

Report 2012-13

On the foundation day of Election Commission of India, district election office celebrated National Voter's Day at Dipsar auditorium on 25th January 2012. Three students of our college had participated in the debate competition organized by Election Commission of India and won 2nd, 3rd and one consolation prize. "Politik", the annual festival of the department was held on 28 th February 2012. The activities included Nukkad Natak, debate on 'Smaller States are better for Indian Democracy', a talk by Mr. Prabhu Chawla on 'State Politics in India', Rangoli making, book mark making competitions.

A talk by Dr. Bhattacharya on 'Democracy and Development' was organized for first year and second year students on 15th March 2012. With the commencement of new academic session, an orientation programme was held for the first year students on July 24, 2012. On 22nd September 2012 ten students from 3rd semester (English medium) went to the American centre to participate in a lecture cum discussion on "Citizens' Participation in Democracy." They were given certificates for participation by the American Centre. For the first time annual Political Science Day was held on 26.09.2012. Activities included a talk by Prof. Ujjwal Kumar Singh (Prof., DU) on "Civil Liberty Movements in India : Contemporary Challenges". A debate was held on the topic: "Women are No Longer the Captive of Old Traditions".

On 17th October 2012 a one-day seminar was conducted on the topic "Declining Child Sex Ratio and the Rights of Girl Child in India ". The organizing team invited Ms. Kamla Bhasin, Advisor, SANGAT (South Asian Network of Gender Activists and Trainers) as speaker for the seminar to talk on the issue.