



LALIT CHANDRA BHARALI COLLEGE

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## PRINCIPAL'S COLUMN

Pursuit of excellence being institutional goal for the college, we have been trying our level best to extract the hidden talents in the students and to make them fit to face the competitive world in various fields.

Our is a pioneering institute in the North East offering some non-conventional subjects like Computer Science, Electronics, Environmental Science, Folklore etc. We are also planning to offer a course in Bio-Technology in the near future.

We have taken some innovative measures like holding Annual Lectures on Satriya Dance by Saradi Saikia, on Jyoti Sangeet by Dilip Sarma and Sudakshina Sarma and on Film Technology by Hemen Das etc. We have been organising Orientation Programmes for Teachers for upliftment of teaching level of college teacher for effective teaching at the undergraduate level

At the same time, we have given stress on Computer literacy among teaching and non-teaching members of the college.

Apart from the regular routine classes, some remedial classes have been arranged for the upliftment of the students of the weaker section. Results of the college both in HS and Degree level have been satisfactory. This time a number of students secured first class both in Science and Arts in the Part-II Examination-2005. Apart from showing their talents in academic field, some students have been able to bring good name to the college in sports, music, dramatics, fine arts, handicrafts etc. I congratulate all of them.

**Dr. Krishna Barman**  
Principal, LCB College



## **Editorial**

*It has become a common saying that if we educate a boy, we educate one individual, if we educate a girl, we educate the whole family and if we educate a teacher, we educate the whole community. Let us educate the teachers to educate the entire human community. Educated teachers can not be corrupt, unjust and wicked. Such teachers are above any scam. They are not merely literate, they are persons of knowledge, understanding and wisdom.*

**Minati Medhi**

## **College Week**

The students Union of the college observed college week of 2004-05 from 3rd January to 7th January, 2005. Besides usual competitions on sports and music, an exhibition-cum-sale on handicrafts, clothes and home-made food products was held on 4th January, 2005 in which along with the teachers and students of the college, some local people also participated. In the open meeting on 7th January, 2005, Dr. Krishna Barman, Principal of the college gave away the prizes to the winners. She also inaugurated the college News-Bulletin edited by Minati Medhi. In the same function the best graduates of the college both in Arts and Science, disciplines were rewarded with Rs. 5,000/- each by Mr. Kamaljit Bharali of the donor family. The grand finale in the evening was markedly colourful and entertaining to all present.

## **Annual Inter-College Prize-Money Quiz**

The Annual Inter-College Prize Money Quiz of LCB College was held on January 3, 2005. Altogether 12 groups took part in the screening, from which only six groups qualified to join the main competition. Renowned Quiz Master and Lecturer of Chemistry, M. C. College, Dr. Kulen Mishra conducted the quiz. A hallful of audience that comprised the students and teachers of the college also participated in the programme with cheer and enthusiasm.

The Cotton College group emerged as the 1st prize winner and the 2nd prize went to NIIT, Panbazar group, while 3rd prize was won by the group from Rangia College.

The Principal Dr. K. Barman gave away the prizes and Darshna Deka, in-charge, Debating and Literary section, conveyed the vote of thanks.



## **Earthquake Disaster Awareness Programme**

A programme on Earthquake and Disaster Awareness was held on 11th January, 2005 at the college premises. It was conducted by the Civil Defence, Guwahati in collaboration with the NSS Unit of the college. The members of the Civil Defence delivered lectures on the preventive measures to be taken during and after an earthquake. The lectures through demonstration made the audience aware of the danger of earthquake and the measures to be taken. All the teachers, students and employees of the college attended the programme.





## Annual Entrepreneurship Programme

The Annual Entrepreneurship Programme of the College was held under the aegis of the Information and Career Guidance Cell on January 10 and 11, 2005. Dr. Krishna Barman, Principal, inaugurated the programme and in her speech she dwelt at length upon the importance of self-dependence through entrepreneurship.

The first session of the first day started with 'Micro-Lab' in which the participants did some exercise for boosting mind-body flexibility. This was followed by Dr. Indrani Choudhury's class on 'Self-Motivation'. The second session was carried out by Dr. Farhin Hazarika and Ms. Darshna Deka. Dr. Hazarika counselled on why and how to become an entrepreneur, while Darshna Deka counselled on 'Self-Management', which consisted of 'Communication' and 'Time-Management'.

This is the first time that the faculty members from the college joined the EAP as resource persons.

The second day's session was carried out by Mr. S. S. Dewan, faculty member, IIE, Guwahati. Mr. Dewan highlighted some crucial aspects alongwith the problems and prospects of an entrepreneurial career.

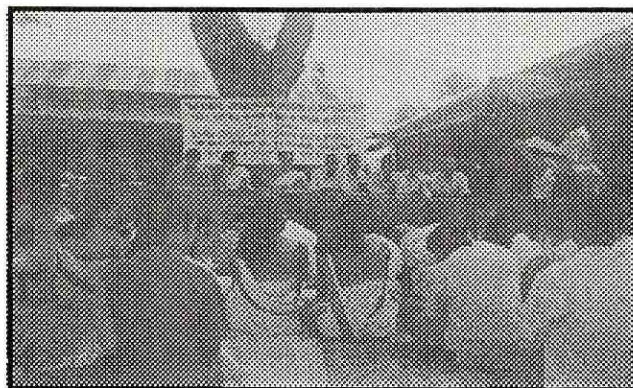
The programme came to an end with the distribution of certificates among the participants and then the valedictory speech by Dr. Farhin Hazarika, Co-ordinator, ICGC, LCB College.



## Environmental Awareness Campaign-2005

### *On Solid Waste Management*

The College organised a day long Workshop on 'Solid Waste Management' under National Environment Awareness Campaign (NEAC), 2004-2005, sponsored by the Ministry of Environment & Forest, Govt. of India, at Pachgaon H.S. School, Gerua (Kamrup) on 31st May, 2005. The programme was inaugurated by Dr. (Mrs.) Krishna Barman, Principal of the College by planting a medicinal plant at 10-30 am.



*A view of the meeting as part of "Environmental Awareness Campaign" on 'Solid Waste Management' organised by the Dept. of Environmental Science, LCB College.*

In the programme, Mr. Madhab Ch. Patowary, Head Master i/c of Pachgaon H.S. School, Dr. Dilip Kumar Deka, HOD, Environmental Science of LCB College and lots of teachers and students participated. At 11 am, an Art Competition was organised among the school students of that area. About 40 students of different communities from the area participated in the competition. The subject of the competition was "Our Environment". At 12-30 noon, the open session was presided over by Mr. Madhab Ch. Patowary, Head Master i/c of Pachgaon H.S. School. In this connection, a news letter entitled "ENVIRONMENT NEWS" edited by Dr. Dilip Kumar Deka, HOD, Dept.



of Environmental Science, was released by Dr. (Mrs.) Krishna Barman, Principal of the college. In the meeting, Mr. Dambaru Saikia from Horticulture Research Centre, Kahikuchi demonstrated the preparation of Vermicompost. In his lecture, he emphasised on using such type of non-chemical manure which is almost five times superior to others, in any kind of cultivation.

A survey on Solid Waste Management in the Pachgaon area was conducted by some of the teachers and students of Pachgaon H.S. School. The survey was based on fifty families from different communities of the locality. The report of the survey was presented by Asst. teacher of the school Mr. Kanak Sarma. Finally, the winners of the Art Competition were presented certificates and prizes.

Hopefully such type of awareness camp will create an awareness about the environmental protection and solid waste management among the school students. In the near future also the college is willing to organise such type of awareness camps in different areas of the state.

### Inauguration of Boys' Hostel

The Boys' hostel of the college was inaugurated by Dr. Krishna Barman on 1st August'05. The Boys celebrated Freshers' social on 26th August'05. In this connection a wall Magazine entittled "Spectrum - the hostel images" was also published.



## 35th College Foundation Day of L. C. Bharali College

The College celebrated its 35th Foundation Day on 9th & 10th of August, 2005. Mr. BP Goswami, President, GB unfurled the college flag at 9-30 am amidst the applause of students, teachers and non-teaching staff. This was followed by the speech of Dr. Krishna Barman, Principal. In her address she dwelt at length upon the overall development of the college, urging students and teachers alike to work together.

This year's Annual Lecture was delivered by Mr. Hemen Das, the film director, actor and writer on film technology/cine art. A two-day film show programme was also arranged befitting the topic. Guwahati Cine Club generously accommodated the show.

The first day's show started with the screening of *Jooj* (The Fight) a film by Mr. Das himself, that was awarded with the prestigious Rajat Kamal National Award in 1990. After the screening of the film Mr. Das gave a few clues regarding the themes and sub-themes of the film such as untold love, animal-human relationship, privileged/unprivileged opposition. He also interacted with the audience answering their queries and sharing his experiences of making the film.

Steven Spielberg's classic *Schindler's List* was exhibited in the second half. The following day, while giving his speech Mr. Das emphasized that cinema is not merely technology, it is a substantial art. He touched upon various aspects of film technology/cine art, like sound treatment—background music, environmental sound; shot division, close shot, big close shot, long shot; reel—16mm film and 35mm film, cinemascope film; special effect; censor U, U/A, special certificate and so on.



Commemorating the 50th year of *Pather Panchali*, a pathbreaker in the history of Indian cinema, the film was shown in the first half, initiated by a few comments by Mr. Das on its importance as an all time great human document. The programme came to a close with the screening of *The Rain*, the Oscar nominated Iranian film on the issue of Afghan immigrants.



### Departmental activities of the college

The Histro-Political Association of the college published the 2nd issue of the Journal "*Sansipaai*" on March,05. It also published a Wall Magazine. A field trip to Kamakhya Temple was organised by this association in order to make the students aware of the socio-cultural as well as economic impact of the temple on the society.

The major students of the English Department of the college published the second issue of the Wall Magazine.

Mr. Pulin Chandra Sarma, Lecturer, Dept. of Chemistry participated and presented a paper in the "14th International Symposium on Carotenoids" held in Edinburgh (Scotland, UK) from 17th to 22nd July,2005.

The Bengali Department of the college recently released the third issue of the departmental Sahitya Patrika- 'Pratidhwani' in presence of Principal Dr. K. Barman, along with other faculty members and students.



## Congratulations !

Indrani Choudhury, Lecturer, Dept. of History obtained her Ph.D. on the topic "A study of Sculptures on Assam State Museum" Special reference to the style and technique.

Namita Sarma, Lecturer, Dept of Political Science obtained her P.hd. on "Rise and Growth of the Peasant Movement in Kamrup District"

The following students of this college secured 1st Class in BSc./B.A. Part-II, 2005 (2+1) Examinations.

#### *Statistics*

Dulna Goswami

#### *History*

L. Seikhalin Haokip

#### *Computer Sc.*

1) Dhrubajyoti Das

2) Debabrata Choudhury

3) Dhrubajyoti Pathak

4) Debajit Sarma.

5) Dharmendra Kalita

6) Aparna Gogoi

7) Md. Matiur Rahman.

8) Md. Muzahid Ali

9) Kishore Baishya

10) Gitartha Goswami

11) Dhruvajita Devi

12) Navanath Saharia

13) Hamin Ahmed

#### *Electronics*

1) Paragjyoti Kalita

2) Dhrubajyoti Deka

# সংস্কৃতি বিনিময় কার্যক্রম উপলক্ষত দিয়া আদৰণি ভাষণ



আমি গভীর আনন্দের সঙ্গে আপনাদের এবং অসমের মহাবিদ্যালয়ের ছাত্রছাত্রীদের সাদর অভ্যর্থনা জানাচ্ছি। সংস্কৃতি বিনিময় কার্যক্রম বা Cultural Exchange আমাদের দিক থেকে একটি অভিনব পদক্ষেপ সন্দেহ নেই। অত্যন্ত স্বাস্থ্যকর ত'বটেহ উপরন্তু আমাদের নিজদেরও আপনাদের সাহচর্যে সমৃদ্ধ হওয়ার অবকাশ আছে।

সংস্কৃতি বিনিময় কার্যক্রমে আসাম এই বঙ্গদেশের যোগ্য সঙ্গী হতে পারে এই কারণে এই প্রতিবেশী প্রদেশটির সঙ্গে আমাদের ঐতিহাসিক, ভাষিক, রাজনৈতিক ও ভৌগোলিক যোগ বহুদিনের।

এত' আমাদের জানাই আছে যে - প্রত্ন নব্য ভারতীয় আৰ্যভাষার পূর্বাশাখা থেকে বঙ্গ ও অসমীয়া ওই দুই উপভাষার বিকাশ - কিছুদিন, মাত্র কিছু শতাব্দী আগেই ঐ দুই উপভাষা ভাষাগত পার্থক্যকে আয়ত্ব করেছে। আমরা বঙ্গসাহিত্যের ইতিহাসের আদি মধ্যযুগের কবি নারায়ন দেবকে এই পুন্যঅবসরে স্মরণ করতেই পারি যিনি এই দুই ভাষার সাহিত্যের ইতিহাসের কস্পিত মধ্যসেতুতে দাঁড়িয়ে আছেন।

অসম ও বাংলাদেশ সম্ভবত এই ঔপভাষিক সংলগ্নতার কারণেই ইংরেজ আমলেও অভিন্ন প্রদেশ সীমার অন্তর্গত ছিল তাও ত' আমাৰা জানি।

উপরন্তু সংস্কৃত ইতিহাসের কথাও স্মরণ করতে হয়। উত্তর ও উত্তর পূর্ব বঙ্গদেশ এমনকি গাঙ্গেয় বঙ্গদেশের মানুষদের সঙ্গে অসমের মানুষের নৃতাত্ত্বিক মিল ত'স্পষ্টই - তদুপরি-সংস্কৃতির ক্ষেত্রে-গৌড়বঙ্গের চৈতন্যদেব ও অসমের শঙ্করদেব-উভয় যুগস্রষ্টার তুল্যতা ইতিহাসে স্বীকৃত - এবং উভয়ের প্রভাব সন্নিপাতে উভয় প্রদেশেরই সংস্কৃতিধারা প্রভাবিত। নদীমাতৃক এই দুই প্রদেশেরই সংস্কৃতি জলীয় সরসতায় প্রানবন্ত, লোকসঙ্গীতের সুরে স্পন্দিত। রাঢ়বঙ্গ,বারেন্দ্রভূমি, মৈমনসিংহ হয়ে বরাক ভূমি -সুরের আসাযাওয়ারই ইতিহাস। আব তারই জন্য আমরাও অসমের দুটি মহাবিদ্যালয়ের সঙ্গে সংস্কৃতি বিনিময়ে উৎসাহী হয়ে পড়েছি।

অসমের শিলচরস্থিত কেন্দ্রিয় বিশ্ববিদ্যালয়ে ত'বটেই অন্যএও সচেতন পাঠকের মনে বঙ্গসাহিত্যের আসন পাকা - এ আমরা জানি। বঙ্গবিদ্যাচর্চার যে কটি কেন্দ্র বঙ্গদেশের বাহিরে প্রতিষ্ঠিত বরাক উপত্যকা তার মধ্যে উল্লেখ্য যোগ্য - যাদবপুর বিশ্ববিদ্যালয়ের মানবী বিদ্যাচর্চা বিভাগ থেকে প্রকাশিত অসমের মহিলা কথাকার দের গল্প লীলা রায় পুরস্কার লাভ করেছে। এই বিনিময়ের প্রেক্ষাপটেই আমি বিবেকানন্দ মহিলা মহাবিদ্যালয়ে আপনাদের স্বাগত জানাচ্ছি। 'অয়মারন্ত শুভায়ভবতু।'

অধ্যক্ষা,

বিবেকানন্দ কলেজ ফ'ব অ'মেন  
কলকাতা



## College starts diploma in Computers

*(Published in The Telegraph, Guwahati*

*Monday 25th July 2005)*

July 24: The Lalit Chandra Bharali College has started a two-year postgraduate diploma in computer applications (PGDCA) from the current academic session.

Though sponsored by the college itself, the University Grants Commission (UGC) will provide the necessary financial assistance. The department is operating the course with adequate manpower and infrastructure.

Moreover, the college has also introduce some standard courses sponsored by the Department of Electronics Accredited Computer Courses Centre (DOEACC), the DOEACC O-level and A-level courses.

"The DOEACC O-level certificate is recognised as equivalent to the foundation level course by the Union Government for the purpose of employment, according to the notifications 43 and 49 dated March 1, 1995, and April 10, 1996, respectively by the Union Human Resource Development Ministry. After qualifying at the DOEACC O-level, a student can go in for further levels A, B and C under the DOEACC Society. Among these, A-level courses have been introduced in the college recently," said Krishna Barman, Principal in-charge of the college.

The National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NACC) has granted permission to all its graded colleges to introduce such short-terms courses along with regular courses for the overall growth of its students.

The eligibility criteria for obtaining admission into the course will be graduation in computer science or physics from any recognised university. The seats will, however, be filled through entrance examinations and

interviews and the course is open to students from other institutions. The fee structure of the course is inexpensive.

Situated at the foothills of the Nilachal Hills, the college was established on August 9, 1971, and launched with the generous financial help of the donor, after whom the college is named, to cater to the students of the city's periphery.



*A view of the Fresher's Social at Boys' Hostel.*

## PUBLICATIONS

Sri Deepak Goswami, Lecturer, Dept. of Economics, has jointly written and published a Text Book on Economics for Higher Secondary First Year Course.

Dr. Nabanita Dutta Bordoloi has written and published a book entitled "Parivesh Adhyayan" as per the UGC Syllabus for undergraduate courses and all branches of higher education.

Dr. Abha Mishra Chakraborty, HOD, Dept. of Education has jointly published 5 more textbooks for TDC (1+1+1) on Education.



### CAREER ORIENTED COURSES OF THE COLLEGE :

COURSES	Co-ordinating Dept.	Duration	Eligibility	Fees
1. Diploma in Computer Accounting and Taxation	—	6 Months	Under Graduate or Graduate Sc/Arts/Comm.	3000/-
2. Need-based Certificate Course in Environmental Studies	Env.Sc. •	-do-	-do-	3000/-
3. Certificate Course in Communicative English	English	-do-	10 + onwords	600/-
<b>COMPUTER COURSES :</b>				
1. DOEACC 'O' Level	C.Sc. •	1 year	10+ 2 onwards	8200/-
2. PGDCA Under Gauhati University	-do-	-do-	Graduate onwards	12000/-
3. DOEACC 'A' Level	-do-	-do-	Graduate onwards	15,000/-
4. Need-based Crash Courses	-do-	—	—	—

• Env. Sc.— Environmental Science, C.Sc.— Computer Science.

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