

Activities conducted by GUWWA (Gorakhpur Women's Welfare Association) in the Session 2019-2020

A Talk on “Women’s Legal Rights and Awareness” was organized in collaboration with Inner Wheel Club on Oct 04, 2019 at Samvaad Bhawan. Shri. Ashok Narain Dhar Dubey, Senior Advocate was the Chief Speaker. Mrs. Kavita Agrawal , President , Inner Wheel Club was the Guest of Honour. Prof. Nutan Tyagi, President, GUWWA welcomed the guests and the Patron of GUWWA, Mrs. Geeta Singh presided over the Session. Prof. Nandita Singh, Executive Member GUWWA was the Convenor of the Programme and the Session was moderated by Prof. Sunita Murmu, Co-Convenor of the Programme. The Talk was followed by an Interactive Session in which several students and members of the teaching faculty participated actively. The Programme was attended by several members of the Inner Wheel Club, members of the teaching faculty and non teaching staff and more than 200 students.



As part of the International Women’s Day Celebrations Week, 2020, Gorakhpur University Women Welfare Association (GUWWA) organized a Painting Competition on March 5, 2020 at 12noon, for the students of the University in the Mahila Common Hall of the University. The topics for the Painting Competition were “Safety and Security of Women” and “Importance of Women’s Education”.32 students participated in this Competition. Prof.Usha Singh and Dr. Shraddha Shukla from the Department of Fine Arts were the Convenor and the Co-convenor of the Painting Competiton respectively.

A Speech Competition was organized for the students of the University on March 5, at 1:00pm in the Mahila Common Hall. The Topic for the Speech Competition was “Adhunik Bharat ke Nirman me Mahilaon ki Bhoomika”. Prof. Sushma Pandey, Department of Educationand Prof. Uma Srivastava, Department of Maths and Statistics were the Convenors of this Competition. 27 students participated in the Programme.



To promote health awareness, physical fitness and a sense of well being, a Walkathon was organized by GUWVA on March 06, 2020 at 7: 00 a.m in the University premises. The Walkathon was flagged off by the Pro Vice Chancellor Prof. Hari Sharan, Dept. of Defence and Strategic Studies. Several women teachers and students participated in this Walkathon. Prof. Sudha Yadav, Dept. of Chemistry, Prof. Veena Batra Kushwaha, Dept. of Zoology and Prof. Sangeeta Pandey, Dept. of Sociology were the Conveners of the Walkathon. There were 40 participants in the Walkathon.





A Health Awareness Programme was organized by GUWWA in collaboration with the Inner Wheel Club, Gorakhpur on March 06, 2020 at 11:00 am in the Mahila Common Hall of the University. A panel of doctors comprising gynaecologists, dentists and general medicine from the city of Gorakhpur addressed the students and staff of the University on health care and hygiene in view of Covid 19 cases. They also addressed issues related to Oral Health and Hygiene and problems specific to women. In an effort to make the lives of girl students/ women easier and stress free on campus, The Inner Wheel Club of Gorakhpur donated two Sanitary Pad Vending Machines to the University. The President of the Inner Wheel Club, Mrs. Kavita Agarwal along with the others members of the Club were present. Apart from the Inner Wheel Club members, GUWWA members, 60 students participated in the Programme.



To address the issues of Mental Health, a Counselling Session was organized by Prof. Anubhuti Dubey and her team of Student Counsellors on March 06, 2020 at 1:00 pm in the Mahila Common Hall. A questionnaire was prepared to study the mental health of the participants and counseling was done by the Counsellors on the basis of the responses received from the

participants. Several teachers and students participated in the Counselling Session. There were 85 participants in the Programme.



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