

NEWSLETTER

PRATIRAV - Quarterly newsletter of Gopali Youth Welfare Society

CoviRelief

CoviRelief was another attempt to help the people of Gopali. Through CoviRelief, we raised over 1.3 Lakhs with the help of 269 supporters to help the families from Gopali battle Covid-19 by supporting the Safe Houses with Medical and Safety Kits.

The fundraiser started when GYWS was approached by the Gram Panchayat for help. With a decrease in the number of active cases being registered daily, we analyzed the situation to help people with what is needed in the present situation and hence distributed personal protective equipments(5000 masks and sanitizers)and had also ordered 1000 syringe pieces for smooth running of covid vaccination program at Kharagpur-1 to the masses.



LiGHT: Social Strategy Development Inter-centre Case Study

Creating a positive impact by means of ideating solutions to socially relevant problems has been a focus of LiGHT. To help with these ideation strategies, the 11 LiGHT centres have been conducting workshops on Social Strategy Development, Ideas' Validation etc. To put these ideas to fruition and implementation, an Inter-Centre Case Study based on "Social Strategy Development" is being conducted during the months of September and October 2021. The centres will have to present their work on how they could conduct events

- . To boost Gross Enrolment Ratio (GER)
- . To help students be more aware of the various career options they can pursue
- . To have counselling sessions to expand on how these career options can be impactful in the long run
- . To help students be more cognisant of mental health issues and know how they can tackle them with the help of people around them.

The case studies presented will be evaluated by an eminent jury. Further on, the most impactful events will be conducted at the LiGHT centres so as to bring more awareness to these relevant issues.

Celebrating our Teachers: Teacher's Day & Guru Purnima

The impact teachers have in our lives is boundless and deeply empowering. All the endeavours at GYWS are possible only due to the constant support of our teachers. They have been the sources of inspiration for all our students.

As a token of appreciation to our beloved teachers at Jagriti Vidya Mandir, we had organised a small celebration to honour them for not only teaching the students the various subjects but also inculcating in them necessary virtues and morals. Here is a glimpse of the celebrations at Jagriti Vidya Mandir.



On the solemn occasion of Guru Purnima, we also had our teachers elaborate on their experience as firm pillars of Jagriti Vidya Mandir and guiding lights to our beloved students. We treasure their testimonials:



Testimonial

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I have been teaching at JVM for the past 12 years. I have seen many students in my career. I am the class teacher of class 2, and I love all of my students. One of my best memories is when we organised our annual function and one of the old students came to meet me, she said I was her favorite teacher. It is different when we take online classes, there are some students who cannot afford online classes because their parents go to work and they don't have phones to attend online classes. I feel really sad when students don't get to attend classes. I appreciate GYWS for the tabs they distributed for the students. I'm hopeful that things will change and I'll have my students back in the classroom.

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