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# **KHALSA COLLEGE, PATIALA**

**(General Shivdev Singh Diwan Gurbachan Singh)**

**(UNDER THE MANAGEMENT OF S.G.P.C. SRI AMRITSAR)**

## **ANNUAL REPORT**

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## Annual Report

**2003-2004**

*Weheguru ji ka Khalsa  
Weheguruji ki Fateh*

Among all the institutions and colleges of Punjab, Khalsa College, Patiala is one of the most esteemed colleges. This institution is going to be 43 years old now. This college started as a result of consistent efforts and devotion of some of the academic minded people. Though this college is being run under the management of S.G.P.C., it is pertinent to say that S.G.P.C. has always helped the college ever since it got started. When the college was commenced, S.G.P.C. gave Guru Tegh Bahadur Hall of Sri Dukhniwaran Gurudwara for the college campus and in this very hall, the college ran successfully for many years. In 1972, this college got shifted to the place where it is situated now.

General Shivdev Singh Diwan Gurbachan Singh Trust has played a significant role in the establishment and successful running of the college. The college will always remain indebted to the founder of the trust Lt. Brig. Kushpal Singh and Late S. Gurdarshan Singh for their contribution to the college. Former Vice Defence Minister and President of Trust Lt. S. Surjit Singh Majithia showed a special interest towards the academic development and educational needs of the college. With the cooperation of the present President of the Trust S. Satyajit Singh Majithia, the college is soaring new heights.

The Ex-students of the college are the pride of the college. Many students of the college have attained prestigious positions who are the glory of the college. They have gained prestigious posts due to their ability in various spheres like participation in sports on national as well as international level. In the sphere of education, some of them have become great literary figures and proficient teachers.

### **Educational Achievements\_:**

In the academic session 2002-03, the following classes showed 100% result in University / Board.

### **ARTS CLASSES**

<b>Class</b>	<b>Subjects</b>
+1 Arts	English, Punjabi, Religion, History, Pbi. Lit., Eng. Lit. Music (Vocal), Physical Education (Th & Pr).
+2 Arts	Hindi, History, Maths, Gurbani, Physical Education (Pr.)
B.A. Part I	F.A.C. (Th & Pr.), Home Science (Th. & Pr.), Music (Vocal), Pr. Music, (Instrumental) Pr. Physical Education (Pr.)
B.A. Part-II	Hindi, Maths, F.A.C. (Th & Pr.) Home Science (Th. & Pr.), Music (I), Th. & Pr., Music (Vocal). Pr., Physical Education (Pr.), Fine Arts (Pr.)
B.A. Part III	Punjabi, Pbi. Lit., Political Science, Religion, Tabla, Fine Arts (Th. & Pr.), Music (Vocal). Th. & Music (I) Th. & Pr. Home Science (Th. & Pr.), F.A.C. (Th. & Pr.), Physical Education (Pr.)

## SCIENCE CLASSES

Class	Subjects
+1 Medical	Chemistry (Pr.), Physics (Pr.)
+1 Non-Med.	English, Punjabi, Maths, Chemistry (Pr.), Physics (Th. & Pr.)
+2 Medical	English, Punjabi, Chemistry (Pr.), Physics (Pr.), Biology (Pr.)
+2 Non-Med.	English, Punjabi, Chemistry (Pr.), Physics (Pr.)
B.Sc. I (Non-Med)	Chemistry (Pr.), Physics (Pr.)
B.Sc. Part I (Comp. Appl.)	English, Punjabi, Physics (Pr.)
B.Sc. Part I (Comp. Maint.)	English, Punjabi, Physics (Pr.)
B.Sc. Part II (Non-Med.)	English, Punjabi, Pysics (Th. & Pr.), Chemistry (Pr.)S.G.P.C.
B.Sc. Part II (Comp. App.)	English, Punjabi, Computer, Physics (Pr.)
B.Sc. Part III (Non-Med).	English, Punjabi, Maths, Chemistry (Thr. & Pr.), Pysics (Th. & Pr.)
B.Sc. Part-III (Comp.App.)	English, Maths, Physics (Pr.)

## COMMERCE CLASSES

Classes	Subjects
+1 Comm.	Typing
+2 Comm.	English, Punjabi, Short Hand
B.Com. Part I	Punjabi
B.Com. Part II	Punjabi

B.Com. Part III English, Punjabi, Operation Research, Computer Applications in Business

### **COMPUTER CLASSES**

B.C.A. Part-I Lab I, Lab II

B.C.A. Part-II Lab III, Lab. IV

B.C.A. Part-III System Analysis & Design, Operating System, Software Engg., Lab V, Lab. VI

P.G.D.C.A. Software Lab I, II, III, IV, V, Project.

### **Department of Computer**

The achievements of the department of computer are :- Neha Jain of B.Sc. Part -III stood first in Punjabi University for consecutive third time. Gaurika Kapoor of B.Sc. Part-III secured third position in All India Entrance Test (M.C.A.) conducted by Thapar Engineering College, Patiala.

S. Gurcharan Singh Tohra, honourable President of S.G.P.C. inaugurated Lab No. 4 of Mata Sundari Block of Computer Science on 12th September, 2003. This lab got completed with the grant given by U.G.C. In this lab, 15 Computers, Scanners and Web Cameras were bought with the aid given by U.G.C. This lab has been designed for Computer Hardware and Software Courses.

A U.G.C. (Sponsored on the job Training) workshop was held for students related to Vocational subject during this session in which the students exhibited a lot of interest. A comprehensive knowledge regarding the following major subjects was given in this workshop :

1. Assembling
2. Networking.
3. Installation.
4. Trouble-shooting.

## **Gurmat Society**

Under the innovation of Prof. Birinder Kaur, Head of Department of Religion, Gurmat Society was formed in the college on 8th October, 2003 and the choice of various students for designations was made. The main motive of this society was to inculcate among the students, an interest in religion, humanity, right conduct and moral values.

In order to celebrate the commencement of the new session, a religious programme comprising Shabad Kirtan after the completion of Sehaj Paath was organised on 12th September, 2003. On this occasion, Late S. Gurcharan Singh Tohra, President SGPC shared his valuable ideas with the students. In the International Sikh Youth Conference held at Amritsar from 8th October to 11th October, two lecturers- Prof. Kawaljeet Singh and Prof. Karanpreet Kaur took part. On 7<sup>th</sup> November, 2003 a Nagarkirtan was organised in relation to Gurpurab where Shabad singers and 13 students of Gurmat Society participated. On 14th November, 2003, Gurpurab was celebrated with a great zeal. After the completion of Sehajpaath, the students of the college sung religious hymns and served langar to all. On 27th November, 2003, Dr. Brijpal Singh delivered a lecture. He inspired the students to read religious scriptures

with purity and imbibe their values in their lives. From 29th December, 2003 to 2nd January, 2004, four students attended the Gurmat Training Camp held at Anandpur Sahib.

Under the supervision of Prof. Karanpreet Kaur, 15 students took part in the Gurmat training camp held at Gwalior from 20th December, 2003 to 29th December, 2003. In the competitions held during this camp, Satnam Singh of B.A. Part-III won first position in Shabad singing, Gurpreet Singh of B.A. Part III clinched first position in Declamation, Sarabjeet Singh of B.A. Part-III secured first position in Poetry Recitation Contest. In Gurbani Kanth competition, Sandeep Pal Singh of B.A. Part-II came first, and in Dastaar Bandi, Paramjeet Singh of B.Com. Part II got second position. Arvinder Singh was adjudged the best student of the camp. Harjeet Kaur was selected as "Kaur of the Camp" and Amandeep Singh of B.A. Part II as "Singh of the Camp". "Kaur of the Camp" and "Singh of the camp" were honoured with Gold Medals.

On 7th Feb., 2004 Sarabjeet Singh, Deputy Chief Organiser, Guru Gobind Singh Study Circle inspired the students to imbibe the values of Gurbani and ameliorate their lives. He encouraged all to celebrate more religious functions in the college.

## **Guru Gobind Singh Study Circle**

This circle was started under the leadership of Prof. Tarlochan Singh Mahajan. This unit organised a lecture by Dr. Brijpal Singh, Director (I.A.S.),

Secretary of Academy of Sikh Religion and Culture on the topic "Sehaj Paath Kyon te Kiven Kariye". S. Gurbaksh Singh and acting Principal of Gurmat College Dr. Bikramjeet Singh also graced the occasion with their presence. On 7th February, 2004, S. Sarabjeet Singh, Deputy Chief Organiser of Guru Gobind Singh Study Circle delivered lectures on the topics "Guru Saahibaan Diyaan Aa Rahiyaan Shataabdiyaa" and "Sehaj Paath Karan Baare."

On 3rd February, 2004, Bibi Kamlesh Kaur, member of Shiromani Gurudwara Prabandhak Committee inaugurated the Audio-Visual room of the college. Bhai Shavinder Singh Sabharwal, member of Shiromani Gurudwara Prabandhak Committee presided over this function. In this function, Prof. Tarlochan Singh Mahajan read a paper on the topic "*Dharmaan Vich Vikendrikaran*"

## **Cultural Activities**

### **Talent Hunt**

A "Talent Hunt" programme was organised in the college on 29th October, 2003. In this programme, many students participated in various items like Folk Song, Ghazal, Histrionics, Mimicry, Group Skit, On the Spot, Painting, Clay Modelling, Poster Making, Collage, Rangoli, Tie and Dye, Embroidery, Cartooning, Debate and Quiz.

Under the guidance of Prof. Maljinder Kaur, the college students participated in 27 items of Youth Festival held at Mahindra College from 17th



November to 19th November, 2003. The college stood first in Group skit, Collage, Poster-Making and Rangoli. The college secured second position in Group Shabad, Group Song, Folk Song Ghazal, Non. percussion, Bhangra, Drama, Costume Parade, Mimicry, On the Spot Painting, Clay Modelling and Cartooning.

In the Inter-Zonal Competition held at Punjabi University, Patiala, Mandeep Singh procured the Gold Medal in Poster-Making. Mandeep Kaur stood second in Rangoli and won the Silver Medal. Apart from these individual items, the college stood first in Group skit and Kavishri and bagged Gold Medals.

Hardeep Singh of P.G.D.C.A. stood first in Bhangra in National Youth Festival held at Gwalior. This student also acquired first position in North Zone Inter-Varsity Competition and won Gold Medal. In this competition, Manpreet Singh stood second in Group Song.

### **Department of Punjabi**

During session 2003-04, Punjabi Literary Society was formed. It organised a Poetry Recitation Competition on 24<sup>th</sup> February, 2004. The students who stood first, second and third in this competition were given cash prizes by Dr. Harbir Singh, Principal, Khalsa College, Patiala.

### **Department of Hindi**

Under the leadership of Dr. Harvinder Kaur, Hindi Literary Society was formed on 15th January, 2004. This society organised an Essay Writing Competition and Poetry Recitation Competition in which students were

adjudged first, second and third.

### **Department of English**

The Department of English organised an on the spot Essay Writing Competition where students were declared first, second and third on the basis of their performance.

### **Department of Home Science**

Prof. Balbir Kaur organised an exhibition in which the things prepared by the students were displayed like Wall Panels, Flower Arrangement, Tie and Dye and stitched items. Among the participants in the exhibition, first and second positions were declared.

## **N.C.C. (Army Wing)**

Under the guidance of Major Jaswant Singh (N.C.C. Officer), 60 cadets were admitted to this wing during this session. About twelve cadets of college attended an Army Attachment Camp at Abohar. Three cadets attended the training camp at Kolhapur, Maharashtra. S.U.O. Gurvinder Singh Pannu attended R.D.C. at New Delhi and took part in the parade at Rajpath. Around nineteen cadets of the college attended A.T.C. from 10<sup>th</sup> February to 21<sup>st</sup> February, 2004 at A.S.C. ground. In this camp, S.U.O. Vipin Kumar was adjudged the best cadet of 5PbB NNCC. Sukhwinder Singh was declared the best shooter of 5 PbBNNCC. This year, eight cadets are going to take 'C' certificate exam and twenty cadets 'B' certificate exam.

## **N.C.C. (Air Wing)**

Flying Officer Prof. Gurmeet Singh is the Supervisor of this wing. N.C.C. Air Wing's Cadet Warrant Officer Balwinder Singh participated in the Air Force Attachment Camp held at Chandigarh. Cadet Warrant Officer Gurpreet Singh clinched Gold Medal in Static Aeromodelling at Chandigarh. Cadet Archana Singh participated in NIC Camp at Pondicherry and Cadet Reena attended the camp at Coimbatore.

## **N.S.S.**

During this year, under the innovation of Programme Officer Kamal Sohal, two hundred and thirty seven boys, one hundred and thirty two girls got admission in the three units of N.S.S. Prof. Kamal Sohal, Prof. Nishan Singh and Prof. Gagandeep Singh are the main persons associated with it.

Under their mentorship, five one-day camps and three two hourly meetings were organised. During that time, trees and branches were beautified through painting and the work of cleaning the college campus was undertaken with a great vitality.

Seven students of the college took part in Hiking Trekking Camp at Manali from 18th June to 27th June, 2003. Four students of the college - Ramandeep Kaur, Poonam Atri, Raakhi and Ramanjot Singh attended the Disaster Mitigation Workshop at Chandigarh under the guidance of Prof. Kamal Sohal from 29th September, 2003 to 1st October, 2003. This was the

first camp workshop of its type. On 29th October, 2003, four volunteers of the college - Varinderpal Singh, Vimal Sharma, Ramanjot Singh and Balwinder Singh donated blood at Inter-College Camp of University Campus.

In a bid to celebrate the World Anti AIDS Day, a rally was taken from Modi College to the interior of the city bazaar on 1<sup>st</sup> December, 2003 in which two hundred and forty five students took part. Eleven students of the college also donated blood on this occasion.

A ten day camp was organised in the college from 21st December to 30th December, 2003 in which apart from cleaning the college campus, lectures were delivered on various subjects like Yoga Training, First Aid Training, Traffic Training etc. As a part of the programme of the camp, lanes and drains of Sikligar Colony, Abhlowal were thoroughly cleaned. The ground of Government Primary School, Sikigar was also levelled. In the blood donation camp, seventeen volunteers donated blood.

Under the supervision of District Traffic Police Education Cell, students were given training regarding traffic rules on 4th January, 2004. The students of the college controlled the traffic with the traffic police on 26th January, 2004.

From 18th January to 24th January, 2004 Guru Tegh Bahadur National Integration Chair and Department of N.S.S., Punjabi University, Patiala organised a National Integration Camp in which fourteen students of the college participated. This was the first camp which was recognised by U.G.C. A National Integration Camp was organised at Chaudhary Charan Singh

University, Meerut from 10th February, to 16th February, 2004. Khalsa College, Patiala got the honour of representing Punjab in this camp. Ten students of the college attended this camp under the leadership of Prof. Kamal Sohal and they secured overall first position in the competitions organised during this camp. The college student Sukhjinder Singh was declared "Best Volunteer" in this "All India Camp." This camp was also recognised by U.G.C.

Fifteen students and Prof. Kamal Sohal were given commendation certificates in the college by Dr. K. Sharma, I.P.S., A.S.P. Traffic on behalf of Traffic Education Cell.

## **Youth Club**

This club was formed due to the efforts of Prof. Gagandeep Singh, Prof. Sandeep Chahal, Prof. Manjit Singh and Prof. Jiwant Kaur. Eleven students were given various designations as members of the club. This club organised a lecture by Prof. Roopinder Singh Sodhi on "World AIDS Day."

The Youth Club expressed its best wishes to all the teaching and non-teaching members of the staff through New Year Cards which were given to all. This club also started a fortnightly "Wall Magazine" whose student editors were selected. This exhibited a unique vigour of the college which aimed at creating literary awareness among students.

With the help of Department of N.S.S. students, Youth Club were

trained for Traffic Training. These students represented Khalsa College, Patiala in the Annual parade on the traffic rules on 26th January under the supervision of S. Jagdev Singh (Punjab Road Safety Education Incharge), S. Pal Singh (Head Constable) and Gurjap Singh (Constable). With the help of "Director Youth Welfare" a three days 'Hiking Training Tour' was organised at Shimla by the end of the session. Students also visited Kufri and Chail besides Shimla during this tour.

## **Physical Education and Sports Department**

Different achievements of Department of Physical Education in various games are :

### **(i) Handball :**

Khalsa College, Patiala achieved first place in Inter-College Competition for the fourth time. 9 players of this team were selected for All India Inter-University Competition and achieved third place in the North-Zone Competition. Inderjit Singh and Parminder Singh secured second positions in Junior National.

### **(ii) Hockey (Boys) :**

Khalsa College, Patiala procured a second place in Punjab Champion College Hockey League Competition and first place in Inter-College Competition. Sandeep Singh is also representing Indian Team in Ajlan Shah Hockey Tournament. The team of Khalsa College, Patiala also secured second place in the 11th ONGC Nehru Champion College Hockey

Tournament. 17 teams from all over India participated in this competition. The team was awarded a prize of Rs. 64000/- (Rs. 4000 per head) through cheque. Harvinder Singh represented India for I.H.F. This team also acquired first place in the second Khalsai Khed Samaroh.

**(iii) Cycling :**

Khalsa College Team procured second place in Inter-College Competition. Abhishek Rana won four gold medals in All India Inter-University. He also won 5 Golds and 1 Bronze in Track National. He also attended camp of Junior India. Gurinder Singh Sandhu procured one Gold and one Silver in Track National. He also achieved one gold in team trail of All India Inter-University and Silver Medal in Track National. Gagandeep Singh procured one Gold, one Silver and All India Inter-University, 1 Gold and 1 Silver in Track National and a Silver Medal in Road National too.

**(iv) Weight-lifting :**

In Inter-College competition, Karambir achieved first place and Mandeep Singh, Harpreet Singh and Surjit Singh acquired second place. This team procured overall second place in the competition.

**(v) Swimming :**

In Inter-College Competition, Gagandeep Singh and Bhupinder Azad procured first place. Sanjay Khan and Sandeep Singh bagged third place in this competition.

**(vi) Volleyball (Boys) :**

This team of Khalsa College bagged first place in Khalsai Khed Samaroh for the consecutive second time. The team bagged third place in the Inter-College Competition. Chanpreet Singh and Tejinder Singh of this team also participated in All India Inter-University Competition.

**(vii) Volley Ball (Girls) :**

This team procured first place in Khalsai Khed Samaroh. This team bagged third place in Inter-College competition. Ranbir Kaur got selected for Inter-University Competition. Players of this team also achieved third place in the Women Festival.

**(viii) Power-Lifting :**

Inderpreet Singh procured 11nd place in All India Inter-University. This player also secured first place in Inter-College Competition.

**(ix) Boxing :**

Sandeep Dutta participated in Junior National Games from Punjab Team. He also bagged first place in Inter-College Competition. This team also clinched the third place in Inter-College Competition. Sandeep Dutta also participated in India Camp.

**(x) Hockey (Girls) :**

Kashmir Kaur, Jaimala, Sandeep Kaur represented Punjabi University team. This team also participated in Inter College Competition.



**(xi) Basketball :**

This team clinched second place in Khalsai, Khed Samaroh and participated in Inter-College Competition.

**(xii) Athletics :**

Khalsa College team participated in Inter-College competition. Davinder Singh of Khalsa College, Patiala procured second place in 110 metre hurdle and Jasdeep Singh procured first place in this competition.

**(xiii) Cross Country :**

Ravinder Singh of Khalsa College, Patiala procured first place.

**(xiv) Gymnastics :**

Baljit Singh of Khalsa College, Patiala clinched first place in Inter-College Competition and also represented Punjabi University in All India Inter-University.

**(xv) Judo :**

Pawan Kumar bagged first place in Inter-College Competition.

**(xvi) Table Tennis :**

This team participated in Inter-College Competition.

**(xvii) Lawn Tennis :**

Kamal bagged second place in Inter College Competition. He also represented Punjabi University for Inter-University Competition.

**(xviii) Kabaddi :**

Khalsa College participated in Inter-College Kabbadi competition. This team also secured second place in Khalsai Khed Samaroh.

**(xix) Football :**

Khalsa college Football team participated in Inter College Competition.

**(xx) Softball :**

Khalsa College's Softball team participated in Inter-College Competition. Gagandeep Singh, Harpreet Singh, Parampreet Singh, Karambir Singh also represented Punjabi University, Patiala.

**(xxi) Cricket :**

Khalsa College team achieved second place in Inter-College Competition. Six boys of this team also participated in Punjabi University team for All India Inter-University Competition.

## **Khalsai Khed Samaroh**

Khalsai Khed Samaroh which is organised by Shiromani Gurudwara Parbandhak Committee every year was held at Sh. Guru Teg Bahadur Khalsa College, Anandpur Sahib this year. In this Khed Samaroh the college won the overall championship for the second time. During this Samaroh Volleyball (Boys), Hockey (Boys), Volleyball (Girls) teams won first place while Basketball (Boys) and Kabaddi (girls) secured second place.

## **Annual Sports**

On 27th and 28th Feb., 2004, Annual Sports Day of the college was organised. It was inaugurated by Sh. M.M. Sehgal (General Manager, Patiala), while Closing and Prize Distribution ceremony was presided over by Dr. Param Bakshish (Registrar, Punjabi University Patiala). Davinder Singh of B.A. Part-III and Sukhjit Kaur of B.A. Part-II were selected as best athletes.

## **Science Association**

Students were selected as office-bearers for this association under the guidance of Prof. Kuldeep Singh, Gurmeet Singh, Sukhmeen Kaur and Navneet Kaur. Under the guidance of this association, 45 students visited World Trade Fair (New Delhi). A 'Quiz Contest' was also organised by this association for students on 15th Jan., 2004 and winners were awarded cash prizes. This quiz contest was dedicated to Tricentenary celebration of martyrdom anniversary of Sh. Guru Gobind Singh's Sahibzaidaas. A lecture on 'Cyber Crime' was also organised by this association. Dr. Kanwaljit Singh, Director Regional Centre, Guru Nanak Dev University enlightened the students with his valuable thoughts.

## **Commerce Association**

A lecture on 'Power of Positiveness' by Sh. Vinay Sharma was organised by Commerce Association on 23rd August, 2003. Students of B.Com. Part-III presented a paper on "Consequences of Falling Interest Rates

and its Benefits and Limitations" on 12th Aug., 2003. Students of B.Com. II also presented a paper on 'Shares and Share Capital' on 17th October, 2003 and on 3rd February, 2004 Dr. R.S. Wadhawan delivered a lecture on 'Business Regulatory Framework.' An educational tour was also taken to Dalhousie from 25th Sept. to 28th Sept.

### **Environment Committee**

A botanical garden of 150×70 square feet was completed under the supervision of Prof. Ambika. Various trees of fruits and flowers have been planted in the garden. Various types of palms, ferns, medicinal plants, aquatic plants and 15-20 types of cactus are also planted there. This process of the plantation is still in progress.

'A Tree Planting Day' was celebrated on 12th Sept., 2003. On the eve of this occasion, S. Gurcharan Singh Tohra (President S.G.P.C.) and Sh. A.S. Bhatia (A.G.M. State Bank of Patiala) also planted trees in the botanical garden and in the campus itself. The committee members, college Principal, teaching and Non-teaching staff, N.S.S. Students also participated in this event enthusiastically. Plants worth Rs. 10,000/- were given to the college by State Bank of Patiala.

On 29th January, 2004, a lecture was also organised on the Environmental Education by Sh. Bishan Das (Retd. Col.) who is also the advisor of Garden and Environment Society, Patiala. On this occasion students

were motivated to refrain from drugs and to mar this evil from the society.

## **Library**

The library of Khalsa College, Patiala was computerised during the session 2003-04. Approximately 842 new books have been purchased for the library. The total number of books in the library has become 21795 now. 182 students were given complete sets of books on the basis of their financial condition, merit and sports. A new reading room has been built for the members of staff and girls.

## **Health Care Centre**

One doctor has been appointed for providing free services to the staff and students. The time for free medical check-up is 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. daily. In Dec., 2003 a 'General Health Check-Up' was organised. Near about 114 number of students were checked up during this. More than 50% of students were found to be suffering from anaemia, cavity problem and blood pressure. Various other diseases were also diagnosed in the students. One week yoga camp was also organised in January under the 'Health Awareness' Programme. 32 girls participated in this camp.

## **Population Education Club**

Under the guidance of Prof. Rupinder Singh Sodhi, Dr. Pushpinder Kaur, Prof. Navneet Kaur and Prof. Avinash Kaur one lecture was organised

on 'Population Dynamic Status and Opportunities in 21st Century' by Dr. Kulwinder Singh, Department of Education and Community Services, Punjabi University, Patiala on 10th March, 2004.

### Tour

An educational and religious tour of students was also taken to Manikaran, Kullu Manail and Rohtang under the guidance of Prof. Jaswant Singh, Prof. Rupinder Singh Sodhi, Prof. Gagandeep Kaur and Prof. Harjit Kaur.

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Refresher Course at Combatore from 19-01-04 to 13-02-04. He secured more than 80% marks in that course and was given exceptional grade too. He is the only NCC Officer who has secured this grade. He was also selected as 'Best in Drill'. He led Khalsa College in Pre-Vayu Sainik Camp and Patiala in 3Pb. Air Sqn (NCC) at Duhara in Sept., 2003.

3. Dr. Deepinderjit Randhawa's paper on 'The Sikh Ardas : Its specificity and Universality' was published in the 'Journal of Religious Studies' by Punjabi University, Patiala. She also presented a paper on "Re-Interrogating Post Colonialism and its Impact On the Critical Systems" in National Seminar held at Punjabi University by Sahitya Academy on 17th and 18th November, 2003. Dr. Randhawa also presented a paper on Shri Guru Granth Sahib and the Gender Discourse in an International Seminar held at Punjabi University on 18th to 20th February 2004.
4. Dr. Kuldeep Kumar attended the 'Orientation Course' held at Panjab University, Chandigarh from 18 July, 2003 to 15th July, 2003. His essay 'Gurmat Sangeet and Sufi Sangeet' has been published in the Social Science Journal of Punjabi University, in the issue of December, 2003.
5. Prof. Sukhmeen Kaur attended the Refresher Course from 30th May to 19th June at Guru Nanak Dev University, Amritsar.
6. Dr. Harinder Kaur Sohi is presently attending a Refresher Course at Punjabi University, Patiala.
7. Mr. Charanjit Kaur's essay 'Sukhminder Amrit Di Kali Chetna' was



published in the magazine. "Ajoke Shilalekh" in March, 2003. Another essay on 'Aurat di Stithi Kinni Ku Sudhari' was published in the magazine 'Samundron Par' in April, 2003. The same essay under the title of 'ਬਦਲਦੀਆਂ ਸਮਾਜਿਕ ਪ੍ਰਸਥਿਤੀਆਂ ਤੇ ਔਰਤ ਦੀ ਸਥਿਤੀ' was published in the newspaper "Nzawa Zamaana", on 6th April, 2003 in the Sunday series. Her another essay on 'ਔਰਤ ਨਾਲ ਵਿਤਕਰੇ ਦਾ ਸਵਾਲ ਤੇ ਸਾਡਾ ਸਮਾਜ' was published in 'Nawaa Zamaana' newspaper on 21st September, 2003. A review Article on Dr. Dalip Kaur Tiwana's novel "Bhaiyal" was published in 'Sirjana' magazine in the Jan.-March, 2003 series.

8. Dr. Pushpinder Kaur's Research Paper 'ਬਰਤਾਨਵੀ ਪੰਜਾਬੀ ਗਲਪ : ਸਭਿਆਚਾਰਕ ਤਣਾਅ ਦੇ ਪਾਸਾਰ' was approved by Centre for Immigrant Studies, Punjabi Adhiyan School, Guru Nanak Dev University, Amritsar to be included in the book to be published on diasporic literature.
9. Prof. Ayesha Khosla has been given Ph.D. degree for completing her thesis on "Marginalisation of women in Mark Twain's Works" by the Department of English, Punjabi University, Patiala. She has also attended the XXXVI Conference of 'Indian Association of American Studies held by Department of English, Punjabi University, Patiala.

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