

**CULTURAL COMMITTEE  
REPORT 2016-17**

**GHARDA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY, LAVEL**

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Following is the list of members of Cultural Committee who worked whole-heartedly in making all the cultural events of year 2016-17 successful.

<b>Sr.No.</b>	<b>Name of the faculty</b>	<b>Branch</b>	<b>Responsibility</b>
1	Prof. Jarali O.A.	Mechanical	Overall Cultural Coordinator
2	Prof. Nalwala R.G.	Chemical	Member
3	Prof. Ms.Bhosale A.A.	Comp	Member
4	Prof. Ms.Phatak S.S.	ASH	Member
5	Prof. Acharya J.Y.	Mechanical	Member
6	Prof. Oak P.V.	E&TC	Member
7	Prof. Mrs.Gujarathi S.S	Civil	Member

<b>Sr.No.</b>	<b>Name of student</b>	<b>Class</b>	<b>Responsibility</b>
1	Prashant Sawant	B.E.Mechanical	General Secretary (Boys)
2	Vrushali Kadam	B.E.Computer	General Secretary (Girls)
3	Mitesh Bhanushali	B.E.Chemical	Cultural Secretary (Boys)
4	Swapnali Manchekar	B.E.Civil	Cultural Secretary (Girls)
5	Siddhesh Patil	B.E.I.T.	Sports Secretary (Boys)
6	Priti Umasare	B.E.E&TC	Sports Secretary (Girls)

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I would also like to take this opportunity to thank our Honorable Principal **Dr.P.S.Joshi** for keeping us motivated at every moment.I would also like to express great gratitude to our Trustee **Dr.M.G.Gokhale** for his support and valuable suggestions.

Last but not the least I would like to thank all SRC members, student coordinators who helped me directly or indirectly in grand success of every event.

Bhanushali Mitesh N.

(Cultural Secretary)

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Following are the various Cultural events conducted at Gharda Institute of Technology, Level in academic year 2016-17 by cultural committee:

- Krishna Janmashtami & Dahi-Handi
- Independence Day
- Navratri and Garba
- Swami Vivekananda Bhartiya Sanskruti Pariksha
- Republic Day
- Maghi Ganesh Utsav
- Shivjayanti
- Synergy 2k17
- Ambedkar Jayanti

## KRISHNA JANMASHTAMI & DAHI-HANDI



Shri Krishna Puja at Shivneri Hostel

Krishna Janmashtami (Birth Anniversary of Lord Krishna) is celebrated with very Joy and Enthusiasm in GIT. Chanting of Bhajans, Gavlans (Traditional folk songs related to God Krishna), holy songs, etc are done till stroke of 12 o'clock, the Birth time of Lord Krishna followed by Aarti and Prasadam to the Students and Faculty members. Also, short videos on Life of Lord Krishna are shown to

students. For Bhajan, Sound system, musical instruments such as Tabla, Harmonium, Taal, etc are arranged. The function was organized at 2<sup>nd</sup> floor at Shivneri Hostel passage. The function was attended by nearly 300 students.

The next day, Dahi-Handi is held. As we know Lord Krishna was milk and curd lover and he used to break the earthen pots for the same. During dahi-handi also, students form a human pyramid to break the earthen pot filled with milk and curd hanged at height. A ambulance and first aid kit is kept handy for the safety of students.



Bhajan at Shivneri Hostel

Celebration of this event enlightens students to learn lessons from Krishna's life. Also dahi-handi teaches them the management, cooperative and balancing skills and takes out the fear from mind.



Students enjoying Dahi Handi



Dahi Handi celebration

## INDEPENDENCE DAY

Independence Day is celebrated with very great nationalism and pride in the college. Our national flag tricolor is hoisted at GIT by hands of Hon. Principal Sir followed by National Anthem and Flag Song. Post flag hoisting sweets are distributed to everyone. A day before Independence Day various competitions like Quiz, Drawing, Rangoli, Essay writing, Group Discussion and Debate, etc are held under Swatantraya Mahotsav.



A still from Rangoli Competition



Flag hoisting by Principal Sir



Poem and Drawing Competition



Flag Salute



Salute to Dignitaries



Vande Matram



## NAVRATRI & GARBA

Navratri is celebration or worship of 9 forms of Goddess Durga. In GIT, Navratri is celebrated with great devotion and grandeur. Ghat-Sthapna of Devi or Goddess is done in Shivneri Boys Hostel and Ajinkyataara Girls Hostel, where daily Aarti and Prayers are offered to Goddess and Prasad is distributed to students.



Students playing Garba



Students enjoying Dandiya

During these 9 days, also Garba festival (a way of worshiping in dance form) is organized on 2 days at Open Air Auditorium of College. Both Students and Staff enjoy playing Dandiya and Garba. Various competitions are held like Poem writing, Dandiya decoration, etc. Also various awards are given such Garba King, Garba Queen, Best Costume (Boys) and Best Costume (Girls), etc.



A still from Rangoli competition



A still from Rangoli competition

## SWAMI VIVEKANAND BHARTIYA SANSKRUTI PARIKSHA



This examination is organized in GIT with aim to increase students' knowledge and awareness regarding India's tradition, great personalities, etc. The exam is organized by Vivekananda Kendra, Kanyakumari. Also, a one day camp on personality development and life skills is held by the same. Large number of students right from first year to final year of all branches participated in the exam. The winners in the exam got a chance to visit Vivekananda Ashram, Kanyakumari.



A still from Bhartiya Sanskruti Pariksha



Picture during examination



Group Photo from camp



## REPUBLIC DAY

Republic Day is celebrated with very great nationalism and pride in the college. Our national flag tricolor is hoisted at GIT by hands of Hon. Principal Sir followed by National Anthem and Flag Song. Post flag hoisting sweets are distributed to everyone. A parade by members of Security Committee is held. Various competitions like Quiz, Drawing, Rangoli, Essay writing, Group Discussion and Debate, etc are held. Patriotic Song Competition which is held in Auditorium is attraction of Republic Day every year. Also a very great documentary on topic “Indian Army – The Instrument of National Power” was shown.



Sketch Competition



Patriotic Singing Competition



A Rangoli from Rangoli Competition



Flag Hoisting



Parade by Security Committee



Flag Salute

## MAGHI GANESHOTSAV

Maghi Ganeshotsav is celebrated with very Joy and Enthusiasm in GIT organized by IMAGE (Integrated Mechanical Association of Gritty Engineers in association with) cultural department. A procession of Lord Ganesha is carried out from Shivneri Boys Hostel to the college. A puja for Auspicious year of college is performed at the beginning of the year itself. Ganesh Sthapna of God Ganesha is done in Open Air Auditorium, where Aarti and Prayers are offered to Lord Ganesha: The God of Wisdom and Prasad is distributed to students.

Chanting of Bhajans, holy songs, etc are done followed by Aarti and Prasadam to the Students and Faculty members. Also, lessons on Life of Lord Ganesha are given to students.

For Bhajan, Sound system, musical instruments such as Tabla, Harmonium, Taal, etc were arranged. The function was organized at Open Air Auditorium. The function was attended by all staffs and students.



Procession of Lord Ganesha



Sthapna of Ganesha Idol



Students singing Bhajans of God Ganesha



Arati being performed of God Ganesha



## SHIVJAYANTI



Shiv Jayanti is celebrated every year in college with great passion and Enthusiasm in GIT in remembrance of the great King Shivaji Maharaj. Jyot, or a holy burning flame from Pratapgad fort is brought by students covering nearly 150 kms. distance by foot. A great procession or palkhi of Shri Chatrapati Shivaji Maharaj is carried out from Shivneri Boys Hostel to the college. The college was filled with Saffron atmosphere. Powada, a very popular artform in which stories of Shivaji Maharaj are narrated in vocal song form, are performed by students in college. Address to Audience by Shri. Manoj Khade, member of Paschim Maharashtra Devsthan Samiti was done. His talks covered key points like inspiration from Shivaji Maharaj, India's Culture and Traditions, Patriotism, etc. A play by students on life of Shiva Navhi, who sacrificed his life for Swarajya was performed. Lezim performance was done by Girls of GIT. A demonstration of Mallakhambh and Yoga was performed by young students from Chiplun.

Art gallery covering various posters showing information of great warriors of Indian History. Also various competitions like Quiz, Rangoli, Painting, etc were held.



Picture of Shiv Jayanti Celebration



Drummers from Procession



A still from Drama



Jyot or the Holy flame



Speech of Guest Shri.Manoj Khade



A view from Exhibition



A Painting from Painting Competition



Sketch from Drawing Competition



Demonstration of Mallakhamb



Lezim by Girls of GIT



## SYNERGY 2k17

Synergy is the most awaited cultural festival of GIT. The two days of Synergy marks various events like Fun games, Antakshari, Quiz, Debate, Group Discussion, Dance, Singing on Karaoke, Drama, Fashion show, Guest Interview, etc. This year the theme for Synergy 2k17 was Bollywood. Right from decoration to all competitions, everything was arranged by students itself. The whole event had a taste of Bollywood. The stage decoration for this year was mind blowing.

The first day started with Fun games like Snake and Ladder, Shoot the ball, ring game and many more such games. Elimination rounds for Group Discussion and Debate in both English and Marathi languages on various current social issues were held. Followed by GD, Debate, Quiz competition was held. There was also Antakshari competition for both students and faculty. Also, Refreshments consisting of tasty, mouth-watering dishes were arranged before the event. The evening started with Auspicious Ganesh vandana: a dance performance dedicated to Lord Ganesha followed by other singing, dance and drama performances. There was also a fashion show outlining the Bollywood movies of 2017.

Kala-Amrut, a art exhibition was arranged by all students where artistic talents of students is showcased. The decoration for Kala-amrut was really out of the level. The exhibition also had Bollywood theme which housed various sketches, drawings, paintings, artworks, rangoli, poems, photographs, etc. Also prizes were given to winner of all the categories.

On second day there was guest interview of Famous Bollywood Actress Sara Shraavan. The interview was followed by Prize Distribution of GIT Annual Sports. Also, here Champions Trophy for Sports was announced which was won by Mechanical Department in Boys and Civil Department in Girls. Also, final rounds of all the competitions like Group Discussion, Debate, Quiz, Antakshari, etc were held. Again the night was full of rocking and lively performances. Fashion shows of various themes like Women Empowerment, Professional theme, Freedom Fighters, Goan theme, etc and many more were the prime attraction of the day. After performances, prize distribution ceremony for all cultural competitions was held. At the end, the most awaited annual Cultural Champions Trophy was given away which was won by Civil Department.



Interview of Guest Sara Shraavan



Debate Competition



Pictures from Antakshari, Dance, Singing Competitions



Drama Competition



Fashion Show



Kalpna Chawla, Women Empowerment



Staff Antakshari





Entry to Kala Amrut (Bollywood Theme)



Tribal Feather design



Various Art Exhibitions



A view from the Gallery



A view of Sketch, Painting and Rangoli from exhibition



Painting from Gallery



Feedback Tree

## AMBEDKAR JAYANTI



The Ambedkar Jayanti is celebrated every year in the college to pay tribute to great Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar. A 12 hour continuous study program is held at college library. A great Dr.B.R.Ambedkar is carried out from Shivneri Boys Hostel to the college. Address to Audience by Prof.Pandey, D.B.J college was done. His talks covered key points like inspiration from Babasaheb Ambedkar, his struggle, immense dedication, etc.

A day prior to Ambedkar jayanti, Blood donation by SPACE (Students Pioneer Association of Chemical Engineer) was organized. The social cause had well response and nearly 60 units of blood were donated.

Art gallery covering various posters showing less known facts and information on life of Dr.Ambedkar was arranged. A book exhibition containing books of all the renowned personalities was arranged. Also various competitions like Group Discussion, Debate, Quiz, Essay writing, Rangoli, Painting, etc were held.



Dr.B.R.Ambedkar Jayanti celebration



Book Exhibition



12 hours Continuous Study Programme



Group Discussion Competition