

# SAHAKAR MAHARSHI LATE BHASKARRAO SHINGNE ARTS COLLEGE, KHAMGAON

## Annual Report 2018-19

The year has been an eventful one for Sahakar Maharshi Late Bhaskarrao Shingne Arts College, Khamgaon. Two vocational degree programmes under the UGC NSQF 2018 scheme viz., B.Voc. in Engine Testing and B.Voc. in Retail Management have been introduced in the session besides Community College courses in IT and automobile sector. The college completed the construction of the Women's Hostel and Concrete Basket Ball Court under the UGC-XIIth plan grants. A seminar hall has been constructed on the second floor.

Two students of B.Voc. (Vehicle Testing) have done us proud by appearing first and second on the university merit list of Summer 2018. Students have won accolades in inter collegiate university level athletics. The college has a Gold medal in Hammer throw(Mangesh Jagtap-Bvoc), Vitthal Jadhav bagged Silver in Steeple Chase and Silver 10000 m running. The college team comprising of Mahesh Dhole, Vitthal Jadhav, Gopal sangale and Raghunath Gadhave won a bronze medal in 4x400 m relay.

The various departments, NCC and NSS units of the college have held academic and cultural activities for students as well as extension activities. Besides activities during the seven day NSS camp at the adopted village, Mandka, volunteers actively participated in cleanliness drives and awareness programmes. Special mention needs to be made of the weeding and filling up of tree pits by all the students by forming a human chain on the Independence Day.

An initiative for environment-friendly awareness creation was taken up by the college. Five tractors trolleys of dried flowers etc collected by the Nagar Parishad during Ganesh visarjan from Ganesh Mandals were deposited in the college. This was decomposed to organic manure under the guidance of Shri. Vasantrao Patil of village, Wadi. During the parents' meet in the college, Shri. Patil gave a lecture and demonstrated the process to farmer-parents appealing them to embrace organic farming for sustainability.

Academic learning was enhanced through organization of seminars and workshops. Besides field visits and projects, workshops for effective use of ICT tools were also held. The one day

IQAC workshop on the use of ICT for teaching and documentation for NAAC was a successful one. Students honed their life skills of co-operation, leadership qualities, confidence-building and problem solving through participation in activities such as street-plays, extension activities, teaching their peers and interacting with the community. The alumni meet was an opportunity for interaction which inspired the present students.

With the objective to bring about awareness regarding the need for equality of status for women, the theme of this year's annual college magazine, Aavishkar was "Empowerment of Women". [http://smbscoll.edu.in/pdf/Annual\\_Magazine\\_18-19.pdf](http://smbscoll.edu.in/pdf/Annual_Magazine_18-19.pdf). This was one of our initiatives for gender sensitization. Two of the college teachers have been approved as research supervisors. The college is taking steady steps towards quality enhancement.