodontology and Colgate Palmolive, on 29th April 2015 for all the staff and students of the institution.



The Department of Conservative Dentistry & Endodontics in association with the Academy of Conservative Dentistry & Endodontics(ACE), Bangalore felicitated the Senior Endodontist, former Principal of GDC & the first Dental Surgeon to occupy the post of Director of Medical Education, Karnataka, Dr N. Rajeev Shetty, who is the recipient of "Doctor of Science"(DSc)- Honoris Causa from the prestigious Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Karnataka, in recognition of his career, on 11/04/15.

A webinar was organized by the Department of Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics, titled "Porcelain laminate veneers for excellent aesthetics and durability" by Dr.Porous Turner, on 10th June 2015.

Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology conducted a CDE programme on "Dental management of Medically Compromised Patients" and "Chemotherapy in Oral cancer" on 24th June 2015 with speakers Dr.GovindBabu and Dr. G.D. Ravindran.

Department of Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics, organized a CDE programme titled "Micro-endodontics in Dental Practice" in the institution on 17th Aug 2015 with speaker Dr. Anuj Bharadwaj, Sri Aurobindo college of dentistry, Indore, and an alumnus of our college.

A guest lecture titled "What's next after BDS" by Dr.Shridhar, Dental Practitioner, U.K was held on 29th July 2015, for the interns.

The institution organized a "Sensitization programme on educational methodology" by Dr.Munir Ahmed R, Director, College Development Council, RGUHS, Karnataka, on 17th August 2015 for all the teaching faculty.

Dr. Ashok Kumar, HoD, Allied health courses, KLE University, Belgaum, delivered a talk on "Life is beautiful, Do not stress. Stay Calm-Stay Healthy= Stay Long" on March 2nd 2015 for the undergraduate students, organized by the Department of Public Health Dentistry

### HEALTH AWARENESS PROGRAMMES AND ORAL HEALTH CAMPS

Department of Prosthodontics and Crown & Bridge conducted a free denture camp at the AshaktaPoshaka Sabha, V.V. Puram, Bangalore, from 16-04-2015 to 20-05-2015 and 17 patients were given dentures. Post insertion

checkup was done and the patients were satisfied with the dentures.

A guest lecture on "Bone Marrow Registry Donor Awareness Driver" by Dr. S.R. Umesh, Secretary, Bangalore Medical College Alumni Association, Bangalore was arranged on 20th April 2015, by the Staff and Student Welfare Committee. All the faculty members and students attended the lecture and many among them voluntarily registered for the bone marrow donation.

The Department of Public Health Dentistry conducted more than 30 camps, providing free screening and treatment to 3700 patients.

Annual School Oral Health Camp was conducted by the Department of Pedodontics for 31 schools in Tirunelveli and Tuticorin district Tamil Nadu from 9/8/15 – 22/8/2015. A team of 26 dentists including staff, PG, UG students from our department and alumini from various parts of the country also attended the same. 12,792 children were screened and treated in this program. Camp was inaugurated by MLAs and the news appeared in all vernacular newspapers and TV channels.

The Department of Pedodontics also conducted special dental camp at Ramana Maharshi Academy For Blind And Asha Sadan For Disabled.

### INTERSCHOOL COMPETITION

To create oral health awareness, an INTERSCHOOL COMPETITION FOR 800 CHILDREN FROM 10 SCHOOLS was conducted in the college premises in association with St Paul's English school on 1/8/2015. The events included charcoal shading, water color, graffiti, folk art, acrylic pastel, etc.

Oral health education and screening was provided for all the children participated in the competition on 31st July 2015.

The prize winning paintings and art work by the children are retained in the college for display.

Kindergarten children from PLANET KIDS visited the department in batches on 11/9/2015.

Oral health education and screening was provided for all the children and staff.

On the occasion of Women's day, the Women's Welfare Committee had organized a get together for all female faculty members, interns and post graduate students on 23rd march, 2015 in DADH Lab of the College. The session included demonstration and display of vegetable carving by Mrs. Mubeen followed by games and refreshments.

### ACHIEVEMENTS OF THE FACULTY

Dr. Nirmala, from the Department of Physiology completed her Ph.D. on the topic "Pre-Clinical Study of Evolvulusalsinoides L. on Cognition and Oxidative stress in Alzheimers Disease" under faculty of medicine of Yenepoya University, Mangalore under the guidance of Dr. Shankar Bhat and Dr. urban J.A. D'Souza.

### Professional appointments

Dr.Prashanth C.S, Professor, Department of Orthodontics is nominated as a Syndicate member, Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Karnataka. Dr. Dinesh M.R., Principal, has been appointed as a Member, PG Board of Studies, RGUHS, Karnataka. Dr.Madhura M.G., Reader, Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathology, has also been appointed as a Member, PG Board of Studies, RGUHS, Karnataka. Dr.Veerendra Kumar B, Professor and Head, Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathology, has been appointed as an Executive Committee Member of the Indian Association of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathologists. Dr.Darshan B. Mundinamane, Reader, Department of Periodontics, has been appointed as an Executive Committee Member of the Indian Society of Periodontology.

### Recognition of outstanding service

Dr. N. Kalavathy, Professor and Head, Department of Prosthodontics has been recognized for her outstanding service rendered at the School Oral Health Programme organized by the Department of Pedodontics and Preventive Dentistry at Tirunelveli-Tuticorin district, Tamil Nadu in August 2015.

### Award winning presentations by faculty

Dr.Sridevi, Professor, Department of Prosthodontics, presented a paper on "Comparative evaluation of impression techniques in Implant Dentistry" at the 68th Indian Dental Conference, Manpho Convention Centre, Bangalore, on 13th to 15th February 2015 and was awarded second prize for the same.



NAAC Peer team visit to the institution

Dr. Jyotsna S, Reader, Department Of Public Health Dentistry, was awarded the Best paper for her paper presentation on Oral Health Information in the "Curriculum of Karnataka State Secondary Education Board Syllabus" Is it enough? – A Content Analysis" at the 68th National Indian Dental Conference held at the Manpho Convention Centre Bangalore from 13-15thfeb 2015.

At the same conference, Dr. Deepti Vadavi, Reader, Department of Public Health Dentistry, was also awarded with the second best paper award for her paper presentation on "Formative Vs Summative assessment – Faculty perceptions from a Dental institution in India."

Dr.SaritaYanduri, Reader, Department of Oral Pathology presented a paper entitled "Lichenoid features and fibrosis – Coexistence in quid induced lesions" at the XII National triple 'O' conference conducted by Faculty of Dental Sciences at Bangalore on 13th, 14th and 15th March 2015. Her paper has been published in a Pubmed indexed journal as part of a competition conducted at the same conference.

### Other Scientific presentations by faculty

Dr. Dharma R.M., presented a paper at the 8th International Orthodontic Congress Doctor's Programme conducted by British Orthodontic Society and World Federation of Orthodontics, held in London (UK), between 27th-30th September 2015

Dr. Archana Sanketh, Senior Lecturer, Department of Prosthodontics, presented a paper at the 68th Indian Dental Conference on 13th to 15th February 2015 at Manpho



Convention Centre, Bangalore.

Dr.Murali, Professor, Department of Conservative and Endodontics, presented a paper titled "at Midterm PG convention, Indore on 1st March 2015

Dr.Subash B V, Reader of Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology presented a paper at the XIII Indian Academy of oral medicine and radiology National Triple 'O' conference at MS Ramaiah Dental College in March 2015.

Dr.Madhura MG, Reader, Department of Oral Pathology, presented a paper at XII National triple conference conducted by Faculty of Dental Sciences at MS Ramaiah University of Applied sciences, Bengaluru on 13th, 14th and 15th March 2015.

### Contribution to textbooks

Dr.Deepti Vadavi, Department of Public Health Dentistry, has written for the Book titled – Clinical Manual for Public Health Dentistry and Practical Record Book.

Dr.Suchetha A, Dr.Sravani K and Dr.Darshan BM, Department of Periodontics, are authors of the book titled "Periodontal proteins in health and disease" by Lambert Academic Publications.

### Faculty as Guest Speakers and Resource Persons

In the recently concluded 19th IOS PG Students Convention held between 26th Feb- 01st Mar 2015 at NIMHANS Convention Centre, Bangalore- Dr. M.R. Dinesh,



Inauguration of CDE programme conducted by Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology

Principal of the College delivered a Key-note lecture on "Understand Genetics: Role in Diagnosis & Treatment Planning."

Dr.Akshai Shetty, Professor, Department of Orthodontics delivered a Key-note lecture on "Cleft Lip and Palate – Orthodontists Role – Then & Now."

Dr. S. Girish Rao, Professor and HOD of the Department of Oral and Maxillofacial surgery, was the guest speaker at the 5th Karnataka State Chapter of Association of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeons of India (AOMSI), held in Bangalore March 2015 where he delivered a lecture on "Rare Infections in maxillofacial Region."

Dr. Akshai Shetty spoke on the topic "Surgical Orthodontics" at the Courtyard Marriot, Mumbai on 14th June, 2015. He was the guest speaker for the CDE program held at Yenepoya University on 28th March 2015 and spoke on the topic "Planning for Orthognathic Surgery-Art or Science."

Dr. Murali, Professor, Department of Conservative and Endodontics, spoke on "Endodontic flare-ups" for a CDE programme held at Ernakulam, Kerala on 15th Mar 2015.

Dr Bhagyalakshmi G, HoD of Anatomy and Dr.PreethiHegde, Department of Physiology were resource persons for the 6th cohort of short course in Educational technology.(FEB-APRIL 2015) conducted by RGUHS.

Dr. Deepti Vadavi, Dr. Madhura M.G., Dr. Arun, Dr. Sunil Mankar, Dr. Divakar were the resource persons for the 7th Cohort Short course in Educational methodology held at Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bengaluru.

Dr Revan Kumar Joshi, Senior Lecturer, Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology, delivered a lecture on "Medication induced salivary gland diseases" in the International CDE programme organised by Shree Aurobindo College of Dental Sciences, Indore on 30th September 2015.

Dr. Suma S, Reader, Department of Oral Pathology, was the resource person for "Training of Teachers Workshop on Educational Science and Technology for Teachers of Dental College", at Sri Siddhartha Dental College, Tumkur, from 4th to 6th August 2015 conducted under the leadership of Dr. D.K. Srinivas. She was also the re-

source person for "Training of Teachers Workshop on Educational Science and Technology for Teachers of Dental College", at ITS Dental College, Greater Noida, UP, from 17th to 19th Oct 2015, conducted under the leadership of Dr. D.K. Srinivas

Dr. Madhura M G, delivered a talk on "Tumour-like lesions of oral cavity" at the Zonal CDE Programme of NTR University of Health Sciences at Narayana Dental College and Hospital, Nellore, on 26th Sep 2015.

### ENRICHMENT COURSES

Dr. Jyotsna S. Reader, Department of Public Health Dentistry has been selected for the foundation for Advancement of International Medical Education and Research Fellowship (FAIMER) at the PSG Regional Centre, Coimbatore for the years 2015-17

Dr. Sunil, Dr.Arun, Dr.Shivakumar, Dr.Divakar, Dr.Madhura, Dr.Prashanth, Dr.Deepti, Dr. Jyotsna, Dr.Sridevi, Dr.Pratibha, Dr.Pavithra and Dr.Sharmilastaff of our College have successfully completed a short course on educational methodology conducted by RGUHS during the months of February to April 2015.

### RESEARCH GRANTS RGUHS Research Grant

A research project titled "Detection of Human Papilloma Virus and Epstein Barr Virus in Subjects of Oral Leukoplakia by Polymerase Chain Reaction (PCR)", proposed by Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology, has been accepted by the Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences for funding.

A research project titled "Determination of serum vitamin D level for completely edentulous patients", proposed by Department of Prosthodontics, has been approved for funding.

### ICMR Short term studentship programme 2015

Roselent and Sanjula Sinha of III Year UG have been awarded the ICMR Short Term Studentship Grant for the year 2015

### ICMR postgraduate MD thesis grant

Dr.TulikaShruthi, Postgraduate student, Department of



Denture camp at AshaktaPoshaka Sabha, V.V. Puram, Bangalore

Public Health Dentistry, was granted the ICMR post-graduate MD thesis grant for study titled "Incorporation of storytelling as a method of Oral Health Education for 3-6 year old children".

### ACHIEVEMENTS BY STUDENTS

Dr. Sravani Kodur, Dr. Nanditha Chandran and Dr. Chitra Jayachandran, post graduate students from the Department of Periodontology won first prize at the inter-college quiz competition "PERIOSPARDDHA" held at Krishnadevaraya College of Dental sciences, Bangalore on 17th April 2015.

Dr.Aastha Aggarwal, Iyear MDS student from Department of Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics, won first prize for poster presentation on topic –"CAD CAM- A PARADIGM SHIFT IN DENTISTRY" at 16th IACDE- IES PG CONVENTION, GHAZIABAD held from 4 June, 2015 to 6 June,2015.

Dr. Hanna, 2nd year PG, Department of Public Health of Dentistry, won the Best paper award at the 9th National Convention on 19th-20th June, 2015 at the Narayana Dental College, Nellore for the paper titled " Students perception on present undergraduate Dental Public Health curriculum in India- A cross sectional study"

Mr. Gokul Raj, Undergraduate student,, won the Best Paper Award for his paper titled "Undergraduate dental students perception on undergraduate research in a dental teaching institution in Bangalore – a cross sectional study" in VI OSMECON 2015 National Medical Confer-



ence held at Osmania Medical College, Hyderabad, from 27th to 29th August 2015,

At the 19th IOS PG Students Convention held between 26th Feb- 01st Mar 2015 at NIMHANS Convention Centre, Bangalore, Dr. Ruchira Shreevats, 2nd year PG Student, Department of Orthodontics was awarded the 3rd prize for Table Clinic on "Splints – A Multifaceted Appliance"

At the same convention, Dr. Raghu Ranjan Prasad, II year PG Student, Department of Orthodontics was awarded the 3rd prize in singing competition (Cultural Events).

Dr. Soumya Bhavana, Postgraduate student, Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathology, won the Best Paper Award for her paper titled "Will bleached vegeta-

Following Undergraduate students were awarded with prizes at the 68th National Indian Dental Conference held on 13-15thfeb 2015 at the Manpho Convention Centre Bangalore.

TOPIC	STUDENT	AWARD
Standards of Evaluation of Kident Magazine on 6-8 year old children in Bangalore, A qualitative study.	Pavithra, Final Year Student	Best Paper Award
Effectiveness of Health Education on Knowledge, Attitude and Practices of Oral Health of 1st year RV Management Students – A pre and post Comparative study	Salmoli, Final Year Student	2nd Best Paper Award
Effectiveness of Oral Health Education on Knowledge, Attitude and Practice of Nursing Students in a Nursing College in Bangalore	Dr. Abhishek MA, Intern	Best Paper Award
Interns Outlook on undergraduate research – A cross Sectional Study in Dental Teaching Institution in Bangalore, India	Lakshmy CR, final Year Student	2nd Best Paper Award



A group song by III BDS students during the College day celebrations

ble oil be a suitable alternative for xylene in tissue processing?", at the XXVI National Conference of the Indian Association of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathologists, Jaipur, from 19th to 21st November 2015.

### EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

The annual cultural and sports events were conducted by the Student Welfare Committee during September 2015. Cultural events included music, dance, art and creation competitions. A fun fair was also held. Sports events included outdoor and indoor sports as well as athletic events. All the students, teaching and non-teaching staff participated with much eagerness. Graduation and college day celebrations were held on 08-10-2015, and Vice Chancellor of RGUHS, Dr. K.S. Ravindranath, was the chief guest. The college magazine "Pendent" was also released during the graduation day celebrations.

## R.V. EDUCATIONAL CONSORTIUM

The Consortium has been actively involved with a number of projects pertaining to the D.Ed sector and has been liaising closely with the Government Education Department and NGO's.

Current projects/programmes:

### Bringing All Round Improvement in School with Support from the Tech Mahindra Foundation

The Consortw ium has received grants under ARISE Program of Tech Mahindra Foundation for the project on "Bringing All Round Improvement in School" for the following BBMP primary and nursery Schools adopted by Tech Mahindra Foundation. The duration of the project is 3 years.

BBMP Primary School, JogupalyaUlsoor, Bengaluru -560 008

BBMP Primary School, TaskerTown , Shivaji Circle, Shivaji Nagar, Bengaluru -560 002.

BBMP Primary School, Lakkasandra , 15th Cross, Bengaluru -560 030

BBMP Primary School, 6th Main, Chinnayanapalya, Bengaluru -560 030

During this period Facilitators for the schools and subject co-ordinators were recruited, oriented and trained for the project. Project Lead, co-ordinator and Subject leads did



Integrated Workshops for teachers of classes 1-7

multiple school visits. Baseline assessment and Teacher Orientation workshop was another priority. Facilitators workshop is continuing. There were multiple planning and review meetings both internally with subject experts, advisory members and the external RPs. The team created and translated many resources and reading as per the planning requirements.

#### Whole Team meeting



### Resource Kit preparation for Inclusive Education in collaboration with DSERT and with support from UNICEF

The Consortium and Seva-in-Action are lending academic support to Department of State Educational Research and Training in implementing a project on Inclusive Education for both practising and prospective teachers. UNICEF is providing additional funds to the project for developing resource kit. The duration of the project is one year.

We have generated a range of resources through workshops and compiled narratives through a qualitative study. As part of the extension activities we are setting up a resource centre at S1 BRC.



Nearly 50 hearing impaired students of RVISD performed dance, drama on Naada Geethe portraying prominent poets, authors and scholars of Karnataka with a wonderful blend of action and colourful costumes.

Children's day celebration was unique this with a special clay modeling competition conducted for students of classes I to VII which brought out the imagination among students and they made some beautiful clay models.

An education visit was arranged to Krishi Mela held at the University of Agricultural Sciences, Hebbal for the students of classes VIII to X as part of 'Seeing is learning' initiative.

RVISD mobilized scholarships for 80 deserving students; Sri K.G. Subbarama Setty, Treasurer, RSS Trust and the District Deputy Director of Child and Women Welfare disbursed the cheques.

Eight students received free hearing aids from RSS Trust. Ms. Maya Chandra, Chairperson, School Governing Council distributed the hearing aids.

A three year old child was counseled for cochlear implant through the government aid scheme.

A talk on value based education by Dr. Sameer Simha was arranged for the staff/ teachers on the occasion of Teacher's Day.

The school extended orientation and demos on teaching methodologies to 58 teacher trainers from the north block and 42 teacher trainers from Anekal District. The school was chosen for practice teaching for B.Ed in Special Education students of the Institute of Speech and Hearing, Hennur Road, Bangalore. Some staff members at-



School Day celebrations.



Winners of Drawing Competition.

tended workshops on resource creation conducted by the DIET urban. Some staff members have been chosen as external examiners for the B.Ed and D.Ed courses conducted by Aliyavar Institute for Hearing Impaired, Mumbai.

The school headmistress Mrs. Usha Dwarkanath was felicitated by the countrywide NGO SEVAK for the school's contribution in creating a 'World of Kindness and Care'.

## DAPM R V DENTAL COLLEGE & HOSPITAL

### ■ SCIENTIFIC EVENTS

The following are the scientific events were conducted by the Institution including Continuing Dental Education (CDE) programmes, enrichment courses and hands on workshops.

Department of Prosthodontics organized a CDE programme in association with the American Academy of Implant Dentistry, on "Medical Emergencies in Dental Practice and Occlusion" at the Institution on 07-12-2013 with Dr.PadmajaUpadhyaya and Dr. Raj Upadhyaya were the Guest Speakers.

Department of Prosthodontics and Department of Conservative Dentistry & Endodontics conducted a CDE Programme along with 3M ESPE on "Indirect Restorations: a clinician's approach to predictability", on 18-03-2014. The guest speaker was Dr.Madhav Murthy.

Department of Periodontics conducted a WEBINAR on "Perio-restorative Doctrines for better tissue longevity" by Dr.Kumaraswamy on 02-04-2014.

The Department of Public Health Dentistry organized a programme "Empowering NSS Programme Officers to tackle Non-Communicable Disease Burden through 'Common Risk Factor Approach' on 10-04-2014. The Chief Guest was Dr.S Chandrashekar Shetty, Former Vice-Chancellor, RGUHS. Lt.Col. Dr. K. Raghunath, Dr.Vasanth Shetty (NSS Coordinator, RGUHS), Dr.Dhanya Kumar (Rtd. Director General of Health Services) attended the programme. The Department also conducted Research Exposition 2014 and Concencia-awareness-HIV/AIDS prevention programmes in

association with Red Ribbon Club, Karnataka state AIDS Prevention society, on 08/03/2014. Mr. P. S. Nandakumar, Former Chairman, Governing Council, RSS Trust, was the Chief Guest.

Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery organized the ICOI [International Congress of Oral Implantologists] Implant Foundation Programme, on 13-04-2014 and 14-04-2014.

The Department of Orthodontics and Dentofacial Orthopaedics organized a CDE programme titled "SURGERY FIRST ORTHOGNATHIC APPROACH" conducted by Dr.Eric.J.WLiou, Chairman, Faculty of Dentistry, Chang Gung Memorial Hospital and Chang Gung University, Taipei, Taiwan.

The CDE programme was held on 21<sup>st</sup> and 22<sup>nd</sup> of July 2014. A day long lecture was organized on 21<sup>st</sup>, attended by 280 delegates and on 22<sup>nd</sup> a Hands on workshop was conducted which was attended by 60 delegates, from various institutions across the country including HODs, Senior Professors, and Post Graduate students.

The Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology conducted the preconvention workshops of National IAOMR Post-Graduate Convention, on 25<sup>th</sup> July 2014 in the college premises. The workshops comprised of both Lectures and hands-on workshops on "Lasers in Oral Medicine" and "CBCT". The resource person for the lectures on "Lasers in Oral Medicine" were Dr.GirishRao and Dr.Nitin Agarwal and for "CBCT" Dr.HemanthUmarji and Dr.Vinodkumar.(Photograph 5)



Hands on training programme on Cardio Pulmonary Resuscitation and Basic Life Support was conducted on 31/10/2014. Dr.PushpaLingade and Dr.Jayashree who are consultant anesthetists were the resource persons. Participant got an opportunity to perform CPR on mannequins.

### ■ IMPROVEMENT IN TEACHER QUALITY

Dr. N. Kalavathy, Professor and Head, Department of Prosthodontics, completed a Fellowship Programme on Implantology conducted by the American Academy of Implant Dentistry, Max-course ASIA, India.

Dr. S. Deepak, Reader, Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery, was awarded the ICOI [International Congress of Oral Implantologists] Fellowship on 13-04-2014.

Dr.Bhagyalakshmi G, Professor and Head, Mrs Rohini, Lecturer, Department of Anatomy completed short course in new techniques in teaching methodology from RGUHS- MAY-AUG 2014

Dr.Darshan B. Mundinamane, Reader, Department of Periodontology was selected for SHOWA University, Japan as research associate and successfully completed his research on the topic "Effects of Methyl Sulfonyl Methane(MSM) on macrophages polarization: A pilot study" for the period April2013-March2014.

Dr, Murali H Rao, Professor, Department of Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics, completed a course on the Biostatistics of Research Methodology in Dentistry at The "SUMMER INSTITUTE PROGRAM" at The University of Washington(UW), Seattle.

### ■ AWARDS AND RANKS

#### ■ STUDENTS:

The graduating batch of 2013 received 52 University ranks.

Dr.Sonali Chhabria, a postgraduate student in Department of Prosthodontics, was awarded the BEST PAPER award for the presentation "Winged Denture" at the conference on Reinventing academic and clinical excellence (RACE), in Bharathi-Vidyapeeth University Dental College and Hospital, Pune, in March 2014.

The Post Graduate students of the Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology won awards at the IAOMR National PG Convention held at DayanandSagar Institute of Dental Sciences on 26<sup>th</sup> and 27<sup>th</sup> July 2014.

Dr.Sonali Ghai, III year MDS won the Best Paper Award for her study titled "Assessment of oral candida carrier status in a dental hospital" and also won "Dr.K.S.Ganapathy Award" for Best Overall Scientific Activity.

Dr.Vani.M.H and Dr.Shalini Dina Simon, I year MDS won the III Prize for E-Poster presentation titled "Advances in Ultrasonography in Head and Neck Imaging – An Evolutionary Boon".

Dr Sona, PG student awarded with Session's best paper in 15<sup>th</sup> IACDE-IES PG Convention 2014, Chennai on the topic Clinical management of endodontic- periodontic lesion with PRF

Dr Thomas, PG student was awarded best paper award for the paper "Cutting across the cross section" at 15<sup>th</sup> IACDE-IES PG Convention 2014, Chennai

Dr Pratima - PG student was awarded best paper award for the paper "Remineralization - Strengthen your fort to combat your enemy" at 15<sup>th</sup> IACDE-IES PG Convention 2014, Chennai

Dr.Chitra Jayachandran, PG student, Department of Periodontology won 2<sup>nd</sup> prize in debate competition held at Oxford dental College and Hospital on 5<sup>th</sup> December 2014 conducted by Bangalore academy of Periodontology.

### ■ FACULTY

Dr.Roshan, Reader, Department of Prosthodontics was awarded best paper presentation on "Compelled to look beyond titanium" at 42<sup>nd</sup> IPS conference on November 2014. Dr.Jyotsna S., Reader, Department of Public health Dentistry received a best Poster Award at National Conference on Dental Health Professional Education in 2014.

### ■ SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS

Dr. S. Girish Rao, Professor and Head, Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery, was appointed as ICOI Ambassador (International Congress of Oral Implantologists) to enhance, educate and empower Implant Dentistry in India.

### ■ SPORTS, CULTURAL AND GRADUATION DAY2014

The Convocation was held on 22<sup>nd</sup> September 2014. The 18<sup>th</sup> undergraduate and 9<sup>th</sup> postgraduate convocation was graced by Dr.Y. Bharath Shetty, Vice President, Dental Council of India,

Dr. Nagalaksmi Vice principal, Siddhartha Dental College, Sri B.R.Vishwanatha Shetty, Chairman, Governing Council D.A.P.M.R.V.D.C./RSS Trust, Dr.Jayakar Shetty, Dr.Panduranga Setty, President, RSS Trust. "Pendent" the college magazine, was released.

In a kind act of benevolence, the RSS Trust also donated a cheque to the PM's relief fund for the Kashmir's flood relief.

The College Annual Day followed the graduation ceremony which showcased the various talents of not only the students but also staff. The singers, the dancers, the comedians made a night to remember.

### ■ SPORTS GLORY

The college hosted a unique chess tournament along with 'ASTHA't in which the visually challenged players and other differently abled players to celebrate World Disability Day on 22<sup>nd</sup> November 2014. Students of the college participated in this tournament.

Ms Mena C., I year B.D.S. student has won 3 gold medals, 6 silver medals and 1 bronze medal in the swimming competition at the intercollegiate level in RGUHS Single Zonal Swimming competition cum selection trials held at SDM College of Dental Sciences and Hospital, Dharwad on 7<sup>th</sup> October 2014.