

## RAMANANDA COLLEGE



#### **BISHNUPUR \* BANKURA**

Pin – 722122, West Bengal
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## 7.1.11 - Institution celebrates/ organizes national and international commemorative days, events and <u>festivals</u>

The College celebrates with great fervour national festivals, birth anniversaries and memorials of great Indian personalities like Mahatma Gandhi, Ishwar Chandra Vidyasagar, Rabindranath Tagore and Sarvapalli Radhakrishnan. Various days of importance like Independence Day, Republic Day and RabidraJayanti are also celebrated with great enthusiasm. On 5th September, we celebrate Dr. Radhakrishnan's birthday as Teacher's Day with great fervour. The students organize a cultural programme for the teachers and the Guru-Shishyaparampara is celebrated. International Yoga Day is also celebrated in our Institution with active participation of students and Faculty members. Apart from that, the students and faculties are actively engaged on every occasion to serve the society, some of the broad activities are as follows:

#### 26th January (Republic Day)

Flag Hoisting ceremony and Parade

#### 15th August (Independence Day)

Flag Hoisting ceremony and Parade
 Sports for faculty and students.

#### 5th September (Teachers Day)

- Guest lecture on Dr. S. Radhakrishnan's contributions to national building and making the world toknow Indian culture and philosophy.
- Role model as a teacher is demonstrated to all faculty

#### 12th January (Birth Anniversary of Swami Vivekananda)

This is day is observed as Youth day.

#### 26th September (Birth Anniversary of Pandit Iswar Chandra Vidyasagar)

• We celebrate birth anniversary of PanditIswar Chandra Vidyasagar every year on 26<sup>th</sup> September. On 26<sup>th</sup> September, 2019 we organized one day national seminar on "PanditIswar Chandra Vidyasar: jibane O Japane" on the occasion the bi-centenary birthday of PanditIswar Chandra Vidyasagar. This was organized by Ramananda College, Bishnupur as the nodal college of Bankura District under the aegis of Education Directorate, Govt. of West Bengal.

#### College Foundation Day

• The foundation day of the College is celebrated every year on 1st July every year. Prize distribution, felicitation and cultural programmes are organized.

#### Mothers Language Day



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• This day is observed every year on 21st February with great fervour. The contribution of the martyrs for the cause of Bengali language is discussed. Lecture by eminent personalities are organized.

#### Women's Day

• Our College observes Women's Day on 8<sup>th</sup> Marchin the form of lectures/exhibitions, wherein the students and staff members take part.

#### Netaji's Birthday

• This day is celebrated on 23<sup>rd</sup> January with great deal of enthusiasm. Rich tributes are paid to Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose. His contributions and patriotic values are remembered.

#### Yoga Day

 International Yoga Day is celebrated on 21<sup>st</sup> June in our Institution with active participation of students and Faculty members

#### AIDS Day:

• AIDS Day is observed in our College on 1<sup>st</sup>December with the participation of students and Faculty members. Students and staff members are educated about the preventive measures.

#### Kargil Vijay Diwas

 KargilVijoyDibas is held every year on 24<sup>th</sup> July to honour the contribution and sacrifices of our war heroes.

#### NCC-Day celebration

 NCC day is organized with great deal of fervour by the members of our College NCC Unit. Parades and exhibition are held.

#### Birthday of Sister Nivedita:

The birthday of Sister Nivedita is observed every year on 28<sup>th</sup> October. Seminars are organized on the occasion.

#### World Forestry Day

World Forestry Day is observed every year on 21st March by the members of Ramananda College NSS unit

#### Anti-Tobacco Day



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 Anti-Tobacco day is observed every year on 31<sup>st</sup> May by the members of Ramananda College NSS unit with collaboration of BishnupurHigh School NSS unit

#### National Voters Day

 National Voters Day is observed every year on 25<sup>th</sup> January by the members of Ramananda College NSS unit with collaboration of BakadahaHigh School NSS unit

#### National Safety Day

 National Safety Day is observed every year on 4<sup>th</sup> March by the members of Ramananda College NSS unit with collaboration of Traffic Police of Bishnupur

#### International Day against Drug Abuse Illicit Trafficking

• International Day against Drug Abuse Illicit Traffickingis observed every year on 26<sup>th</sup> June by the members of 53 Bengal BN NCC with collaboration of Ramananda College NSS unit.

#### International Day of Disaster Reduction

 International Day of Disaster reduction is observed every year on 13<sup>th</sup> October by the members of Ramananda College NSS unit with collaboration of Bakadaha High School NSS unit

#### RashtriyaEkta Divas

• The institution observes RashtriyaEkta Divas on 31<sup>st</sup> October every year since the day was instituted by the Government of India. On this day, the institution affirms its commitment to and celebrates the idea of a united India.

#### Celebration of World Theatre Day

• World Theatre Day is celebrated in our college that helps to provide an inclusive environment.

#### Commemoration Seminars:

- The college has conducted various seminars to commemorate local and national figures of renown in order to inspire teachers, students and other college stakeholders to learn from the examples set by these figures. In the past five academic years, the seminars have been held commemorating are:
  - o 2016: Seminar commemorating the 150<sup>th</sup> birth anniversary of Ramananda Chatterjee, an eminent journalist often called the "Father of Indian Journalism".



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- 2017: Seminar on the occasion of the birth centenary of ManiklalSingha, a well-known archaeologist specializing in the history and culture of the Rarh region of Bengal, who was also the founder of the BangiyaSahitya and SanskritiParishod, Bishnupur.
- 2018: A seminar was held to commemorate CharanKaviBaidyanath, a modern poet well-known throughout the district.
- 2019: The 1<sup>st</sup>RadhaGobinda Roy Memorial Lecture was organized on 30<sup>th</sup> April 2019 to commemorate RadhaGobinda Roy, an eminent person who was also responsible for the founding of Ramananda College.
- 2019: A national-level seminar and associated events were held on 26<sup>th</sup> September 2019 to celebrate the bicentenary of the birth of Iswar Chandra Vidyasagar, teacher and social reformer.
- o 2018:Swami Vivekananda—specifically, a seminar commemorating the extremely influential speech he delivered at the Parliament of the World's Religions in Chicago in 1893.
- 2017: Sister Nivedita, the mystic and follower of Swami Vivekananda, who was a major figure in the development of the education of women in India.

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- **Title of the programme**: World Aids Day
- Organized by: College NCC Unit
- Date of the programme: 1st December, 2018
- Funding agency: Ramananda College
- Number of student participants: 60 NCC cadets participated
- Number of teacher participants: 1
- Place of extension / outreach activity: locality of Bishnupur
- Beneficiaries: Community of Bishnupur
- Aims and Objectives:
  - > To develop awareness about Aids among the local people of Bishnupur.
  - > To demonstrate solidarity and support for people living with HIV.

**Programme outcome**: Development of awareness about AIDS and extending support for the people living with HIV.

- Title of the programme: International Day against drug abuse and illicit trafficking
- Organized by: 53 Bengal Bn NCC, College NCC Unit
- Collaborating agency: Bishnupur High School NCC unit
- Date of the programme: 26<sup>th</sup> June, 2019
- **Resource Person:** Colonel DS Roy
- Funding agency: 53 Bengal Bn NCC
- Number of student participants: 40 NCC cadets of college participated
- Number of teacher participants: 1
- Place of extension / outreach activity: Ramananda college
- Beneficiaries: College students and common people
- Aims and Objectives:
  - To stimulate a sense of responsibility among the people especially among teenagers to stay away from the drugs.
  - To create awareness, urge the govt. to avoid stimulating the Narco economy and to deal with the illicit trafficking of drugs in the disguise of legal pharmaceutical businesses.
- Programme outcome: Students and the common people were encouraged towards strengthening global action and cooperation in making the society free of drug abuse.
   They were made aware of the extreme cultural and economic harm the trade is still doing across the globe.

• **Title of the Programme**: Anti-Tobacco Day

• Organized by: College NCC Unit

• Collaborating agency: Bishnupur High School NCC Unit

• Date of the programme: 31st May, 2016

• Funding agency: Ramananda College

• Number of student participants: 80 NCC cadets

• Number of teacher participants: 1

Place of extension / outreach activity: Bishnupur locality

• Beneficiaries: People of Bishnupur

- Aims and Objectives:
  - To raise awareness regarding the harmful and deadly effects of tobacco.
  - > To reduce indoor air pollution
  - Spreading awareness on the importance of lung health in achieving overall health and well-being.

#### • Programme outcome:

- > Students were made aware of the risks imposed by tobacco smoking and second-hand smoke exposure.
- Awareness regarding magnitude of death and illness globally from lung diseases caused by Tobacco, including chronic respiratory diseases and lung cancer.

- Title of the programme: International Day for Disaster Reduction
- Organized by: 53 Bengal BN NCC
- Collaborating agency: College NCC Unit and Bankadaha High school NCC unit
- Date of the programme: 13<sup>th</sup> October,2019
- Funding agency: Ramananda College
- Number of student participants: 50 NCC cadets participated
- Number of teacher participants: 01
- Place of extension / outreach activity: College Campus
- Beneficiaries: Students and common people of Bishnupur
- Aims and Objectives:
  - To promote a global culture of risk-awareness and disaster reduction.
  - ➤ To celebrate how people and communities around the world are reducing their exposure to disasters.
- Programme outcome: The cadets and common people were made aware of how to deal with emergency situations and how to prevent disasters by taking necessary precautions.

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**Programme outcome**: The cadets and common people were made aware of how to deal with emergency situations and how to prevent disasters by taking necessary precautions.

- **Title of the programme**: World Forestry Day
- Organized by: College NCC Unit
- Date of the programme: 21st March, 2016
- Funding agency: Ramananda College
- Number of student participants: 60 NCC cadets participated
- Number of teacher participants: 1
- Place of extension / outreach activity: College campus
- Aims and Objectives:
  - > To raise awareness regarding the importance of all types of forests.
  - > Encourage activities like tree plantation.
  - > Awareness to reduce pollution.

#### • Programme outcome:

- > Successfully created an Environment friendly atmosphere.
- Students and the common people were encouraged for tree plantation.
- Creating awareness regarding conservation of forests.

- Title of the programme: Kargil Vijay Diwas
- Organized by: 53 Bengal Bn NCC,
- Collaborating agency: College NCC Unit
- Date of the programme: 26<sup>th</sup> July, 2019
- Resource Person: Colonel DS Roy, who participated in the Kargil War
- Funding agency: 53 Bengal Bn NCC
- Number of student participants: 60 NCC cadets of college and other NCC officers participated
- Number of teacher participants: 1
- Place of extension / outreach activity: College Auditorium
- Beneficiaries: College students and common people
- Aims and Objectives:
  - > To provide information about Kargil war.
  - > To encourage the NCC cadets for Nationalism.
  - To ignite the spirit of national integration among the cadets and common people in general.

**Programme Outcome**: Cadets and the common people were able to understand the situation of battle field during the Kargil War and were also able to know how our Indian Army have fought the Kargil war and Concord

- Title of the programme: NCC Day Celebration
- Organized by: KGP Gr. HQ
- Collaborating agency: 53 Bengal Bn NCC
- Date of the programme: 22<sup>nd</sup> November,2018
- Resource person: Brigadier P.S. Panesar (Group Commander), Colonel Rajiv Bhuiyan
   (Commanding Officer of 53 Bengal BN NCC)
- Funding agency: KGP Gr. HQ
- Number of student participants: 100 NCC cadets and other NCC officers
- Number of teacher participants: 2 (one teacher + Principal)
- Place of extension / outreach activity: College Play Ground and Auditorium
- Beneficiaries: NCC cadets of different units.
- Aims and Objectives:
  - To felicitate the NCC cadets as well as other officers and staff related to NCC activities throughout the year.
  - > Encourage the NCC cadets for Nationalism.

**Programme Outcome**: The NCC cadets were encouraged for nationalism. The participants were motivated to work for noble causes.

- Title of the programme: National Safety Day
- Organized by: College NCC Unit
- Collaborating agency: Bishnupur Traffic police
- Date of the programme: 4<sup>th</sup> March,2017
- Funding agency: Ramananda College
- Number of student participants: 25 NCC cadets participated
- Place of extension / outreach activity: Bishnupur Locality
- Beneficiaries: Common people of Bishnupur
- Aims and Objectives:
  - To encourage the public to use Helmet, and follow the traffic rules while driving.
  - To raise awareness about the safety measures to prevent mishaps and accidents due to lack of awareness.

**Programme outcome**: Successful enough in spreading safety awareness among the common people and reduction in acciden

- Title of the programme: National Voters Day
- Organized by: College NCC Unit
- Collaborating agency: NCC unit of Bankadaha High School.
- Date of the programme: 25<sup>th</sup> January, 2017
- Funding agency: Ramananda College
- Number of student participants: 80 NCC cadets participated
- Number of teacher participants: 2
- Place of extension / outreach activity: Bishnupur Locality
- Beneficiaries: People of Bishnupur
- Aims and Objectives:
  - ➤ To motivate the common people for using their vote for proper democracy in the country.
  - > To encourage more young voters to take part in the political process.
  - Encourage, facilitate and maximize the enrolment, especially for the new voters.
- **Programme outcome**: Awareness was spread among the voters for promoting informed participation in the electoral process.