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ORATORYX - THE QUIZ AND DEBATE CLUB ACTIVITIES



AZARA, September 25: On 20 August, the students participated in an Extempore Speech to practice public speaking organized by GCU Quiz and Debate Club. The aim of this club is to develop oratory skills and general awareness of students who have aptitude in debating, elocution and quiz.

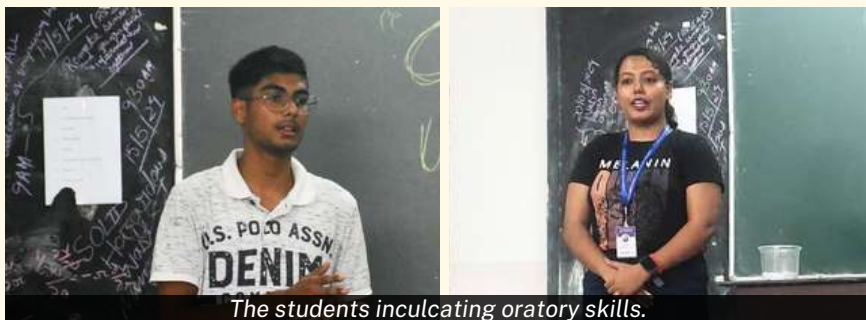
On 27 August 2024, Oratoryx in collaboration Codénix successfully conducted a quiz event focusing on general knowledge and current trends. The quiz saw active participation from 44 students, all competing in a challenging environment that tested their knowledge of a wide range of topics, including current global trends. The winners of the event were Team Ghost, consisting of Akash Bora and Kangkan Jyoti Kalita, both from the 1st Semester, CSE.



The students actively participating in an extempore speech.



The enthusiastic team.



The students inculcating oratory skills.

On 31 August 2024, Oratoryx organized "Gossips and Giggles"-an extempore speech among the students. Students started interacting and having fun with the topics selected. The idea of this club is to make the students speak.

On 03 September 2024, The Club organized Fun-Tastic Debate on topics like 'Should video games be considered as sport?', 'Is it better to be a night owl than an early bird?', 'Is it better to live without the internet or without TV?' etc. Students also shared their feeling towards the hobbies they are persuading.



The club members instilling skills to participate in debate.



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On 09 September, a team from Oratoryx Club participated in the 48th Manik Chandra Baruah Memorial National Level Debate Competition in Cotton University on the topic “The Union Budget 2024 adequately addresses the issues of Unemployment and Inflation in the Indian Economy”.

On 10 September 2024, (i) Oratoyx-The Quiz and Debate club of GCU organized seminar on ‘Interview Preparation, Group Discussion and SWOT Analysis’ among the students of GCU. Ms. Seemana Mahanta, Image Consultant, Soft Skills Trainer, NLP Coach, Yoga Trainer from Doha, Qatar addressed the students on the subject. Starting from how to prepare for an interview, present oneself in an interview till one gets selected or not selected in the job, she discussed many issues. Students participated in the interactive session and thoroughly enjoyed the session.

(ii) A team of Oratoryx Club participated in the ‘All Assam Sarat Chandra Goswami Memorial Inter College Debate Competition’ organized by Handique Girls College in the District Library.

On 11 September 2024, 07 teams participated in Late Diganta Das Memorial All Assam Level Inter College Quiz Competition in Cotton University. Out of 70 teams one team of GCU qualified to finals of 08 teams securing the 7th position.



Glimpses from Oratoryx Club members participating in the 48th Manik Chandra Baruah Memorial National Level Debate Competition.



Ms. Seemana Mahanta enriching the students on Interview Preparation, Group Discussion and SWOT Analysis.



The august student actively participating in the debate competition.



Distribution of certificates to Hisham Zaman and Dolumoni Sharma.



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GCU ORGANIZES FREE HEALTH CAMP



AZARA, September 25: The School of Pharmaceutical Sciences, in collaboration with the School of Health and Allied Sciences and the National Service Scheme (NSS) Unit-II of Girijananda Chowdhury University (GCU), held a free health camp on 23rd September 2024 at the GCU Wellness Centre, Azara within the University campus. This event was organized to mark and contribute to the celebration of World Pharmacists Day, with the goal of emphasizing the vital role healthcare professionals play in ensuring patient well-being. The camp offered vital health services, including blood pressure monitoring, blood sugar testing, blood hemoglobin testing, BMI assessments, and general health consultations, all facilitated by a team of healthcare professionals (physician, nurse, physiotherapists, pharmacists) and student volunteers from the NSS unit. Participants were also educated on the importance of medication adherence, safe drug practices, and preventive measures for managing chronic diseases.



The GCU fraternity participating in the free health camp.



Faculty member and students providing free consultations and addressing the healthcare needs of the local community.

The health camp allowed students from both schools to apply their academic knowledge in real-world healthcare scenarios while also instilling a sense of social responsibility, in line with the objectives of the NSS. By offering free consultations and distributing essential medications, the camp directly addressed the healthcare needs of the local community while raising awareness about the pharmacists' role beyond medication dispensing. The event also served as an excellent platform for promoting preventive healthcare and fostering community engagement, drawing a substantial turnout of hundreds from the local population who benefited from the services. Through this collaborative effort, the University reaffirmed its commitment to public health and education, contributing meaningfully to the spirit of World Pharmacists Day. The university extends its gratitude to the Department of Health Services (DHS), Government of Assam, for their valuable support in providing free essential generic medicines, which ensured the smooth and successful execution of the health camp.



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TRAINING ON FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT OF EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS



AZARA, September 25: Assam Catholic Educational Trust (ACET) in collaboration with Girijananda Chowdhury University organised a one day workshop on "Training on Financial Management of Educational Institutions". Eminent Chartered Accountant from Bangalore Mr. L. Vittal Rao, B.Com, F.C.A conducted the sessions as the Resource Person and gave his insights on the various aspects of financial management in the educational institutions. A team from GCU, consisting of Prof. Vidhya Srinivasan, Dr. Sampurna Bhuyan, Dr. Abhinav Sarma and Mr. Angkesh Sarma Bordoloi co-ordinated with ACET for successful completion of the event. The GCU team also gave a presentation on the various programmes offered by GCU and the implementation of NEP 2020 in its course curriculum. The workshop was attended by more than 150 participants which included Principals, educators and educational administrators from various schools of the North Eastern Region. The participants were greatly benefited by the workshop and were able to get a deep insight in the various areas of financial management. The certificates of participation were jointly offered by ACET and GCU.



Dr. Sampurna Bhuyan and Dr. Abhinav Sarma enriching the session on the implementation of NEP 2020 in the curriculum.



Some glimpses from the workshop on Training on Financial Management of Educational Institutions.